

Admission Checklists

For High School Students:

1. Take all of the math and science classes you can, including physics.
2. Join a science/health professions club.
3. Talk to a counselor about college requirements.
4. Visit with a pharmacist.
5. Develop good study skills.
6. Visit college/university campuses.
7. Attend college orientation.

For Freshmen and Undergraduate Transfer Students:

1. Stay in contact with your college's pre-health or pre-pharmacy adviser.
2. Summer school should be used for courses other than math and science.
3. Though not required, a human anatomy and physiology course could be beneficial.
4. Seek assistance from a professor; take advantage of tutoring and other support services available on campus.
5. Undergraduate transfer hours from other colleges and universities for purposes of admission as an undergraduate transfer student are limited to 66 freshman and sophomore level credit hours, as determined by UH.
6. To become acclimated to the university, take advanced math and sciences at a four-year institution.
7. Participate in community service.
8. Pharmacy experience is highly encouraged.

For Applicants:

1. Register and prepare for the July or September PCAT. The College recommends scores in the 75th percentile or higher in all areas. Please request a score report be sent to PharmCAS (code number 104).
2. Begin obtaining three references. The letters of reference are to be submitted through PharmCAS.
 - A. One letter of reference must be completed by a licensed pharmacist practicing or having practiced in the U.S.
 - B. One letter of reference must be completed by an academic advisor or professor.
 - C. One letter of reference must be completed by a second professor or supervisor/employer.
3. Prepare yourself for an interview and assessments, if requested.
4. Keep in touch with the College of Pharmacy Student Services Office and the College of Pharmacy website for up-to-date information.
5. Read through all instructions carefully when completing your PharmCAS application.
6. Continue to periodically check the status of your PharmCAS application online to ensure that all application credentials have been received.

Application Deadline

The application deadline for the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) Program is **January 5, 2012**. The application for the 2012 academic year has been available since August 1, 2011. The Pharm D. program only intakes new students in the fall semester.

If you wish to apply to the Pharm.D. program for fall 2012, please check this Web site for future updates:

www.pharmacy.uh.edu

Applications submitted well before the deadline are strongly encouraged.