College of Pharmacy

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Overview

Founded in 1884, Purdue's College of Pharmacy consistently ranks among the 10 best pharmacy programs in the nation. Numerous research opportunities, an innovative teaching pedagogy, and world-renowned, caring faculty create a cutting edge learning environment. Employers are drawn by the quality, depth and experiential opportunities provided to Purdue pharmacy graduates. The College of Pharmacy is making a difference locally and globally.

Undergraduate Program

The Purdue College of Pharmacy offers an undergraduate program in Pharmacy.

The Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences (BSPS) is a four-year undergraduate program that consists of multidisciplinary basic sciences related to drug discovery, development, and commercialization. A degree in this program does not allow graduates to become licensed pharmacists.

Professional Program

Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm D) - Students who meet all prerequisites, may apply to the PharmD program. Graduates of this 4-year professional program prepares students to sit for the national and pharmacy law licensure exams to practice pharmacy.

Graduate Programs

The Purdue College of Pharmacy boasts one of the oldest and most-respected graduate programs in the U.S. Each of the three departments of the Purdue College of Pharmacy offer graduate programs:

- Industrial and Physical Pharmacy
- Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology
- Pharmacy Practice

Each department offers a PhD degree program. All of these programs require strong undergraduate preparation, including completion of a Bachelor's Degree for admission.

A combined-degree program allows students in the third year of the PharmD program to begin work on a Pharmacy PhD program while completing the PharmD curricula. Through a judicious choice of electives and research rotations, such students can save up to two years on the total time required for the PhD program. Additional information can be found by reading the full program description.

For more information, please contact Dr. Danzhou Yang, the Associate Dean for Graduate Programs.

Continuing Education Programs

The College's continuing education programs offer several non-degree certificate programs.

Admissions (website)

College Advising (website)

Contact Information

Prospective Undergraduate and Professional Program Students

Contact the Office of Student Services for general information.

Phone: (765) 496-6885

Contact Storie Pedley in the Office of Student Services to arrange a visit:

Phone: (765) 496-2352

Fax: (765) 496-1875

E-mail: spedley@purdue.edu

Office: Room 156 RHPH (Robert Heine Pharmacy Building)

Contact Marie Martin-Murphy in the Office of Student Services for information on programs for under-represented populations.

Phone: (765) 494-1364

Fax: (765) 496-1875

E-mail: mmartinm@purdue.edu

Office: Room 156 RHPH (Robert Heine Pharmacy Building)

Contact Steve Myszak in the Office of Student Services for information about pre-pharmacy coursework completed off-campus.

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Office: Room 156 RHPH (Robert Heine Pharmacy Building)

Current Students (website)

Future students (website)

Prospective Graduate Students

The College's graduate programs are administered by three departments in the College - Industrial and Physical Pharmacy, Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology, and Pharmacy Practice (includes Pharmacy Administration). Contact the graduate program in which you are interested. Some faculty in the College participate in the University's interdisciplinary graduate programs, which can be contacted directly.

For general questions, contact Delayne Graham, Administrative Assistant for Graduate Affairs:

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College of Pharmacy Administration

Overview

The Purdue College of Pharmacy, consistently ranked among the 10 best pharmacy programs in the nation, offers a uniquely diverse range of undergraduate and graduate study opportunities. A total of 10 different programs and 700 pharmacy practice experiences prepare students for a range of top-paying careers in the fields of pharmacy, pharmaceutical sciences, and the health sciences.

Undergraduate and Professional Programs

The Purdue College of Pharmacy offers one undergraduate and one professional program:

- The Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences (BSPS) is a four-year undergraduate program that consists of
 multidisciplinary basic sciences related to drug discovery, development, and commercialization. A degree in this
 program does not allow graduates to become licensed pharmacists.
- The Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) is a four-year professional degree program, which requires completion of a
 recognized pre-pharmacy program. Successful completion of this degree allows you to sit for the licensing exam to
 practice pharmacy.

Faculty (website)

College of Pharmacy Administration Website (website)

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Prospective undergraduate and professional students who are interested in visiting the College and learning about programs for under-represented populations are urged to contact the Office of Diversity Initiatives to arrange for their visit.

