DOCTOR OF PHARMACY (PharmD)

A Degree in Pharmacy. A Future of Possibilities.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In every discipline, our students learn to treat the whole person by considering the physical, environmental and psychological aspects of a health issue. As the role of the pharmacist continues to expand in today's world, PCOM students are educated and trained to succeed in many capacities.

OUR PHARMACY STUDENTS EARN A FOUR-YEAR DOCTOR OF PHARMACY DEGREE (PHARMD)

The PharmD program equips students with the advanced skills and knowledge needed to work in a variety of healthcare settings, including hospitals and healthcare systems, clinics, managed care, specialty compounding pharmacies, mail order or pharmaceutical wholesalers, healthcare and government agencies, community or retail practice, and pharmaceutical marketing, research and industry. Wherever you want your studies to take you, PCOM will help you get there.

OUR GRADUATES HAVE AN ADVANTAGE WHEN APPLYING TO JOBS AFTER GRADUATION, WITH SKILLS IN MOTIVATIONAL INTERVIEWING, GROUP FACILITATION AND MINDFULNESS.

Diversity, equity and inclusion remain at the forefront of our mission. PCOM actively nurtures an environment of curiosity and respect, promoting the discovery and celebration of our differences.

OUR PATIENT CARE SKILLS LABS HELP STUDENTS DEVELOP PATIENT ASSESSMENT, MEDICATION MANAGEMENT AND PATIENT COUNSELING SKILLS.

- WITH A LOW FACULTY-TO-STUDENT RATIO, STUDENTS RECEIVE FOCUSED ATTENTION FROM EDUCATORS WHO ARE INVESTED IN THEIR SUCCESS.
- MODERN LABORATORIES ALLOW STUDENTS TO DEVELOP SKILLS SUCH AS COMPOUNDING MEDICINES AND PREPARING STERILE PRODUCTS.
- PHARMACY STUDENTS PRACTICE COUNSELING SKILLS USING REAL-LIFE STANDARDIZED PATIENTS.
- PHARMACY STUDENTS ATTEND SIDE-BY-SIDE LEARNING SESSIONS WITH MEDICAL STUDENTS IN AN INTERPROFESSIONAL COURSE SERIES.

SCAN HERE TO APPLY!

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Our students experience a diverse and hands-on learning environment, fostered by faculty that help them attain their career goals.

During the PharmD program's first three professional years, the curriculum includes didactic coursework, laboratory studies and experiential clerkship training. Our students gain essential real-world training through Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPEs) in community and hospital settings. Students also receive hands-on training early in the program in our multiple pharmacy practice, interprofessional simulation, and pharmaceutical compounding labs. We also provide students the opportunity to pursue a Master of Business Administration (MBA) in Pharmaceutical Marketing, a Master of Science in Health Informatics (MSHI) in Health Informatics or a Master of Business Administration (MBA) while completing their PharmD.

During the third year, students have the opportunity to develop a concentration through their elective courses in areas such as Acute Care, Ambulatory Care, and Managed Care, whereas many fourth-year students complete their Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience (APPE) rotations at major health systems.

LOCATION

Located in Suwanee, Georgia, just outside of Atlanta, our main campus features active-learning classrooms, large and small lecture halls, conference areas and study spaces. This space also houses research and multiuse basic science laboratories, an anatomy laboratory, a simulation center, two pharmacy practice labs, a compounding laboratory and a large osteopathic manipulative medicine practice suite.

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To find out more about our admissions requirements or to apply, please visit pcom.edu/admissions.

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