Interested in becoming a chiropractor? Consider Palmer College of Chiropractic.

About Palmer College of Chiropractic
Founded in 1897 in Davenport, Iowa, Palmer College of Chiropractic is the first and largest chiropractic college. Palmer College is widely regarded as the world leader in chiropractic education. Palmer students from 23 countries and all 50 states (plus Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands) are immersed in our rigorous learning environment.

Our Mission
Palmer College’s mission is to promote learning, deliver health care, engage our communities and advance knowledge through research.

Our Vision
Palmer College of Chiropractic strives to be The Trusted Leader in Chiropractic Education.

Our Values
- Academic excellence
- Business acumen
- Collaboration
- Community health
- Critical thinking
- Diversity
- Evidence-based chiropractic practice
- Heritage and tradition
- Justice, ethics and integrity
- Life-long learning
- Open and direct communication
- The philosophy, science and art of chiropractic

Visit www.palmer.edu, or scan the code here to request more information.
Admission Standards

As the trusted leader in chiropractic education, Palmer College of Chiropractic is committed to the success of our students and graduates.

All prospective students are considered on an individual basis. There are many ways to qualify and multiple factors are taken into consideration during the application-review process. Those factors include: credits earned, transfer credits, classes taken, grade-point average (GPA), and degree(s) earned.

Candidates who’ve achieved the following qualify for admission to the Doctor of Chiropractic program, pending official transcript review:

- Minimum of 90 credit hours
- 3.0 GPA or greater on a 4.0 scale
- 24 semester hours in life and physical science with labs
- Well-rounded general education program in the humanities and social sciences

Students who’ve earned 90 semester hours in the appropriate course work with a 2.75 GPA may also qualify for admission to the Doctor of Chiropractic program.

We’d like the opportunity to discuss your qualifications with you to help you make an informed decision.

Complete the application or call today to request more information and allow us to assist you in achieving your goal of helping people through chiropractic care.

Palmer College is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and programmatically accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE).

Don’t delay, contact Palmer today!

Fast Facts

1. 94-percent of our 2012 graduates are employed as doctors of chiropractic

2. Chiropractic employment is expected to rise 15 percent between 2012 and 2022

3. The Palmer Center for Business Development offers free business programs and services for students and alumni -- plus an online career networking placement service

4. Palmer has the largest clinic system in chiropractic education -- the majority of faculty clinicians having advanced training in specialties

5. Palmer College has the largest chiropractic alumni network in the world. More than one-third of the world’s practicing chiropractors are Palmer graduates.

6. Most Palmer classes offer a 15:1 or lower student-to-faculty ratio

7. Palmer is home to the most-published faculty in chiropractic education

8. The Palmer Center for Chiropractic Research is the largest chiropractic research center in the world

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1. Internally validated through institutional research methods.