

I-20 Documents

A step-by-step preparation process for beginning your USMLE prep with Kaplan.

1. Get Your Kaplan Student ID number.

2. Collect Your Documents

After you enroll in Kaplan's USMLE prep, you will need to submit your required documents for Kaplan to issue your I-20. Please create each document as it's own file in PDF or JPEG format.

Required Documents:

Kaplan Application

Please type in your study location, start date and program name on page 1.

Print and scan the application. The application must be signed on page 3 and page 6. We cannot accept electronic signatures.

Please read all pages of the application, note we will need pages 1-6 back. The rest of the pages are for your reference.

Scholastic Preparation

Please provide a copy of your diploma or transcript from your medical school, confirming the degree type and program.

Translations must be signed by an official translator.

(For Step 3 courses, Step 1 and Step 2 CK passing scores are also required).

Financial Eligibility

Please submit proof of your financial eligibility in English.

Acceptable documents include: a copy of the student's, student's parent or sponsor's bank statement, or a bank letter on official bank stationery confirming that the funds required to meet the total cost of study are available.

The date, account holder's name, currency and account balance must be identified, and the letter or statement must be dated within 180 days of the application.

Statements should reflect checking and/or savings accounts. We cannot accept statements that reflect stocks, bonds, credit cards, real estate or other investments.

Letter of Support

If the proof of financial eligibility provided is not in the student's name, you will also need to submit a signed letter of support (in English) from the person whose name appears on the documentation provided.

A sample letter of support can be found in the application.

English Proficiency

Please submit one method of proving English proficiency:

- A minimum TOEFL®* PBT score of 530
 - A minimum TOEFL®* CBT score of 197
 - A minimum TOEFL®* iBT score of 71
 - A minimum TOEIC® score of 710
 - A minimum IELTS® score of 5.5
 - A degree from an American high school, college, or university
 - A letter, transcript or degree from a foreign college or university attended that confirms English is/was the primary mode of instruction
 - If your medical school was taught in English and this can be verified on the World Directory of Medical Schools.
- *Test names are registered trademarks of their respective owners.

Passport Copy

Please provide a copy of your valid passport, and a copy of the valid passport for any dependant that will accompany you.

3. Book Your Course, Pay Kaplan Application Fee

Work with your Kaplan Representative to select the best course, location and start date for your studies. You should always leave at least three months (and longer if possible) between when you enroll and your planned start date so that you can collect the needed documents, apply for your visa and plan your travel and accommodations.