Students completing their pre-pharmacy coursework off campus should contact Steve Myszak

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Office: Room 156 RHPH (Robert Heine Pharmacy Building)

Doctoral

Pharmacy, Pharm.D

About the Program

The Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm D) is a four-year professional degree. The classroom, lab, and experiential requirements provide students with the educational background to enter any field of pharmacy practice. Upon graduation, students are eligible to take the pharmacy licensing examination. Or they may choose to move on to graduate-level studies in pharmacy or related fields. PharmD graduates may also pursue post-graduate residency programs in general or specialty practice areas. To be considered for entrance into the PharmD program, applicants must have successfully completed Purdue College of Pharmacy's two-year Pre-Doctor of Pharmacy Program or the equivalent coursework at another accredited institution.

Purdue College of Pharmacy is consistently ranked in the top ten pharmacy programs in the U.S. and boasts an extremely distinguished 85-member faculty renowned for both its cutting-edge work in pharmaceutical research and for developing educational curricula used in pharmacy programs around the world. Students benefit from an integrated, hands-on approach, learning valuable lessons not just in classrooms and laboratories, but also in a 10-month series of rotations in hospitals, pharmacies, and other real-world settings for pharmaceutical professionals.

Doing your Pre-Pharmacy work through Purdue's condensed two-year program can save you up to two years of study and student loan debt, as well as get onto the job market two years faster. That's a big part of the reason why Purdue PharmD graduates have less debt upon completion of their degree than PharmD students from any other Big Ten pharmacy program.

College of Pharmacy

Degree Requirements

146.5 Credits Required

Departmental/Program Major Courses (135.5 credits)

Didactic Course Requirements (85.5 credits)

- PHRM 82000 Professional Program Laboratory I
- PHRM 82100 Professional Program Laboratory II
- PHRM 82400 Principles Of Pathophysiology And Drug Action
- PHRM 82500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy I
- PHRM 82600 Introduction To Patient Centered Care
- PHRM 82800 Dosage Forms I
- PHRM 82900 Dosage Forms II
- PHRM 83100 Health Care Systems
- PHRM 83400 Pharmaceutical Calculations
- PHRM 83500 Principles Of Pharmacokinetics
- PHRM 83600 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences II
- PHRM 83800 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience I
- PHRM 83900 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience II
- PHRM 84000 Professional Program Laboratory III
- PHRM 84100 Professional Program Laboratory IV
- PHRM 84400 Integrated Pharmacotherapy II
- PHRM 84500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy III
- PHRM 84700 Principles Of Pharmacogenomics
- PHRM 84800 Principles Of Drug Information And Literature Evaluation
- PHRM 84900 Population Health Management
- PHRM 85200 Public Health Pharmacy
- PHRM 85400 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience III
- PHRM 85500 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience IV
- PHRM 86000 Professional Program Laboratory V
- PHRM 86100 Professional Program Laboratory VI
- PHRM 86400 Integrated Pharmacotherapy IV
- PHRM 86500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy V
- PHRM 86600 Biotech/Advanced Parenteral Dosage Forms
- PHRM 86700 Introduction To The Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience
- PHRM 86800 Patient Safety And Informatics
- PHRM 86900 Practice Management And Marketing Of Professional Services
- PHRM 87000 Health Policy Applications
- PHRM 87100 Jurisprudence
- PHRM 87400 Interprofessional Education Experience V

Experiential Course Requirements (50 credits)

• PHRM 82200 - Pharmacy Skills And Patient Counseling (Completed during the Fall or Spring semester of the P1 year)

- PHRM 84200 Community Pharmacy IPPE (Four week rotation completed either July, August or January of P2 year)
- PHRM 86200 Institutional Pharmacy Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experience (Four week rotation completed either July, August, November or January of P2 year.)
- PHRM 88000 Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience Ten, four week rotations completed completed over the course of eleven months, beginning in May and ending the following April. - The final IPE requirement will be completed in conjunction with APPE rotations.

