



## Appalachian College of Pharmacy

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**Special Features:** The Appalachian College of Pharmacy located in Southwest Virginia offers a three-year Doctor of Pharmacy program, and is committed to serving the needs of rural and underserved communities in Appalachia as well as throughout the world.

**Campus Setting:** The campus is located in Oakwood, Virginia and offers a tranquil setting for pharmacy studies and easy access to outdoor recreation.

### Fast Facts

Founded	2003
Board Passage	95.89%
Enrollment	212
Student/Faculty Ratio	8:1
Student Organizations	10

### Admissions

<http://www.acp.edu/domestic-application/> and  
<http://www.acp.edu/international-application/>

PharmCAS application and supplemental application at

<http://www.acp.edu/supplemental-application/> deadline is March 1, 2017

Supplemental application	no fee
Seat deposits	\$1,000
PCAT test score required	

### Tuition and cost

<http://www.acp.edu/tuition-and-fees/>

Year	Class of 2020
Tuition	\$34,800 Academic year*
Fees	\$3,000 Academic year*

\*Subject to change

Indirect costs including housing, food, utilities, and other incidentals are estimated at \$21,300 annually. Direct Loans, Graduate PLUS and private loans, scholarships and grants are used toward fulfilling the cost of attendance.

### Accreditation

ACP is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE).

ACP is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award the Doctor of Pharmacy degree.

ACP is certified to operate in Virginia by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV).

### Experiential Education

<http://www.acp.edu/experiential-education/>

The experiential curriculum complements the didactic curriculum and is designed to provide students with the confidence, knowledge, skills, and attitude required to function as competent and professional pharmacy practitioners. The experiential curriculum is divided into three parts of sequentially increasing levels of sophistication in competencies and outcomes expectations - Early Pharmacy Practice Experience (EPPE), Core Pharmacy Practice Experience (CPPE), and Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience (APPE). Both EPPE and CPPE comprise the Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences for ACP.

### Community Service

<http://www.acp.edu/community-service-program/>

Through the Pharmacists in Community Service Program (the "PICS Program"), all students participate in at least 150 hours of community service over their three year enrollment in the Doctor of Pharmacy program. The majority of the volunteer effort focuses on healthcare disparities in the Appalachian region.



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### Curriculum

<http://www.acp.edu/course-catalog/>

ACP offers a sequence of courses designed to lead to a doctor of pharmacy degree which requires completion of at least 140 credit hours of course work, including approximately 1760 hours of experiential coursework. In addition, a student must obtain a cumulative grade point average of C or better in order to begin experiential rotations and to graduate.

The professional curriculum is intended to produce generalist pharmacists proficient in all professional and educational competencies as set forth in the College's "Educational Outcomes and Competencies" statements. The curriculum will educate and develop the necessary knowledge and skills based on sound basic and clinical science, professional skills, attitudes, and values in a student-centered, cooperative active learning environment. Students will learn to integrate and apply these skills to the practice and advancement of the profession of pharmacy.

The basic outline of the curriculum is: 1) a foundational sciences component in which the majority of the basic biomedical sciences, pharmaceuticals, social and behavioral sciences, jurisprudence, basic therapy and advanced pharmacotherapeutics, and electives are taught; and 2) the experiential curriculum which includes the Introductory and Advanced Pharmacy Practice experiences, and the Pharmacists in the Community Service component (150 hours required but non-credit). The Doctor of Pharmacy curriculum is designed to be successfully completed in a three year program that runs through the calendar year. The curriculum is designed to deliver a combination of faculty delivered didactic lectures, student centered, active learning and problem solving activities and experiential educational activities that emphasize the achievement of the professional competencies and outcome expectations of the curriculum.

### Faculty

<http://www.acp.edu/faculty-staff-2/>

The Appalachian College of Pharmacy (College) has a qualified team of 28 full-time faculty members, which ensure the quality and integrity of the educational program and support the research, service, and outreach missions of the College. All faculty members participate in the delivery of the curriculum, mentoring, student advising, committee work, scholarly activity, professional development, and community service. Faculty members are provided professional development opportunities and are appropriately educated and trained to deliver the assigned material.

### Library

<http://www.acp.edu/services-policies/>

ACP's Library and Learning Resource Center provides information resources necessary to support ACP's mission of improving the quality of life in Central Appalachia. ACP is here to assist you with your pharmacy education, please contact the college for additional information.