

BECOMEA #HUSKYPHARMACIST

A Legacy of Excellence

Our training inspires lifelong learning, promotes impactful health education and care, and prepares diverse, collaborative and patient-centered pharmacists.



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Why Pharmacy At UW?

• Work directly with patients in clinics to manage their medications to achieve successful health outcomes

• Make rounds with hospital medical teams to help them make the best decisions about medical therapy for each patient

• Review medication regimens for patients in home health or long-term care to optimize the safety and effectiveness of their therapies

• Consult with mental health professionals on prescribing medications for conditions like anxiety, depression, ADHD, schizophrenia, and more

• Advise health insurers and health systems to make the most cost-effective decisions about coverage for medications for the patients they serve

• Offer access to urgent medications and self-care advice to patients in need in your community

Global Leaders



UW PharmD students were the first health professionals in Washington to deliver COVID vaccines. Our students are on the cutting edge of health care.



Collaborative drug therapy management helps make Washington the most progressive state in the country for pharmacy practice.



Reuters ranked UW as the most innovative public university. Our culture of innovation puts graduates at the head of the pack for career placement, and residency.



Top **10%** NAPLEX pass rate for the last decade.



The 2024 National School of Pharmacy rankings, compiled by the *Pharmacy Technician Guide*, placed the UW School of Pharmacy at **#8 out of 130 schools/colleges evaluated across the nation.**



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PharmD Benefits

- •UW PharmD students begin clinical practice experiences during the first year of the program. Advanced experiences begin during the spring quarter of the third year. In total, our students complete more hours of clinical training than students of any other PharmD program in the region.
- •Our PharmD students work alongside UW medical, nursing, dental, social work and public health students. We are internationally known for our interprofessional education activities.
- •UW PharmD students complete more elective courses than students at any other PharmD program in the country. This allows students to work with our world-renowned faculty in multiple areas of expertise including reproductive health, gender-affirming care, nutrition, infectious disease, geriatrics, diabetes, mental health, drug metabolism, and more!
- •We're the only PharmD Program in Seattle a vibrant, diverse, international city that is home to some of the largest employers in the world. Outside of the classroom, our students have easy access to world class cuisine, mountains, hiking, and the ocean.

How To Apply

All application materials are submitted through PharmCAS (Pharmcas.org). Admissions decisions are based on a holistic review of all application materials including:

- Academic history
- Successful completion of prerequisite coursework (see our website for our prerequisite database)
- Two letters of recommendation
- PharmCAS essaus
- Interview with UW PharmD faculty
- Background and experience

Specialized Education Options

Certificates allow students to develop specialized expertise by completing a defined set of courses in a specific subject area without adding any time to the degree.

- •Geriatrics
- •Biomedical Regulatory Affairs
- •Clinical Trials

Dual-degrees are concurrent programs that allow you to earn two degrees in an expedited timeframe compared to completing them separately. •PharmD/Masters of Business Administration (MBA)

•PharmD/Physician Assistant (PA)