Electives (11 credits)

• Electives - Credit Hours: 11.00 (6 credits may be taken Pass/No Pass)

Program Requirements

Professional First Year (P1) - Fall

- PHRM 82000 Professional Program Laboratory I
- PHRM 82200 Pharmacy Skills And Patient Counseling May be taken during the Fall or Spring P1 year.
- PHRM 82400 Principles Of Pathophysiology And Drug Action
- PHRM 82600 Introduction To Patient Centered Care
- PHRM 82800 Dosage Forms I
- PHRM 83400 Pharmaceutical Calculations
- PHRM 83600 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences II
- PHRM 83800 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience I

17.5 Credits

Professional First Year (P1) - Spring

- PHRM 82100 Professional Program Laboratory II
- PHRM 82500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy I
- PHRM 82900 Dosage Forms II
- PHRM 83100 Health Care Systems
- PHRM 83500 Principles Of Pharmacokinetics
- PHRM 83900 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience II

15.5 Credits

Professional Second Year (P2)

Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experience (IPPE)

Students complete one four week community pharmacy rotation in July, August or January

• PHRM 84200 - Community Pharmacy IPPE

4 Credits

Professional Second Year (P2) - Fall

- PHRM 84000 Professional Program Laboratory III
- PHRM 84400 Integrated Pharmacotherapy II
- PHRM 84800 Principles Of Drug Information And Literature Evaluation
- PHRM 85200 Public Health Pharmacy
- PHRM 85400 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience III
- Elective Credit Hours: 2.00

16.5 Credits

Professional Second Year (P2) - Spring

- PHRM 84100 Professional Program Laboratory IV
- PHRM 84500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy III
- PHRM 84700 Principles Of Pharmacogenomics
- PHRM 84900 Population Health Management
- PHRM 85500 Interprofessional Education (IPE) Experience IV
- Elective Credit Hours: 4.00

16.5 Credits

Professional Third Year (P3)

Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experience (IPPE)

Students complete one four week institutional pharmacy rotation either in July, August, November or January. IPLA #5 (PHRM 87400) will be completed in conjuction with IPPE.

- PHRM 86200 Institutional Pharmacy Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experience
- PHRM 87400 Interprofessional Education Experience V

4.5 Credits

Professional Third Year (P3) - Fall

- PHRM 86000 Professional Program Laboratory V
- PHRM 86400 Integrated Pharmacotherapy IV
- PHRM 86600 Biotech/Advanced Parenteral Dosage Forms
- PHRM 86800 Patient Safety And Informatics
- PHRM 87000 Health Policy Applications
- Elective Credit Hours: 2.00

16 Credits

Professional Third Year (P3) - Spring

- PHRM 86100 Professional Program Laboratory VI
- PHRM 86500 Integrated Pharmacotherapy V
- PHRM 86700 Introduction To The Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience
- PHRM 86900 Practice Management And Marketing Of Professional Services
- PHRM 87100 Jurisprudence
- Electives Credit Hours: 3.00

16 Credits

Professional Fourth Year (P4)

Complete 10 Four week rotations over the course of 11 months.

- Beginning in May and ending the following April
- Generally, students complete 2 rotations in the summer and 4 rotations in each subsequent semester.
- Interprofessional Learning Anchor (IPLA) #6 will occur longitudinally during APPE year
- 4.00 credits hours x10
- PHRM 88000 Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience Credit Hours: 40.00
- Interprofessional Education Experience VI Credit Hours: 0.00

40 Credits

Notes

- ‡ Completion of pre-pharmacy requirements and admission to the PharmD program required.
- See College of Pharmacy website for admission criteria.
- See your Academic Advisor for assistance in personalizing your plan of study

Critical Course

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Baccalaureate

Pharmaceutical Sciences, BS

About the Program

The B.S. in Pharmaceutical Sciences (BSPS) begins with a foundation of coursework in mathematics and the basic sciences (chemistry, biology, physics). This interdisciplinary program then progresses to advanced coursework in the pharmaceutical sciences, including aspects of drug design and synthesis, mechanisms of drug action, pharmacology and toxicology, dosage formulation, manufacturing, quality assurance, and regulatory compliance. The curriculum also includes elective credits for individual preparation and educational focus.

