

Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine Program

UWS Granted Candidacy Status



UWS NMD Program Fast Facts:

- On-campus in beautiful Portland, OR
- 14 quarters (3.5 years) in length
- October start
- Full IFM curriculum integrated into program
- In-person labs, lectures, clinical rotations and team-based learning
- UWS was established in 1904 and has a long history of educational excellence

University of Western States has been recognized by the Council on Naturopathic Medical Education, the programmatic accrediting body for naturopathic medicine programs. On April 24, 2025, Candidacy status was granted to the College of Naturopathic Medicine. Candidacy is not equivalent to accreditation and does not ensure eventual accreditation; however, it signifies that the naturopathic medicine program is recognized by the Council and is progressing toward accreditation. With this status, students are eligible to take Part I of the licensing exam following their second year of the program, and Part II following graduation. For information, contact: CNME, PO Box 178, Great Barrington, MA 01230; (413) 528-8877.

