

INTEC, the only university in the DR that offers federal loans to americans for a career in medicine

Through the Federal Loan Program of the United States Department of Education, it is also possible to pursue other careers offered by the university.

SANTO DOMINGO. The Technological Institute of Santo Domingo (INTEC) is the only Dominican university in which students with US citizenship or residency can study medicine with funding from the Federal Loan Program of the United States Department of Education. Other courses of the undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs from this academy are also available in this modality.

Young people have the possibility of accessing the Stafford Loans, as well as the Federal Loans, which allow them to cover the educational expenses, including: tuition and accommodation fees, books, supplies and transportation, either during the years of study or finished. The granting of the Federal-aid is annual, so, in INTEC's case, it is equivalent to three trimesters.

To be eligible for these loans, those interested must have a high school diploma or certificate from the General Educational Development (GED), be a citizen of the United States or a foreigner with rights; be enrolled in a degree, at least part-time; have a valid social security number and not be in arrears on a federal student loan.

In addition, you must complete the free federal student aid application found on the website: www.fafsa.ed.gov and complete the admission counseling, which will help you understand the responsibilities involved in your loan, depending on the modality chosen.

For more details about the process, interested parties can contact the INTEC International Financial Assistance Office at the telephone number 809-567-9271, extension 334.

About Medicine at INTEC

The Medicine career at INTEC trains general practitioners, with a sense of professional, social and ethical responsibility. The duration of the career is five years, for a total of 394 credits divided into 20 trimesters. It consists of 126 subjects, 32 laboratories and 10 credits of elective

subjects. INTEC is the only university that offers a boarding school in social medicine, with the objective of combining teaching with service and research.

The bachelor's program offered at the Health Sciences Area is formed by the careers of Medicine and Dentistry, and at the postgraduate level for the masters in Bioethics, Clinical Nutriology, Obesology and Dietetics, Integral Health of the Adolescent and Medical Residency in Ophthalmology. Additionally, it offers a dozen medical specialties in Management of Health and Social Security Services, Oculoplasty, Clinical Bioethics, Pediatric Ophthalmology, among others.

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