

Application Guide: For Pharmacy Professional Program (Pharm.D)

Muskegon Community College

Pre-Pharmacy Requirements for entry into the Doctor of Pharmacy Program for those applying for the entry in Fall, 2017 and beyond.

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Please read this information in its entirety. The information contained here supersedes any information leaflets or brochures provided by other colleges and universities and previous editions of the application or transfer guides.

The courses listed below are the ones that best meet the pre-pharmacy requirements for our program based on the information available from the university/college course catalog and third-party catalog providers. Similar or more advanced courses may be acceptable. Recommended courses and requirements are subject to change without notice. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that courses taken at another university or college meet the requirements set by Ferris College of Pharmacy and that they are utilizing the proper updated application guide. **If the information contained in this guide conflicts with previous versions of this Application Guide (e.g. Pre-Pharmacy Academic Year 2015), please contact our office to clarify if it applies to you.**

Admissions to the Doctor of Pharmacy program is competitive, therefore completion of the pre-requisites does not guarantee admissions to the College of Pharmacy. Applicants should ascertain the availability of remaining prerequisites prior to application to ensure all of the required pre-pharmacy coursework can be completed prior to entry into the Doctor of Pharmacy program (if granted). Consult our admissions website for complete information on requirements, deadlines, course completion timeframe, PCAT, AP/CLEP credit, etc at:

<http://www.ferris.edu/HTMLS/colleges/pharmacy/admissions/homepage.htm>

Pre-Pharmacy Requirements Applicable to Fall 2017 and beyond	Semester Hours Required	Recommended Courses
General Biology with laboratory	8	BIOL103, BIOL104
Anatomy & Physiology with laboratory	7	BIOL105, BIOL106
Microbiology with laboratory	3	BIOL207, BIOL207A
Inorganic Chemistry with laboratory	8-10	CHEM101LEC, CHEM101A, CHEM102LEC, CHEM102A
Organic Chemistry with laboratory	8-10	CHEM201E, CHEM201F, CHEM202F, CHEM202G
Calculus	3-4	MATH161
Biochemistry	3-4	Can not be fulfilled here.
Genetics	3	Can not be fulfilled here.
Statistics	3	MATH115
Physics	4	PHYS201 or PHYS203
English Composition	6	ENG101, ENG102
Economics (macroeconomics preferred)	3	ECON101A or ECON102A
Public Speaking	3	COM101 or COM201
Psychology or Sociology	3	PSYC201 or SOC101
Cultural Enrichment (see General Education on next page.)	9	9 semester credit hours including a 200 level or higher

No grades lower than a C (2.0) will be accepted for meeting the Pre-Pharmacy Requirements

General Education – Cultural Enrichment

The University's general education program requires a minimum of 9 semester credit hours from the following subject areas/courses: Architecture, Art, Art History, Creative Writing, Foreign Language, History, Humanities, Literature, Music and Theater. Religion, ethics and philosophy courses may satisfy this requirement. One of these courses must transfer into FSU at a 200 level or higher. (Note: No more than 5 hours of Music/Theater activity courses can count toward fulfillment of this requirement).

The information contained in this application guide is only intended to provide additional guidance and course recommendations for the college/university listed above. It is not intended to provide all admission policies or criteria. Visit our website (<http://www.ferris.edu/HTMLS/colleges/pharmacy/admissions/homepage.htm>) for complete information about the application process and admission criteria.

Ferris State University College of Pharmacy is accredited by the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education to offer the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm. D.) program.

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