The BSPS program offers practical experience through internship programs in industry, government agencies, and on-campus research laboratories. Students are encouraged to spend at least one summer in an internship.

The faculty also encourages undergraduate students to engage in mentored laboratory research. Numerous undergraduate research opportunities are available in the Department of Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology and in the Department of Industrial and Physical Pharmacy, during the regular school year and during the summer months as interns. Career path opportunities with a degree in pharmaceutical sciences include entry-level technical positions in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industry; graduate education in pharmaceutical, medical, and basic sciences; and post-baccalaureate professional education in pharmacy, medicine, law, and business. You should recognize that this is not a professional degree program. Completion of the B.S. in Pharmaceutical Sciences degree requirements does not qualify the student for state board examination to become a registered pharmacist.

Pharmaceutical Sciences Website

Pharmaceutical Sciences Major Change (CODO) Requirements

Degree Requirements

120 Credits Required

Departmental/Program Major Courses (45 credits)

- MCMP 20400 Organic Chemistry I ^
- MCMP 20500 Organic Chemistry II ^
- MCMP 20800 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences ^
- MCMP 42200 Immunology ^
- MCMP 54400 Drug Classes And Mechanisms
- PHRM 20100 Bachelor Of Science In The Pharmaceutical Sciences Orientation II
- PHRM 46000 Drug Discovery And Development I
- PHRM 46100 Drug Discovery And Development II
- PHRM 48500 Intercultural And Global Health Issues
- PHRM 82400 Principles Of Pathophysiology And Drug Action
- PHRM 82800 Dosage Forms I
- PHRM 82900 Dosage Forms II
- PHRM 83600 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences II
- Pharmacy Special Interest Selective Credit Hours: 6.00
- Pharmacy Leadership Selective Credit Hours: 3.00

Other Departmental/Program Course Requirements (60-61 credits)

- AGEC 21700 Economics ♦^ (satisfies Human Cultures: Behavioral/Social Science for core)
- BIOL 11000 Fundamentals Of Biology I ◆^ (satisfies Science #1 for core)
- BIOL 11100 Fundamentals Of Biology II ◆^
- BIOL 20300 Human Anatomy And Physiology ◆^
- BIOL 20400 Human Anatomy And Physiology ◆^
- BIOL 22100 Introduction To Microbiology ◆^
- CHM 12901 General Chemistry With A Biological Focus ◆^ (satisfies Science #2 for core)
- CHM 37200 Physical Chemistry ◆
- MA 16010 Applied Calculus I ^ (satisfies Quantitative Reasoning for core)
- MA 16020 Applied Calculus II ^
- PHYS 22000 General Physics ◆^ (satisfies Science for core)
- STAT 30100 Elementary Statistical Methods ◆^ (satisfies Information Literacy for core)
- Human Cultures: Humanities Selective Credit Hours: 3.00 (satisfies Human Cultures: Humanities for core)
- Oral Communication Selective Credit Hours: 3.00 (satisfies Oral Communication for core)
- Professional Writing Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Science, Technology & Society Selective Credit Hours: 3.00 (satisfies Science, Technology & Society for core)
- Written Communication Selective Credit Hours: 3.00-4.00 (satisfies Written Communication for core)

Electives (14-15 credits)

The following courses are optional, but STRONGLY recommended as electives for the following students:

Pharmaceutical Sciences Students & Pre-Doctor of Pharmacy:

PHRM 10000 - Pharmacy Orientation I

Pre-Doctor of Pharmacy Students:

PHRM 20000 - Introduction To Pharmacy And Admissions Process

Additional Requirements

Pharmacy Supplemental Information - Includes Selective Lists: Special Interest; Leadership; and Professional Writing

University Requirements

University Core Requirements

For a complete listing of University Core Course Selectives, visit the **Provost's Website**.

