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I AM A SON OF MARSHALL.

Raj Singh
Class of 2018



MARSHALL UNIVERSITY®
Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine



Only the Beginning.

The White Coat Ceremony marks the beginning of your medical school journey and your career in medicine.



WE ARE... **MARSHALL.**

The Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine is a state-assisted, community-based medical school established in 1977. Our faculty and administration are committed to providing high quality medical education and graduate training to meet changing health care needs across our nation and throughout the world.

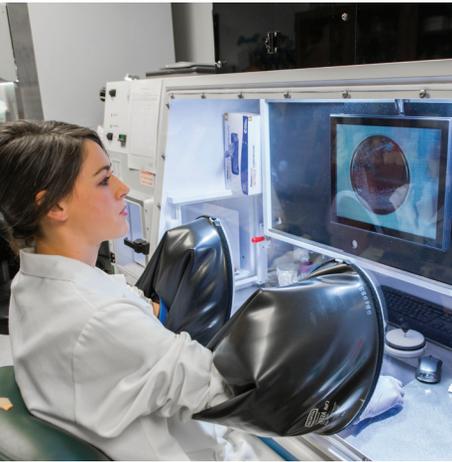
At Marshall, we specialize in rural health issues. Many of our students are from rural West Virginia. We train students in rural, clinical settings and we encourage our graduates to stay and practice in rural communities.

We also believe that a diverse population leads to greater knowledge, understanding, acceptance and mutual respect. Therefore, we promote an inclusive environment at Marshall by attracting, recruiting and retaining individuals who represent varying backgrounds and perspectives.

What We Are...

At Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, you will experience:

- **A small group learning environment and a clinical skills laboratory** in which you learn important patient skills in your first and second years.
- **Available and committed faculty and staff** who provide excellence in medical care, medical education, research and patient care.
- **A small class size** that provides a family-like atmosphere and enables you to have easy access to dedicated teaching faculty.
- **Dynamic electives like Wilderness Medicine, International Medicine and Rural Health** that offer experiences outside the walls of a traditional classroom.
- **Interdisciplinary opportunities** with the Marshall University School of Pharmacy, School of Physical Therapy and College of Health Professions.
- **Community-oriented activities**, including student-led medical outreach to the homeless.



Interested in Research?

School of Medicine students are afforded clinical and translational training opportunities throughout their four years of medical school.



A Perfect Match

Our fourth-year medical students consistently match to high profile residency programs across the United States.



Admissions

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS CONTACT INFORMATION

jcesom@marshall.edu

800-544-8514 or 304-691-1738

jcesom.marshall.edu/
prospective-students

Marshall selects students from a variety of academic, socioeconomic and personal backgrounds.

Ideal candidates will have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university and have met the basic sciences requirements of our program. Although most applicants are science majors, Marshall encourages its applicants to pursue their personal educational interests and abilities.

Specific requirements are available at: jcesom.marshall.edu/admissions

Academic achievement alone is not sufficient for success in medical school or in the practice of medicine. Quality character attributes like communication skills, work ethic, community service, honesty/ethics and resilience are all important as well. Additional attributes assessed include leadership and teamwork.

Admission is based on a holistic approach, including scholarship, the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) and personal qualifications as determined by interviews and recommendations. Interviews are arranged only by invitation of the Admissions Committee.

The Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine encourages qualified members of groups underrepresented in medicine to apply. It does not discriminate because of race, gender, religion, age, sexual orientation, disability or national origin.

Application Information

MCAT

All applicants are required to take the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). Your MCAT scores are used by the Admissions Committee as part of your overall evaluation. Test information is available online at www.aamc.org/mcat.

AMCAS

The School of Medicine participates in the American Medical College Application Service (AMCAS). Applications are available online at www.aamc.org/amcas. Applications are accepted by AMCAS from June 1 to November 1 of the year prior to enrollment. Applicants should file the application as early as possible.

The small class size and encouraging environment have made my medical school experience so enjoyable. I love being part of the Marshall family, and I feel like there are many opportunities for me here. The faculty and staff are always available for assistance, and the friendships I've formed with classmates are irreplaceable.

*Leesah Al-Qawasmi
Class of 2019*



Why We Are...

Founded in 1977, the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine has emphasized its educational mission. The school is committed to providing the highest quality medical education to medical students, residents, graduate students and medical professionals.

The school has a well-deserved national reputation for excellence in primary care and is dedicated to furthering that tradition while expanding into new areas of focus consistent with the health care needs of our state and region.

We invite you to become part of our growing legacy.



“The most special part of Marshall is that they have countless opportunities to give back to the community and help others in need. My favorite is Marshall Medical Outreach, in which we provide medical aid to those in need. When deciding which medical school would be the best fit for me, I examined which ones cared about preserving the heart of medicine while teaching the knowledge of medicine. Marshall realizes that it takes more to be a good doctor than a wealth of knowledge. They make sure to protect the character and the heart of those of us in training.”

*Emily M. Wright
Class of 2019*



Where We Are...

Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine is located in Huntington, West Virginia, a thriving college town that borders Kentucky and Ohio. Our geographic location places us within an easy drive of metropolitan cities including Cincinnati, Ohio, Washington, D.C., and Louisville, Kentucky. We're also just a stone's throw from some of the most natural beauty found in North America. As such, we are uniquely situated to educate and train physicians in a variety of settings, both urban and rural.



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For nearly 40 years, our graduates have been making a difference in medicine around the globe.





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