Comparisons of the Overall Curriculum Structure for Chiropractic and Medical Schools

Chiropractic Schools

- Basic Sciences: 456 hours
- Clinical Sciences: 161 hours
- Clerkship: 149 hours
- Chiropractic Sciences: 66 hours
- Total Hours for Degree: 2,419 hours

Medical Schools

- Basic Sciences: 215 hours
- Clinical Sciences: 1,000 hours
- Clerkship: 113 hours
- Total Hours for Degree: 2,047 hours


*The charts above do not include consideration for residencies or additional specialty training.*