



Clyde Fomunung

MD + MBA

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Why do you want to be a physician?

I want to become a physician in order to be in the position to help others and impact lives, especially those within underserved communities.

Why did you choose Texas A&M College of Medicine?

Texas A&M College of Medicine offers many benefits that were too great to overlook: multi-campus clerkship rotations, the MD Plus Program, rural and population health focus, faculty-to-student ratio, collaborative student culture/environment, distance from family and big cities, and the core values upheld by the college.

Why did you choose to pursue a graduate degree in addition to the MD?

In order to achieve all of my personal and career goals, I felt it necessary to obtain an MBA in addition to my MD. Throughout my life, I've always been STEM focused and prior to completing the MBA, I lacked knowledge on anything business related. I wanted that to change and thus, began this journey.

What are your career goals and how do you feel the MD Plus Program will help you?

I aspire to establish and operate a network of outpatient clinics that allow for patients to receive both primary and sub-specialty care within the same clinic. Additionally, I aim to create a nonprofit organization dedicated towards feeding and housing the homeless as well as having a mentorship program for children from low-income backgrounds. Also, I plan to work with biomedical engineering firms to create devices dedicated towards improving patient safety and recovery. Lastly, I hope to become CEO of a hospital one day. With all of these goals in mind, the MD Plus Program has and will continue to equip me with the skills, knowledge, and tools necessary for me to be successful in the future.