Fast Facts

College
Established in 1929 as the College of Pharmacy. The College changed its name to the College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions in 1971. In 2012, the College changed its name to the College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences.

Mission
The College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences commits to academic excellence, scholarship, and service to humanity through the discovery and application of biomedical knowledge.

We facilitate and advance scholarship by offering innovative programs of study utilizing active, student-centered learning approaches that inspire lifelong learning.

As compassionate health care professionals and scientists, we serve humanity through our dedication to excellence in health care and biomedical research. Building on a commitment to cultural diversity and benefiting from our metropolitan location and strategic alliances, we strive to serve as effective leaders, good citizens, and moral and ethical individuals.

We commit ourselves to discovery, communication, and application of biomedical knowledge as a critical component for the development of health care professionals and scientists. Through innovative basic, social, and clinical research initiatives, we contribute to scientific knowledge, address contemporary health care issues, and seek solutions to health care problems.

Our mission embodies the principles of the University’s Mission Statement: to provide a quality education in an environment that is Catholic, Vincentian Metropolitan, and Global.

Vision
The College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences will be a nationally recognized model of distinctiveness for the preparation of exemplary health care providers dedicated to meeting the needs of all patients, particularly the underserved in urban areas, distinguished scholars, and leading researchers in the pharmaceutical and biomedical sciences.

Campus
Located on the 105-acre Queens campus, not far from Manhattan by car, bus, or train. Sprawling, high-tech residence halls with wireless Internet access, lounges, study rooms, a resident’s computer center, 24-hour security, and a new dining hall.

Leadership
1929–1956  John Dandreau, J.S.D., Dean
1956–1988  Andrew J. Bartilucci, Ph.D., Dean
1988–1995  Albert Belmonte, Ph.D., Dean
1995–1996  Virginia Galizia, Ph.D., Acting Dean
1996–1998  Thomas Wiser, Ph.D., Dean
1998–2012  Robert A. Mangione, Ed.D., Dean
2012–2013  S. William Zito, Ph.D., Acting Dean
2013–Present  Russell J. DiGate, Ph.D., Dean

Major Accreditations
Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)
National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)
Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc. (ARC-PA)
Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)
Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP).
Academic Departments
Pharmaceutical Sciences
Clinical Health Professions
Pharmacy Administration and Public Health

Undergraduate and Entry-Level Degrees
Doctor of Pharmacy
Bachelor of Science in Clinical Laboratory Sciences
Bachelor of Science in Physician Assistant
Bachelor of Science in Toxicology
Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Sciences

Graduate Degrees
Doctor of Philosophy in Pharmaceutical Sciences
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences
Master of Science in Pharmacy Administration
Master of Science in Toxicology
Master of Public Health

Academic Year 2015-2016 Tuition
Undergraduate $37,870 per year
Pharm.D. (Years 3–6) $43,370 per year
Graduate (M.S. and Ph.D.) $1,320 per credit
MPH program $1,145 per credit

Faculty
(as of 01/01/2016)
Department F/T P/T
Pharmaceutical Sciences 34 4
Clinical Health Professions 54 20
Pharmacy Administration and Public Health 8 1
College Total 96 25

Affiliated Clinical Sites and Preceptors
(Approximate as of 7/31/2015)
Program Sites Preceptors
Pharmacy 350 1,000
Physician Assistant 60 75
Radiologic Sciences 19 19
Clinical Laboratory Sciences 8 8

Application Status
(Final as of 10/16/2015)
Entered Fall 2015 Other
Pharmacy Undergrad Grad
Applications 1,566 1,809 319
Accepted 822 777 170
Enrolled 279 199 49

Students
(as of 10/20/2015)
Ph.D. Pharmaceutical Sciences 84
M.S. Pharmaceutical Sciences 33
M.S. Pharmacy Administration 19
M.S. Toxicology 13
Master in Public Health 20
Pharmacy 1,700
B.S. Clinical Laboratory Sciences 45
B.S. Physician Assistant 379
B.S. Radiologic Sciences 116
B.S. Toxicology 71
Non-Matriculated 19
Total 2,499

Student Demographics
(as of 10/20/2015)
Gender
Female 64%
Male 36%
Geographic Location
In-state 87%
Out-of-state (25 states) 13%
Ethnicity
Asian 49%
White 26%
Hispanic 4%
Black 4%
Other 17%

Academic Honor Societies
Rho Chi Society, Pharmacy Honor Society
Phi Lambda Sigma, Pharmacy Leadership Society
Pi Alpha Honor Society, Physician Assistant Honor Society
Lambda Tau, Clinical Laboratory Sciences Honor Society

Student Organizations
American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists (AAPS)
American Pharmacists Association Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhA-ASP)
American Society of Consultant Pharmacists (ASCP)
Drug Information Association (DIA)
International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR)
Lambda Kappa Sigma
Phi Delta Chi
Physician Assistant Association
Student College of Clinical Pharmacy (SCCP)
Student Society of Health-System Pharmacy (SSHP)
Tau Omega Chi, Toxicology Club