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[Findings Magazine](#)

[National Institute of General Medical Science - Fact Sheets](#)

[National Institute of General Medical Science - Life Science Articles](#)

[National Institute of General Medical Science – Science Education](#)

[The Scientist Magazine](#)

College Planning Resources - General

[A Guide to Resources for Low Income Students](#)

[Accredited Schools Online](#)

[Affordable Colleges Online](#)

[Affordable Colleges - First Generation College Students Guide](#)

[American Student Assistance](#)

[American Education Services/ Education Planner](#)

[ASA Education and Career Planning](#)

[Best Colleges](#)

[Big Future](#)

[Cappex - College Greenlight](#)

Resources in providing a college path for first generation and underrepresented students

[Coalition for College Access](#)

[College Board](#)

[College Fairs - National Association of College Admissions Counselors \(NACAC\)](#)

[College Scorecard \(U.S. Department of Education\)](#)

[Common Application](#)

[Common App Application Guide for First Time Students](#)

[Fair Opportunity Project](#)

[MappingYourFuture.org](#)

Massachusetts Educational Financing Authority (MEFA) College Planning Resources

[College Planning](#)

[Different Types of Student Financial Aid](#)

[How to Apply to College](#)

[Timeline for College Admissions & Financial Aid](#)

[myFuture - College Planning Resources](#)

National Association of College Admissions Counseling (NACAC)

[National Association for College Admission Counseling](#)

[Step by Step: College Awareness and Planning for Families, Counselors and Communities](#)

[Information on Paying for College](#)

[National Center for Education Statistics – College Navigator](#)

[Peterson’s College Planning Resources](#)

[Social Adjustments to College](#)

[The College Affordability and Transparency Center](#)

[youvisit College Search](#)

College Planning Resources – Applications, Essays, Letter of Recommendations, Campus Visits

[Campus Visit Guide](#)

[Campus Visit Tips - myFuture](#)

[College Essay - BigFuture](#)

[College Interview Tips - My Future](#)

[Common Application Essay Prompts for 2022-2023](#)

[Diversity Fly-In Programs \(US News\) -Make campus visits accessible](#)

Peterson's:

[Campus Tours and College Visits](#)

[College Interviews](#)

[Letters of Recommendation](#)

[Tips for Writing an Effective College Essay - BigFuture](#)

[Virtual Campus Visits - youvisit.com](#)

College Planning Resources – Tests and Test Preparation

[ACT](#)

<http://www.actstudent.org/>

[AP \(Advanced Placement\) Students](#)

Comparing the ACT and the SAT:

[Comparing the ACT vs SAT: How to Decide - U.S. News](#)

[Which Test is Right for YOU - Princeton Review](#)

[SAT](#)

[SAT Prep - Khan Academy](#)

[SAT Practice](#)

[SAT Test Dates and Deadlines](#)

[Test Optional Schools](#)

Financing Your Education

[A Better Chance](#)

[Avoiding Student Aid Scams](#)

[Best Colleges: Your Guide to Financial Aid and FAFSA](#)

[Cappex - Scholarship Search](#)

[College Affordability Guide - How to Pay for College](#)

[College Vine - Colleges with Free Tuition for Low Income Students](#)

[Entrance Counseling - Federal Student Loans](#)

[Fastweb – Scholarship Search](#)

[Federal Student Aid](#)

[Federal Student Aid - Resources](#)

[Federal Trade Commission: Scholarship and Financial Aid Scams](#)

[Financial Aid Toolkit \(Federal Student Aid\)](#)

[Forbes List of Colleges with Free or Reduced Tuition](#)

[International Financial Aid and College Scholarship Search](#)

[MoneyGeek -The Debt-Free College Education Guide](#)

[National Association of Student Financial Aid Administration \(NASFAA\) - State & Regional College Tuition Discounts](#)

[Scholarships by State](#)

uAspire:

[Free Financial aid Student Support Days](#)

[Scholarship Support \(uAspire\)](#)

[Virtual Financial Aid Help Events \(uAspire\)](#)

[United Negro College Fund](#)

Student Loans

[Education Data Initiative -Information on Refinancing Student Loans](#)

[Federal Student Loans: Income Driven Repayment](#)

[Public Service Loan Forgiveness](#)

