What to Expect

PHAR 105   INTRODUCTION TO PHARMACY

This is a general course preview. The actual course syllabus may change each term.

Course Details

Format

• 15-week course
• Not self-paced: Assignments have specific weekly deadlines
• Students login when convenient

Orientation

Before Class Begins

• New students must complete an online student orientation in Blackboard BEFORE the class begins.
• Students will be emailed a login link.
• Allow 2 hours to complete.

Email

• New students must set-up a Concordia email account
• During a term, all communication is through college email

Attendance

• Attendance is recorded when a discussion or assignment is posted.
• Login at least 5 times per week.

Payment

• Students are emailed an invoice
• Payments are made online
• Concordia processes invoices for state funded students.

Learner Objectives:

1. Discuss historical background of the profession of pharmacy
2. Describe the role of the pharmacist in multiple unique practice settings
3. Describe the role of the pharmacy technician
4. List the 5 rights of medication delivery
5. Explain the process of drug discovery and development
6. Understand the basics of pharmacy law
7. Describe pharmacy education from admission to post-graduate training
8. Discuss pharmacists’ impact on patient care

Counts as... PHAR 105 is an introductory course in the school of Pharmacy.

Course Description: Intro to pharmacy is an online, introductory course intended for undergraduate students who are interested in the profession of pharmacy, regardless of previous experience in the profession. This course is designed to help you understand the progressive world of pharmacy and the profound impact pharmacists have on patient care. Whether you are considering pharmacy as a potential career path or are just interested in the subject, this course will open your eyes to the exciting profession of pharmacy. This course will introduce you to the history of pharmacy, the pharmacist’s and technician’s role in patient care, drug discovery, pharmacy law, and many other important pharmacy topics.

1 credit hour.

Grading

The assessments for this course are being revised.
The gradebook categories will be posted in the course syllabus.

Technology Requirements

Hardware

• Students need a laptop or desktop with reliable broadband internet access.
• The Blackboard App should be used on tablets and mobile devices.
• (Some courses) Camera & microphone may be needed for video conferencing.
• Speakers or headphones.

Browser

• Concordia uses Blackboard Learn which runs best in Firefox or Chrome.
• Disable pop-up blockers and ENABLE cookies.
• Check your browser compliance at: bit.ly/cuwaacheck
  Errors are OK if they are for compliance of Java, Shockwave, and Flash.

Software

• A word processor is required. Office, Pages, Google docs will work.
• Some courses will require presentation or video software (PowerPoint or equivalent).
• Students have FREE access to Microsoft Office 365 (download / instructions)
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