2011-2012 Academic Calendar

	CoN & CHS[1]	GC[2]	RMC-M1[3]	RMC-M2[4]	RMC-M3 & RMC-M4[5]
Fall 2011 Quarter					
Continuing Student Registration	Aug 1-12	Aug 1-12	n/a	n/a	See attached calendar for clinical rotation start/end dates.
Labor Day	September 5	September 5	September 5	September 5	
Orientation	September 7-9	September 7-9	Aug 31-Sept 2	n/a	
Classes Begin	September 12	September 12	September 6	September 6	
Thanksgiving Holiday	November 24-25	November 24-25	November 25-26	November 25-26	
Classes End	November 18	December 2	December 7	December 7	
Final Exams (Most programs)	November 21-23	December 5-16	December 9-16	December 9-16	
Graduation	December 10	December 10	n/a	n/a	
Winter 2012 Quarter					
Continuing Student Registration	Oct 31-Nov 11	Oct 31-Nov 11	n/a	n/a	
New Year's Holiday	January 2	January 2	January 2	January 2	
Classes Begin	January 3	January 3	January 3	January 3	
Martin Luther King Day (observed)	January 16	January 16	January 16	January 16	
Classes End	March 9	March 9	March 9	March 9	
Final Exams	March 12-16	March 12-16	March 12-16	March 12-16	
Graduation	March 17	March 17	n/a	n/a	
Spring Break	March 19-23	March 19-23	March 19-23	March 19-23	
Spring 2012 Quarter					
Continuing Student Registration	Feb 20-March 2	Feb 20-March 2	n/a	n/a	
Classes Begin	March 26	March 26	March 26	March 26	
Classes End	June 1	June 1	June 1	TBD	
Memorial Day Holiday	May 28	May 28	May 28	May 28	
Final Exams	June 4-8	June 4-8	June 4-8	TBD	
Graduation	June 9	June 9	n/a	n/a	
Summer 2012 Quarter					
Continuing Student Registration	May 14-25	May 14-25	n/a	n/a	
Classes Begin	June 18	June 18	n/a	n/a	
Fourth of July Holiday	July 4	July 4	n/a	n/a	
Classes End	August 24	August 24	n/a	n/a	
Classes End (GEM only[6])	August 26	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Final Exams	August 27-28	August 27-28	n/a	n/a	
Graduation	September 1	September 1	n/a	n/a	
Graduation (Anesthesia)	October 6	n/a	n/a	n/a	

CON & CHS[1] = College of Nursing and College of Health Sciences; **GC[2]** = The Graduate College;
RMC-M1[3] = Rush Medical College (first-year); **RMC-M2[4]** = Rush Medical College (second-year); **TBD =** To Be Determined
RMC M3 & M4[5] = Rush Medical College third and fourth year students: See attached clinical rotation calendar.
[6] These dates are for GEM students who are not graduating this term. Graduating GEM students follow standard CON schedule.