[SallieMae](#)

[Understanding Repayment](#)

Massachusetts Financial Resources

[Boston Scholarship Fund](#)

[FAFSA Day Massachusetts](#)

[Massachusetts Department of Higher Education: Office of Student Financial Assistance](#)

[Mass DHE - Quick Guide for Students](#)

[MassEdCo - Education and Career Readiness Services](#)

Commonwealth's largest provider of community-based education and career readiness services for low-income, first generation, underrepresented and marginalized youth and adults in MA:

[Educational Opportunity Center](#)

[Financial Aid Comparison Tool](#)

[Local Program Locations](#)

[Ultimate High School College Checklist:](#)

MEFA (Massachusetts Educational Financing Authority):

[About MEFA](#)

[Being a Wise Borrower](#)

[Wise Borrower Video](#)

[New England Board of Higher Education:](#)

[Financial Aid Resources](#)

[Tuition Break College Planning Resources](#)

Graduate School Resources

[10 Things to Know Before Applying to Graduate School](#)

[Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences](#)

[GradSchools.com: Applying to Graduate School](#)

[NIGMS Postbacc and Graduate Student Programs](#)

NIH Resources:

[Office of Intramural Training and Education](#)

[Office of Intramural Training and Education - Resources](#)

[Diversity in Extramural Programs](#)

Minority Postdoc

Web portal on the minority postdoctoral experience

PhDs.org - Science, Math, and Engineering Career Resources

Medical School Resources

American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP):

Career Choices in Family Medicine

Choosing a Residency Program

Getting Into Medical School

Medical School & Residency

Why Choose Family Medicine

Association of American Medical Colleges

Applying to Medical School with AMCAS

Aspiring Docs

Getting into Medical School

First Generation Medical Students - Article

Med School Insiders

Preparing for Medical Internships

Tour for Diversity in Medicine

US News: 7 Tips to Ease the Transition to Medical School

Medical School Funding Resources

FIRST (Financial Information, Resources, Services and Tools) for Medical School

FIRST: Transitioning to Medical School - Financial Tips

Finances in Residency and Early Career (AAFP)

Funding Options for Medical School (AAFP)

Managing Medical School Debt (AAFP)

Managing Your Finances During Medical School (AAMC)

Money Geek: Medical School Financial Aid

Scholarships for Medical School (AAFP)

Nursing Education Pathways

American Association of Colleges of Nursing

AACN Career Center

AACN Continuing Professional Development Scholarships

Student Resources

Your Nursing Career: A Look at the Facts

Health Resources & Services Administration - Nurse Corps Scholarship Program

Quick Facts About the Nursing Profession

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation – Nurses and Nursing

Science & Health Career Planning Resources

AAAS Science Careers

Academic Keys - Higher Education Career Search

American Physical Society - Careers in Physics

ASCB (American Society for Cell Biology) - Career Resources

Biomedical Sciences Career Program (BSCP)

Biospace – Life Sciences News + Jobs

Diversity Program Consortium

ExploreHealthCareers

MassBio – Massachusetts Biotechnology Council

Mayo Clinic Careers

Nature Careers

National Institutes of Health – Careers in Science

New Scientist Jobs

Pathways to Science:

[Programs and professional development resources for current and prospective undergraduate students](#)
[Postdoc Positions in STEM](#)
[STEM Graduate Programs and Fellowships](#)

[Public Health Jobs](#)

[The Scientist – Careers](#)

[UMASS High School Health Careers Program](#)

[UMASS Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Summer Enrichment Program](#)
<https://www.umassmed.edu/gsbs/outreach-programs/summer-enrichment-programs/>

[Vertex – Early Career Programs](#)

Social & Emotional Adjustments to College, Graduate School, Medical School

[First Generation College Students - Article on the Struggles They Face](#)

[First Generation Journeys at Harvard Medical School](#)

[First Generation Medical Students - Article](#)

[How to Avoid Burnout in College](#)

[How to Avoid Burnout by the Pre-Med and Medical Student](#)

[Isolation of Minority Medical Students](#)

[Med School Insiders:](#)

[Adjusting to Medical School](#)

[Pre-Med Study Strategies](#)

[Stress Management Tips for Students](#)

[Twenty Things I Wished I'd Know When I Started My PhD](#)