

Pre-Pharmacy @ USC Lancaster

Students can complete the pre-requisites for admission to pharmacy school in 2 years at USCL. If the student needs more time or wants to spread out the coursework, the program can be completed in 3 years. A Bachelor's Degree is not necessary for admission. Students can be accepted into Pharmacy school and move directly from USCL to the Pharm. D. Program, which is an additional 4 years after USCL (total of 6 years if following the 2-year plan). A sample pre-pharmacy curriculum is given below.

Fall Year 1:

CHEM 111/111L – General Chemistry I w/ lab
BIOL 101/101L – Biological Principles I w/ lab
ENGL 101 – English Composition I
MATH 122 – Business Calculus
HIST 108 – Science & Technology in History*
Job shadow/talk with Pharmacists

Spring Year 1:

CHEM 112/112L – General Chemistry II w/ lab
BIOL 102/102L – Biological Principles II w/ lab
ENGL 102 – English Composition II
STAT 201 – Elementary Statistics
ECON 224 – Introduction to Economics
Job shadow/talk with Pharmacists

Summer Year 1:

BIOL 250/250L – Microbiology w/ lab
Take PCAT (first attempt)
Visit Pharmacy Schools/ start application process

Fall Year 2:

Take PCAT by November (second attempt)
Complete Pharmacy School Applications (early fall)
CHEM 333/331L – Organic Chemistry I w/ lab
BIOL 243/243L – Anatomy & Physiology I w/ lab
PHYS 201/201L – General Physics I w/ lab
SPCH 140 – Public Communication
PSYC 101 – Introduction to Psychology

Spring Year 2:

Interview with Pharmacy Schools
Receive decision letter from Pharmacy Schools
CHEM 334/332L – Organic Chemistry II w/lab
BIOL 244/244L – Anatomy & Physiology II w/lab
CHEM 550/550L – Biochemistry w/ lab**
SOC 101 – Introduction to Sociology*
ARTE 101 – Introduction to Art*

Liberal art electives vary by pharmacy school

*** Optional*

Area Pharmacy Schools:

University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy: <http://www.sccp.sc.edu/>

Wingate University School of Pharmacy: <https://www.wingate.edu/majors-programs/school-of-pharmacy/>

Presbyterian College School of Pharmacy: <http://pharmacy.presby.edu/>

South University School of Pharmacy: <https://www.southuniversity.edu/areas-of-study/pharmacy>

Medical University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy: <https://academicdepartments.musc.edu/cop>