- Human Cultures: Behavioral/Social Science (BSS)
- Human Cultures: Humanities (HUM)
- Information Literacy (IL)
- Oral Communication (OC)
- Quantitative Reasoning (QR)
- Science #1 (SCI)
- Science #2 (SCI)

- Science, Technology, and Society (STS)
- Written Communication (WC)

Civics Literacy Proficiency Requirement:

The Civics Literacy Proficiency activities are designed to develop civic knowledge of Purdue students in an effort to graduate a more informed citizenry.

Students will complete the Proficiency by passing a test of civic knowledge, and completing one of three paths:

- Attending six approved civics-related events and completing an assessment for each; or
- Completing 12 podcasts created by the Purdue Center for C-SPAN Scholarship and Engagement that use C-SPAN
 material and completing an assessment for each; or
- Earning a passing grade for one of these approved courses (or transferring in approved AP or departmental credit in lieu of taking a course)

For more information visit the Civics Literacy Proficiency website.

Prerequisite Information:

For current pre-requisites for courses, click here.

Program Requirements

Fall 1st Year

- BIOL 11000 Fundamentals Of Biology I ◆ ^
- CHM 12901 General Chemistry With A Biological Focus ◆^
- MA 16010 Applied Calculus I ^ ◆^
- Written Communication Selective[^] Credit Hours: 3.00-4.00
 BSPS students are advised to take ENGL 10600, ENGL 10800, SCLA 10100 or HONR 19903 to meet pre-requisite for Professional Writing Selective.
- Elective Credit Hours: 1.00 (Students are STRONGLY recommended to take PHRM 10000 Pharmacy Orientation I)

16-17 Credits

Spring 1st Year

- BIOL 11100 Fundamentals Of Biology II ◆^
- MCMP 20400 Organic Chemistry I ◆[^]
- MA 16020 Applied Calculus II ◆^ ◆^
- Oral Communication Selective[^] Credit Hours: 3.00

14 Credits

Fall 2nd Year

AGEC 21700 - Economics ◆^

- BIOL 20300 Human Anatomy And Physiology ◆^
- MCMP 20500 Organic Chemistry II
- BIOL 22100 Introduction To Microbiology ◆[^]
- Elective Credit Hours: 1.00 (Pre-pharmacy students are STRONGLY encouraged to take PHRM 20000 Introduction To Pharmacy And Admissions Process)

16 Credits

Spring 2nd Year

- BIOL 20400 Human Anatomy And Physiology ◆^
- MCMP 20800 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences
- MCMP 42200 Immunology
- PHYS 22000 General Physics ◆[^]
- STAT 30100 Elementary Statistical Methods ◆^

17 Credits

Fall 3rd Year

- PHRM 82400 Principles Of Pathophysiology And Drug Action
- PHRM 82800 Dosage Forms I
- PHRM 83600 Biochemistry For Pharmaceutical Sciences II
- Professional Writing Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Human Cultures: Humanities Selective Credit Hours: 3.00

14 Credits

Spring 3rd Year

- CHM 37200 Physical Chemistry ◆
- PHRM 20100 Bachelor Of Science In The Pharmaceutical Sciences Orientation II
- PHRM 82900 Dosage Forms II
- Pharmacy Special Interest Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Elective Credit Hours: 4.00-5.00

14-15 Credits

Fall 4th Year

- PHRM 46000 Drug Discovery And Development I
- Pharmacy Leadership Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Pharmacy Special Interest Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Science, Technology & Society Selective Credit Hours: 3.00
- Elective Credit Hours: 2.00

14 Credits

Spring 4th Year

- MCMP 54400 Drug Classes And Mechanisms
- PHRM 46100 Drug Discovery And Development II
- PHRM 48500 Intercultural And Global Health Issues
- Elective Credit Hours: 6.00

14 Credits

Notes

- (^) Meets Pre-Doctor of Pharmacy Requirements
- See pharmacy advisor to develop a personalized plan of study

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Department of Industrial and Physical Pharmacy

Overview

The Department of Industrial & Physical Pharmacy (IPPH) is involved in teaching and research in pharmaceutics, with emphasis on the following three minors: industrial pharmacy, pharmacokinetics/biopharmaceutics, and physical pharmacy.

Welcome to the Purdue University Department of Industrial and Physical Pharmacy! This is the place to find out more about our department's ongoing research, graduate degree programs, recent news and upcoming events.

