**MD PROGRAM**

**Accreditation**

The Penn State College of Medicine’s MD Program is fully accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) (http://www.lcme.org/), the national accreditation authority for medical education programs leading to the MD degree in the United States and Canada.

LCME accreditation is a peer-reviewed process of quality assurance that determines whether the medical education program meets established standards. To achieve and maintain accreditation, a program leading to the MD degree in the United States and Canada must meet the LCME accreditation standards. Accreditation status is reviewed by a team of site visitors every eight years. The next review date for the College of Medicine is the 2025-2026 academic year.