

Please write a brief statement giving your reasons for applying to Weill Cornell Medical College. (1525 characters)

I aspire to become a cardiologist specializing in women's health, improving diagnostic accuracy and developing targeted therapeutic strategies for women by conducting clinical research to understand how sex-specific factors affect cardiovascular health. Cornell's tri-institutional partnership offers an exceptional training environment that integrates cutting-edge clinical and research experiences, with the Clinical High-Risk Obstetrics elective being particularly exciting, as it will expose me to a diverse range of patients and complex presentations across the four sites.

Beyond clinical training, I am very drawn to Cornell's student-driven environment. During my undergraduate years at [omitted for privacy], I was heavily involved in expanding cardiovascular care to low-income patients as President of Heart Health @ [omitted for privacy] and aim to expand my impact by leading Cornell's Heart to Heart campaign, offering personalized advice and heart disease screenings to underserved communities. Providing healthcare to uninsured patients is an important mission to me, and Cornell provides an ideal opportunity to collaborate with faculty to drive this change.

My primary goal is to advocate for a more inclusive approach to cardiac health to ensure women of all backgrounds receive the specialized care they deserve, and as a native New Yorker, I have a deep connection to my community and hope to attend medical school here, to contribute to and grow as a physician in the city I call home.