

UP on EHS Admissions Application 2024

Thank you for applying to Up on EHS at the University of Chicago! Please describe your qualifications and interest in the program by completing the admissions application form below. We look forward to hearing from you!

First name

Last name

Email

Date of birth

Are you a citizen or permanent resident of the United States?

Yes
 No

Street address

Unit/apartment number

City

State/province

Postal/zip code

Phone

ACADEMIC INFORMATION: Please provide the following information about your education status and academic record.

School name _____

School street address _____

School city _____

School state/province _____

School postal/zip code _____

GPA (overall, unweighted) _____

Please upload a PDF of your most recent school transcript. Transcripts do NOT have to be official. However, they should include courses and grades since the beginning of your freshman year. Your name and the name of your school should be clearly visible.

UP on EHS at the University of Chicago

How did you hear about the UP on EHS program?

- Teacher/professor, counselor or other school employee
- Current or past participant of the program
- Program website
- Other

You selected "other". Please describe.

RESEARCH INTERESTS: Please select your top three areas of interest from the following Environmental Health Science fields:

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice
Air, Soil, and Water Pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Climate Change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Biomarkers of Exposure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Molecular Processes of Toxicity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environmental Justice	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Environmental Health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Engagement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please answer each of the following questions about your interest in UP on EHS. Limit each response to 350 words.

What qualities and experiences do you have that best prepare you for the demands of the program?

Of the learning opportunities related to careers in science and medicine, why have you chosen to apply to this program?

How do you hope this program will help you move forward with your academic and career plans?

Is there anything else important for us to know about you?

RECOMMENDATIONS: It is your responsibility to arrange for two individuals (at least one teacher/professor) to submit the online recommendation form on your behalf. An instruction sheet for recommenders can be downloaded using the link below.

[Attachment: "UP on EHS Recommender Letter_V3.pdf"]

Are you Hispanic/Latino?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to answer

What is your race? Please check all that apply.

- White
- Black, African American
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- Other
- Decline to answer

You selected "other". Please describe.

Are you among the first generation in your family to attend college?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to answer

Do you consider yourself to be economically disadvantaged?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to answer

Are you living with a disability?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to Answer

This space is provided for additional comment on your identity with the groups named above, if required.

Please initial next to each statement to show that you understand and agree to the terms described.

I acknowledge that if enrolled, I am subject to all rules and regulations of the UP on EHS program and the University of Chicago. _____

I acknowledge that if selected, I am subject to all infection control regulations and protocols of the UP on EHS program and the University of Chicago. These entail training and education, the use of personal protective equipment, and the practice of physical distancing while on site. _____

If enrolled, I am required to participate in the full two years of programming, including an eight-week mentored research experience for two consecutive summers and monthly enrichment activities during the academic year. Only emergency absences will be excused. _____

If enrolled, I will be required to make my own arrangements for housing and daily transportation. The UP on EHS program is not responsible for any accommodations outside of the program. _____

I attest that the information included in this application is complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge. _____

May we share your application information with colleagues interested in recruiting for similar science enrichment programs? Yes No