APPLICATION MATERIALS

- Curriculum Vitae
- Personal Statement
- Board scores 1, 2, 3 and PE (original or certified copy from your medical school)
- Medical school transcripts
- Medical school diploma
- A letter of recommendation and good standing from your program director
- Three professional letters of recommendation
- Certificate of residency completion will be required upon acceptance into the program

EMAIL ALL MATERIALS TO:

Lakeshia Young Hicks  
Sports Medicine Fellowship Coordinator  
lyounghicks@vcom.edu  
(334) 442-4111

The mission of the VCOM-Auburn Primary Care Sports Medicine Fellowship Program is to provide fellows with training to diagnose and manage medical illnesses and injuries in athletes in a Division I university setting and in all levels of athletics. This will enable them to become competent, proficient and professional sports medicine physicians.

The program will provide the educational experiences necessary for the fellows to achieve the knowledge, motor skills, interpersonal skills, professional attitudes and practical experience required of the sports medicine physician specialist. Faculty will provide educational and clinical opportunities that include osteopathic manipulative medicine focused on athletes, ultrasound imaging for diagnosis of injuries and injection techniques including PRP and more.

This program is designed to allow the fellow to assume progressive responsibility for patient care. Fellows will also be involved with medical student instruction. We foster both academic and research growth to develop physicians who can competently serve as program directors and/or researchers in sports medicine in the future.
The Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (VCOM) Auburn campus Primary Care Sports Medicine Fellowship in Auburn, Alabama is a branch of the VCOM-Virginia campus Primary Care Sports Medicine fellowship. The fellow will act as a team physician at the high school and collegiate level. The Auburn fellowship is affiliated with Auburn University (Auburn), a Division I Southeastern Conference (SEC) team. Auburn competes in 21 intercollegiate varsity sports as a member of the SEC. The fellowship provides the opportunity to care for Division I athletes, engage in research, learn the basics of musculoskeletal ultrasound and teach medical students.

“Introducing the Sports Medicine Fellowship at VCOM’s Auburn Campus”

Individuals accepted to the fellowship will work under the guidance of three sports medicine trained physicians, while learning to provide high quality care to athletes of all ages.

The year will be challenging and exciting with high expectations and dedication to learning and service.

Physicians interested in improving their skill set in diagnosing and treating medical and orthopaedic sports medicine related injuries while working in a high intensity environment are encouraged to apply.

“This fellowship really prepares you for life after training whether you want to pursue research and academics, become a team physician or work in the private practice setting.”

– John Jones, DO
2016-17 VCOM-Auburn Sports Medicine Fellow