

PY1 Student Checklist

Items must be completed prior to beginning the program in Fall 2024.

If you have any questions about the requirements below, please email the Office of Student Services.

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- Criminal Background Check:** All students must complete Certiphi AND FBI Background Checks. Certiphi background and child abuse checks are completed annually. If you need assistance with your Certiphi report, please contact their Help Desk at 800-803-7860, extension 2006. No need to email your Certiphi report once completed as reports can be accessed through their system. This is due by **Monday, August 12, 2024.**

- FBI Background Checks:** You will only complete this background check once upon admission. Many of our sites, TUH and the Temple Health System included, now require students completing rotations to have an FBI background check. This FBI check is different from the one you got from Certiphi. Please be sure that if you already have one, it was completed within the same year of your acceptance. FBI background checks last five years, and this will only need to be completed once for the duration of your time here at Temple University School of Pharmacy.

Please visit this site to obtain your FBI background check: <https://www.fbi.gov/services/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks>. You can go to several specific post offices in the area to get this done. Use option 1 on the FBI web page which can be found at the above link for instructions. Option 1 through a post office is by far the fastest way to complete this process. What you will see on the website for option 1 is also listed below, but also look at the website as they have the list of post offices that perform this service by state. Please call your chosen post office before you go as you may need an appointment.

Results should be sent to Haley Ashby at haley.ashby@temple.edu. This will then be uploaded to your student file, which is confidential and protected.

The cost of background checks depends on which state(s) you have lived in. Please begin this process early so you can plan for this expense. This is due by **Monday, August 12, 2024.**

- Physical Exam and Immunization Records:** Physical exam and immunization documents are due by **Monday, August 12, 2024.** The acceptance package must also be returned to the Health Science Campus Student Health Office prior to matriculation at the School of Pharmacy. Breanna Langett will reach out to any student that shows non-compliant in our report sent from the Office of Student Health. Students can mail to their office or upload to the TU Online Student Health Portal at <http://www.temple.edu/studenthealth/>
**Student Health will be at the Orientation Resource Fair to answer questions.

- Lab Coat Order:** If you have not yet placed your order, contact Sloms Professional Uniforms, (215-576-6170). The order form was shared upon admittance and is also available on the New PharmD Student Headquarters Page <https://pharmacy.temple.edu/newstudents>.

☐ **Textbooks:** Purchase required textbooks, see list of textbooks below.

P171 Pharmacy Lab I

- A Practical Guide to Contemporary Pharmacy Practice and Compounding by Deborah Lester Elder

P161 Pharmaceutics I

- Pharmaceutical Dosage Forms 11th Edition, Ansel
- Pharmaceutical Calculations, Agarwal

P161 Pharmaceutics I

- Optional Textbook: Introduction to the Pharmaceutical Sciences 2nd ED, N. Pandit, Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins, Baltimore, MD

P151 Medicinal Chemistry I (Biochemical Principles)

- RECOMMENDED TEXT:
- Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry – 8th Edition, Nelson and Cox (Freeman 2021)
- RECOMMENDED SUPPORT MATERIAL:
- The Absolute, Ultimate Guide to Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry – 7th Ed. (Freeman 2018)
- Lippincott's Illustrated Reviews: Biochemistry, 7th Edition, Harvey (Wolters Kluwer, 2017)

P155 Principles of Infectious Diseases Textbook is on AccessMedicine

P145: Immunology/Biotechnology

- Cellular and Molecular Immunology, 7th Edition, by Abul K. Abbas, Andrew H. Lichtman, and Shiv Pillai. 2021, Elsevier, Philadelphia

P140 Professional Practice: No Required Textbook

P146 Drug Information

- A Guide for Pharmacists, 7th Edition Author: Malone P, Malone M, Park S. Publisher: McGraw-Hill Medical

PLEASE NOTE: Our textbook is available free online via the Temple Medical Library. If you access the medical library from campus (or sign up for an access password so you have offsite access) look in the Databases and select "AccessPharmacy" you will have access to a list of texts (select "Textbooks"), and you will see our textbook listed. You have free full online access to text.