Our mission is:

- to educate and train students to become leading pharmaceutical scientists and pharmacists
- to advance scientific discovery and development, with an emphasis on pharmaceutical formulation, manufacturing and drug delivery, and

• to contribute to the advancement of the pharmaceutical sciences through outreach and public service.

We're an academic department within the College of Pharmacy, located in the R. E. Heine Pharmacy Building (RHPH) on the main (West Lafayette) campus of Purdue University. For contact information, please see the Administration page.

Eric J. Munson, PH.D.

Dane O. Kildsig Chair and Department Head

Dept. of Industrial and Physical Pharmacy

Faculty (website)

College of Pharmacy Administration Website (website)

Department of Industrial and Physical Pharmacy (website)

Contact Information

Industrial and Physical Pharmacy

Postal address:

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Campus Mail Address:

IPPH, RHPH

Graduate Information

For Graduate Information please see Industrial and Physical Pharmacy Graduate Program Information .

Department of Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology

Overview

The mission of the Department of Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology (MCMP) is to serve the citizens of Indiana, the United States and the world through discovery, learning and engagement that integrates the basic chemical and biological sciences for the improvement of human health. The Department of MCMP is an academic department in the College of Pharmacy. It is located in the R. E. Heine Pharmacy Building (RHPH) and in the Arthur E. Hansen Building (HANS) on the main (West Lafayette) campus of Purdue University.

Faculty (website)

Department of Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology (website)

Contact Information

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Campus Mail Address

MCMP, RHPH

Main Office

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Graduate Program Inquiry

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Graduate Information

For Graduate Information please see Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology Graduate Program Information.

Department of Pharmacy Practice

Overview

The Department of Pharmacy Practice (PHPR) at Purdue University is an academic department in the College of Pharmacy. It is located in the R. E. Heine Pharmacy Building on the main (West Lafayette) campus of the University and also has facilities in Sidney & Lois Eskenazi Hospital on the Indiana University Medical Center campus in Indianapolis. See the Administration page for information on how to contact the Department of Pharmacy Practice.

The mission of the Department of Pharmacy Practice is to demonstrate excellence through performance in the areas of discovery, learning, and engagement. The Department consists of 20 tenure-track faculty, 22 clinical faculty, and over 600 affiliate faculty preceptors. Many faculty practice in specialized areas such as: drug information, critical care, ambulatory medicine, cardiology, outcomes research, infectious disease, pharmacokinetics/pharmacodynamics, managed care, and pharmacy administration.

The experience and knowledge of the faculty of the Department of Pharmacy Practice enable professional degree students to receive excellent didactic and experiential training necessary to become well-rounded practitioners. The professional curriculum includes general, scientific, and patient centered content that prepares Doctor of Pharmacy graduates to deliver effective and cost-efficient pharmaceutical care.

The Department of Pharmacy Practice supports the College of Pharmacy's vision by:

- Providing education to students that enables them to acquire in-depth expertise in the pharmaceutical, social/economic
 management, and related sciences in order to function as educators and scientists in higher education, government
 service, and the pharmaceutical and healthcare industries
- Serving the community by engaging in scholarly activities that lead to improvements in healthcare delivery and enhance health outcomes
- Fostering innovation in research through interdisciplinary collaboration with other schools/colleges within Purdue, other national/international universities, and pharmacy practitioners to enhance to profession body of knowledge resulting in practice advancement
- Contributing to the profession of pharmacy by participation in leadership roles in pharmaceutical organizations and community programs

The Department also has extensive research opportunities for graduate and post-graduate pharmacists leading to M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in either Clinical Pharmaceutical Sciences or Health Services Outcomes and Policy. The Graduate Academic Program is directed toward the education and maturation of pharmacists in principles and techniques of research dealing with problems in the clinical, administrative, and educational aspects of pharmacy. These programs also encourage students to develop sound teaching techniques through appropriate coursework and supervised experience.

Pharmaceutical Sciences Website

Graduate Information

For Graduate Information please see Pharmacy Practice Graduate Program Information.