

PHARMACY

Empowering Future Pharmacists with Knowledge, Skill, and Compassion

Programmes

- M. Pharmacy
- B. Pharmacy
- D. Pharmacy





Approvals

- Government of Maharashtra A State Private University
- · Pharmacy Council of India (PCI)
- University Grants Commission (UGC)
- Association of Indian Universities (AIU, New Delhi)
 (Authorized to Design Curriculum, Conduct Examinations, and Award Degrees)

Rankings and Recognition











USPs at VU

Curriculum

- NEP 2020-aligned curriculum integrating pharmaceutical sciences with healthcare and industry practices.
- Strong foundation in pharmaceutics, pharmacology, pharmaceutical chemistry, and pharmacognosy.
- Interdisciplinary modules including biotechnology, regulatory affairs, clinical pharmacy, and pharmacovigilance.
- Regular curriculum revisions in line with Pharmacy Council of India (PCI) guidelines and global trends.
- Emphasis on practical skill-building, drug formulation, analysis, and ethical pharmaceutical care.
- PG specialization in fields such as Pharmaceutics and Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance.

Pedagogy

- Hands-on learning through laboratory experiments, formulation labs, and clinical training.
- Problem-solving and case-based learning to simulate pharmaceutical scenarios.
- Research-led teaching encouraging mini-projects, dissertations, and publication opportunities.
- Flipped classroom and blended learning models using digital simulations and e-labs.
- Focus on professional ethics, patient counselling, and social responsibility.

Industry Connection & Practical Exposure

- Internships in pharmaceutical manufacturing units, hospitals, R&D labs, and medical stores.
- MOUs with pharma companies, hospitals, and clinical research organizations.
- Guest lectures and seminars by industry experts, regulators, and hospital pharmacists.
- Live projects, plant visits, and exposure to GMP, GLP, and regulatory compliance.
- Industry mentorship and support for entrepreneurship in pharma marketing, production, or retail pharmacy.

Specializations & Career Paths

- Career pathways in drug research, formulation, quality assurance, hospital pharmacy, and clinical trials.
- Opportunities in pharmacovigilance, regulatory affairs, sales
 & marketing, academia, and healthcare analytics.
- Guidance for GPAT, Drug Inspector, Pharmacist License, and higher education abroad.

- Entrepreneurship support for starting community pharmacies, wholesale/distribution businesses, or consultancy.
- Alumni successfully placed in top pharma companies, healthcare institutions, and government roles.

Infrastructure & Learning Resources

- PCI-approved laboratories for pharmaceutics, pharmacology, chemistry, microbiology, and biotechnology.
- Instrumentation lab equipped with UV spectrophotometer, dissolution apparatus, HPLC, and other industry-standard tools.
- Digital library access with Pharmacopeias, scientific journals, and research databases.
- Drug museum, herbal garden, and model pharmacy setup for real-life learning.
- ICT-enabled classrooms and seminar halls for technical discussions and workshops.

Skill & Personality Development

- Training in prescription handling, patient interaction, and counselling skills.
- Communication workshops for drug information services and healthcare documentation.
- Sessions on medical ethics, soft skills, and pharmacoeconomics.
- Leadership training for pharmacy management and healthcare entrepreneurship.
- Support for personal growth through mentorship, value education, and professional grooming.

Global Exposure & Certifications

 International learning modules in regulatory practices and pharmaceutical technology.



- Value-added certifications in pharmacovigilance, clinical research, medical coding, and drug regulatory affairs.
- Online modules and micro-credentials through industry partnerships and global learning platforms.
- · Opportunities to participate in international conferences and online pharma conclaves.

Student Life & Campus Culture

- · Active Pharmacy Student Council and professional clubs (e.g., IPA, NSS unit).
- · Organization of PharmaFest, World Pharmacist Day, and National Pharmacy Week.
- Intercollegiate competitions, health camps, and community awareness drives.
- · Participation in innovation challenges, research symposia, and poster presentations.
- Inclusive campus culture encouraging professional values and social contribution.

Alumni & Success Stories

- · Graduates working in top pharmaceutical MNCs, clinical research organizations, and healthcare setups.
- · Students clearing GPAT and pursuing higher education in premier Indian and global universities.

- · Entrepreneurs running successful pharmacies, manufacturing units, and distribution chains.
- · Alumni contributing to public health, medical writing, and regulatory documentation.
- · Strong alumni network supporting internships, mentorships, and job placements.

Eligibility, Fees & Admission

- D.Pharm: 10+2 with PCB/PCM as per PCI norms.
- · B.Pharm: 10+2 with minimum 45% (40% for reserved categories), and relevant entrance exam (MH-CET or equivalent).
- · M.Pharm: B.Pharm with valid GPAT score or university-level entrance.
- Transparent fee structure and scholarship opportunities for meritorious and reserved category students.
- Online and offline admission support, including helpdesk for document verification and hostel queries.
- Orientation programmes for academic and professional transition of new students.

Internationalisation











Educator Access | Experiential Learning Content | Funding for Education, Training, Youth and Sport | Immersive Programmes | Mentorship from faculty & Research staff | Research Projects | Satellite Centers | Scholarships | Student and faculty Exchanges | Think-Tanks

Placement



























Higher Studies











Entrepreneurship















Career Opportunities

Community & Retail Pharmacy: Community Pharmacist, Retail Pharmacist, Dispensing Chemist, Pharmacy Store Manager, Pharmacist at Chain Pharmacies (e.g., Apollo, MedPlus)

Hospital & Clinical Pharmacy: Hospital Pharmacist, Clinical Pharmacist, Inpatient and Outpatient Pharmacist, Medication Safety Officer, Drug Information Pharmacist

Pharmaceutical Industry (Production & Manufacturing): Production Executive, Manufacturing Chemist, Quality Assurance Officer, Quality Control Analyst, Validation Specialist, Formulation Scientist

Research & Development (R&D): Research Scientist, Formulation Development Scientist, Analytical Research Scientist, Preclinical Research Associate, R&D Chemist

Regulatory Affairs & Documentation : Regulatory Affairs Executive, Drug Regulatory Specialist, Dossier Executive, Documentation Officer, Compliance Officer

Pharmacovigilance & Drug Safety: Pharmacovigilance Associate, Drug Safety Associate, Clinical Data Reviewer, Risk Management Specialist

Sales & Marketing (Pharma Sector): Medical Representative (MR), Territory Sales Executive, Product Executive, Product Manager, Pharma Marketing Manager, Business Development Executive

Clinical Research & Trials : Clinical Research Associate (CRA), Clinical Data Manager, Trial Monitor, Clinical Research Coordinator, Biostatistician

Academia, Teaching & Research: Lecturer (Pharmacy), Assistant Professor, Academic Research Associate, Lab Instructor, Research Scholar

Quality Assurance & Control: QA Executive, QC Chemist, GMP Auditor, Stability Analyst, Quality Systems Specialist

Drug Regulatory & Government Services : Drug Inspector, Government Pharmacist, Analyst at Central Drug Testing Laboratory (CDTL), Regulatory Officer in State or Central Drug Authorities

Pharmaceutical Consultancy & Freelancing : Freelance Regulatory Consultant, Medical Content Writer, Pharma Consultant, Pharmacovigilance Trainer

Healthcare & Allied Fields: Health Insurance Claims Analyst, Clinical Coordinator, Pharmacy Benefit Manager, Nutraceutical Product Advisor

Entrepreneurship & Self-Employment: Pharmacy Owner, Wholesale Drug Distributor, Pharma Franchise Operator, Nutraceutical Startup Founder, Contract Manufacturing Entrepreneur







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