

# CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY

College of Pharmacy  
Supplemental Application Fall 2011

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Please complete and return this application (pages 1,2,3,6 and 7 and 8) to Chicago State University College of Pharmacy, Office of Student Affairs with your \$50.00 **non-refundable** processing fee.

Make your check or money order payable to **Chicago State University**. The deadline for submission of this application is **March 1, 2011**.

**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE, PRINT AND MAIL**

Social Security: # _____ - _____ - _____	PharmCAS ID _____
Name: (Last) _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____	
Other name(s) records may be under: _____	
Preferred Name/Nickname: _____	
Preferred Mailing Address: (Street) _____	
(City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____	
Telephone #(s) (Home) _____ (Work) _____	
E-Mail Address _____	
Is this information different from what is on your PharmCAS Application?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Have you ever enrolled in any college of pharmacy or any other health professions education/ training program as a candidate for a certificate or degree?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please explain: _____
Have you ever applied to a degree program at this university before?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please state program/date: _____
Have you successfully completed a nationally recognized Pharmacy Technician certification program (i.e. PTCB)?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please provide a notarized copy of the certification document. _____

Responses to the following 3 questions/statements are **REQUIRED** components of this application. Attach responses to the following questions/statements.

- Please remember to place your name and last four digits of your social security number at the top of each page.
- Please limit your response to no more than a total of 250 words for each question.

1. Why are you interested in a career in pharmacy and how will obtaining your pharmacy degree from Chicago State University-College of Pharmacy help you accomplish your career goals?
2. Please describe experiences that you feel have prepared you for success in a professional learning environment, particularly experiences where you have demonstrated leadership and/or professional excellence.

3. Please describe, as applicable, any personal or academic matters you feel may assist the Admissions Committee in reviewing your application for admissions (i.e. interests or personal abilities/attributes; personal hardships which you have overcome; academic disadvantages in your previous education).

**Extracurricular Activities (college to present):** Please list the extracurricular activities and, professional memberships in which you participated. Identify any offices held while participating in these activities (you may use a separate sheet of paper).

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY AND ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS	OFFICES HELD	DATES

**Community/Volunteer Activities (U.S.college to present):** Describe the activity in which you participated, other than those related to extracurricular, including the approximate number of volunteer hours per week served with each organization/activity. **Do NOT** list activities listed above or activities from other countries. List recurring activities first.

COMMUNITY/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES	APPROXIMATE HOURS PER WEEK	DATES

**Academic Year Employment:** Beginning with your current position, **list in reverse chronological order all full and part-time employment.** Include position titles, dates, approximate hours worked per week during the academic year and place of employment. (You may use a separate sheet of paper-**DO NOT** attach a resume).

START DATE Mo./Yr.	END DATE Mo./Yr.	HOURS WORKED PER WEEK WHILE ATTENDING SCHOOL	POSITION & RESPONSIBILITIES	EMPLOYER (NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE)

## Pre-pharmacy Prerequisite Coursework Grade Point Average Calculation Instructions & Worksheet

To be considered for admission, applicants must have a minimum pre-pharmacy prerequisite, math/science and cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. **You will be required to self-report your Pre-Pharmacy Prerequisite Grade Point Average using the form enclosed.** The Chicago State University College of Pharmacy will verify your calculations and will make adjustments if required. We will use your math/science and cumulative Grade Point Average calculated by PharmCAS. Note: "C" grades are not acceptable- **all prerequisite coursework must be completed with a grade of C or higher.**

### **Prerequisite Courses - 62 Semester Hours Required**

English Composition/Writing – 6 Semester Hours  
 General/Introductory Biology with Lab – 8 Semester Hours  
 General Chemistry with Lab – 8 Semester Hours  
 Organic Chemistry with Lab – 8 Semester Hours  
 \*Human Anatomy – 3 Semester Hours  
 Calculus (integration & differentiation) – 3 Semester Hours  
 \*Statistics – 3 Semester Hours  
 \*Physics with lab 3- Semester Hours  
 Speech (Public Speaking) – 3 Semester Hours  
 Economics (Micro, Macro, or General) – 3 Semester Hours  
 Intro/General Psychology or Sociology - 3 Semester Hours  
 \*Humanities and Social or Behavioral Sciences – 11 Semester Hours Total  
 (\*) See website for additional information [www.csu.edu/collegeofpharmacy](http://www.csu.edu/collegeofpharmacy)

### **Instructions:**

- Type ALL Information on computer. From transcript(s) record the following information for **all pre-pharmacy prerequisite courses** on the Pre-Pharmacy Prerequisite Coursework Worksheet (page 6): **Remember all grades earned must be included in your calculation—this includes repeated coursework.**

#### **Example:**

Prefix	Course Number	Course Title	School	Term	Semester Hours	Number Grade	Quality Points
Biol	1050	Intro Biology	Chicago State Univ	Fall 2010	4	4	16

- See Conversion Table (page 5) for instructions on how to convert quarter hours to semester hours and how to assign grade values to grades earned.
- Multiply the number of semester hour earned in each course by the grade value to determine quality points.

#### **Example:**

$$\begin{array}{rcccl}
 \text{Grade} & \text{Semester Hours} & \times & \text{Grade Value} & = & \text{Quality Points} \\
 A & 4 & \times & 4 & = & 16
 \end{array}$$

- Total Column labeled Semester Hours
- Total Column labeled Quality Points
- Divide total number of quality points by total number of semester hours to get prerequisite grade point average
- Record grade point average in box

**Example:**

Prefix	Course Number	Course Title	School	Term	Semester Hours	Grade	Quality Points
Biol	1050	Intro Biology w/Lab	Chicago State Univ	Fall 2010	4	4.0	16
Chem	1055	Gen Chem w/Lab	Ohio College	Spr 2011	4	3.3	13.2
Eng	101	English I	Ohio College	Fall 2010	3	2.0	6
					<b>11</b>		<b>35.2</b>

Total Quality Points 35.2 divided by Total Semester Hours 11 = Prerequisite GPA 3.2

### Conversion Table

Use this table to convert quarter hours into semester hours:

Conversion Table		
Quarter Hours		Semester Hours
1	=	0.67
2	=	1.33
3	=	2.0
4	=	2.67
5	=	3.33
6	=	4
7	=	4.67
8	=	5.33
9	=	6.0
10	=	6.67

### Grade Value Table

Use this table to assign grade value to earned grade:

Grade Value Table		
Quarter Hours		Semester Hours
A+/A	=	4.0
A-	=	3.7
A/B	=	3.5
B+	=	3.3
B	=	3.0
B-	=	2.7
B/C	=	2.5
C+	=	2.3
C	=	2.0
C-	=	1.7
C/D	=	1.5
D+	=	1.3
D	=	1.0
D-	=	0.7
D/F	=	0.5
F	=	0





**Ethnic and Racial identification for U.S. Citizens & Permanent Residents only (optional)**

*Your responses to the Ethnic and Racial questions are optional and will not affect the admission [or change **admission** with **employment** as needed] decision; it is requested so that we may demonstrate to federal and state agencies that this institution is in compliance with appropriate regulations.*

*First, identify whether or not your ethnicity is Hispanic or Latino, regardless of race. Second, select one or more races from the five racial groups.*

- Ethnic Identification**     Hispanic or Latino  
(select one)                 Not Hispanic or Latino

- Racial Identification**     American Indian or Alaska Native  
(select one or more)     Asian  
                                       Black or African American  
                                       Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  
                                       White