

Doctor of Pharmacy Program Highlights 2021

Accreditation Status

The UH College of Pharmacy aspires to foster a commitment to lifelong learning and an environment where students develop the knowledge, attitudes and skills consistent with the high standards of their profession and/or scientific field. Our college is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE). The University of Houston College of Pharmacy was most recently accredited in 2017 by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education, 20 North Clark Street, Suite 2500, Chicago, IL 60602-5109, 312-664-3575; FAX 312-664-4652, web site: www.acpe-accredit.org.

On-Time Graduation Rates

Class	Year of Program Entry	On Time Graduation % (N)	Voluntary Withdrawal % (N)	Academic or Other Suspension % (N)
2021	2017	93% (120/129)	2.3% (3)	4.7% (6)
2020	2016	80.6% (104/129)	3.1% (4)	2.3% (3)
2019	2015	90.6% (115/127)	3.1% (4)	1.6% (2)
2018	2014	83.2% (104/125)	4.8% (6)	0.8% (1)
2017	2013	80% (100/125)	0.8% (1)	3.2% (4)
2016	2012	83.6% (92/110)	3.64 (4)	5.4% (6)
2015	2011	89.3% (100/112)	2.68% (3)	2.68% (3)
2014	2010	86.11% (93/108)	0.92% (1)	1.9% (2)
2013	2009	80.18% (89/111)	1.8% (2)	6.3% (7)

NAPLEX and MPJE First Attempt Passing Rates

Year	Exam	Number Taking Exam	% UHCOP pass rate	% National pass rate
2020	NAPLEX	107	96.26	88.43
	MPJE	98	96.94	84.59
2019	NAPLEX	124	97.58	88.34
	MPJE	126	96.03	82.23

2018	NAPLEX	115	97.39	89.46
	MPJE	110	98.18	82.58
2017	NAPLEX	104	99.04	87.95
	MPJE	99	96	84.89
2016	NAPLEX	94	94.68	85.86
	MPJE	101	99.01	85.13
2015	NAPLEX	105	98.10	92.64
	MPJE	100	100	93.97

Capstone Testing Results

The Pharmacy Curriculum Outcomes Assessment (PCOA) which is a standardized exam for pharmacy curriculums produced and administered by the National Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) is utilized in the P1 and P2 years as a formative assessment. In the P3 year, the PCOA is a high stakes exam and the students accomplish minimum competency in order to progress to their Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences (APPEs).

P3 Class (N)	Class Percentile	National Scaled Score	Class Ave Scaled Score	Number Progressing to APPEs on time %
P3 Class 2021 (N=113)	55 th	345	351	100%
P3 Class 2020 (N=138)	64 th	344	362	100%
P3 Class 2019 (N=114)	71 st	348	374	98%
P3 Class 2018 (N=130)	64 TH	352	371	92.3%
P3 Class 2017 (N=122)	72 nd	354	405	95.9%
P3 Class 2016 (N=108)	75 th	358	403	98%
P3 Class 2015 (N=109)	65 th	357	388	100%
P3 Class 2014 (N=113)	56 th	361	388	98%
P3 Class 2013 (N=109)	75 th	361	405	100%

Pharm.D. Residency and Employment

Class (N)	Community % (N)	Hospital % (N)	Post Graduate Training % (N)	Other % (N)	Unemployed % (N)
Class of 2021 (N=136)	31.6% (43)	4.5% (6)	40.4% (55)	10.3% (14)	13.2% (18)
Class of 2020 (N=109)	29.4% (32)	0% (0)	39.4% (43)	19.3% (21)	12.8% (14)
Class of 2019 (N = 130)	35.4% (46)	5.4% (7)	29.2% (38)	22.3% (29)	7.7% (10)
Class of 2018 (N = 119)	43.7% (52)	1.7% (2)	25.2% (30)	24.4% (29)	5.0 % (6)
Class of 2017 (N=99)	46.5% (46)	16.2% (16)	22.2% (22)	32.3% (32)	5% (5)
Class of 2016 (N=97)	39.2% (38)	18.6% (18)	23.7% (23)	34.0% (33) ^a	3.0% (3)
Class of 2015 (N=108)	47.2% (51)	17.6% (19)	16.7 % (18)	30.6% (33)	4.6% (5)
Class of 2014 (N=97)	45.4% (44)	13.4% (13)	23.7% (23)	36.1% (35)*	3.1% (3)
Class of 2013 (N=94)	53.1 % (50)	5.3 % (5)	22.3% (21)	17% (16)	2.13% (2)

**Some students work in multiple settings, so totals may equal more than 100%*

Additional Highlights

National & Regional Highlights:

<http://www.uh.edu/pharmacy/news-and-events/events/>

<http://www.uh.edu/pharmacy/news-and-events/publications/>