

College of Pharmacy, Glendale Campus PS-2 / Class of 2027 Winter Quarter 2025-26
December 1, 2025 – March 6, 2026

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8:00 – 8:50am	NO CLASSES on Jan. 19 th	<u>Elective:</u>			
9:00 – 9:50am	<u>Jan 26 only:</u> PPRAG 1676 Evidence-Based Healthcare Cholla C	PPRAG 1433 Intro to Specialty Pharmacy (8:00 – 9:30 am) 10 weeks Cholla 118	PPRAG 1676 Evidence-Based Healthcare Cholla C	PPRAG 1606 CSD 6 See Syllabus for meeting dates/times	<u>Elective:</u> PPRAG 1442 Advanced Geriatric Pharmacotherapy (9:00 – 10:50 am) 7 weeks Cholla 112
10:00 – 10:50am	PPRAG 1676 Evidence-Based Healthcare Cholla C	PHIDG 1606 / 1607 Integrated Sequence 6 / 7 Cholla C			
11:00 – 11:50am	Lunch		12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 1/7, & 1/14: PHIDG 1606 Integrated Sequence 6 Cholla C		
12:00 – 1:00pm	COMMON HOUR * Cholla C	Lunch *	Lunch *	Lunch	Lunch
1:10 – 3:00pm	PHIDG 1606 / 1607 Integrated Sequence Cholla C	PHIDG 1606 / 1607 Integrated Sequence Cholla C	PHIDG 1606 / 1607 Integrated Sequence Cholla C	PHIDG 1606 / 1607 Integrated Sequence Cholla C	
3:10 – 7:00pm	<u>Dec 1 only:</u> PHIDG 1606 (3:10 – 4:00 pm) Cholla C EXAMS Testing Center (3:30 – 5:30 pm)		<u>Elective:</u> PPRAG 1411 Pharmacological Management of Chronic Pain (3:10 – 5:00 pm) 7 weeks Cholla 112-114	<u>Elective:</u> PPRAG 1338 Screenings (3:10 – 5:00 pm) 7 weeks Cholla 112-114	EXAMS Testing Center (1:00 – 3:00 pm) or (3:30 – 5:30 pm) <i>Unless indicated, events that start: (i) Before noon: start on the hour, end on :50; (ii) at noon or after: start on :10, end on the hour.</i>

First Day of Classes: Monday, December 1, 2025

*OOE Special Sessions:

REQUIRED: APPE Rotations Preference Selection Common Hour: Monday, December 1 in Cholla C

REQUIRED: Hidden Gem APPE Rotation Opportunities: Tuesday, December 2, 12:00 – 1:00 pm in Cholla C (lunch provided)

OPTIONAL: How to Leverage APPE Rotations for Residencies: Wednesday, December 3, 12:00 – 1:00 pm in Cholla C

Winter Holiday Recess (no classes): December 22, 2025 – January 4, 2026. Classes resume Monday, January 5, 2026

University Holiday (no class): Monday, January 19, 2026 (MLK Holiday)

Last Day of Class: February 20, 2026

Final Exams: February 23 – 27, 2026

Spring Break: March 2 – March 6, 2026

Course #	Title	Course Director	Type	Qhrs
PHIDG 1606	Integrated Sequence 6	Dr. D. Gerber	Required	5.0
PHIDG 1607	Integrated Sequence 7	Dr. M. Burnworth	Required	4.5
PPRAG 1606	Clinical Skills Development 6	Dr. T. Storjohann	Required	1.5
PPRAG 1676	Evidence-Based Healthcare	Dr. K. Fairman	Required	3.0

Course #	Title	Course Director	Type	Offered	Qhrs
PPRAG 1338	Pharmacy Based Screenings	Dr. D. Otis	Elective	Thurs. 3:10 – 5:00 pm 7 weeks	1.5
PPRAG 1433	Introduction to Specialty Pharmacy	Dr. J. Vircks	Elective	Tues. 8:00 – 9:30 am	1.5
PPRAG 1442	Advanced Geriatric Pharmacotherapy	Dr. N. Early	Elective	Fri. 9:00 – 10:50 am 7 weeks per syllabus	1.5
PPRAG 1411	Pharmacological Management of Chronic Pain	Dr. R. Kronenberg	Elective	Weds. 3:10 – 5:00 pm 7 weeks per syllabus (12/3 to 1/28)	1.5
PSCIG 1357	Introduction to Forensic Science for Healthcare Professionals	Dr. O. Grundmann	Elective	Online course over 10 weeks	1.5
IPECG 1401C	Improving Patient Safety I (virtual)	Dr. S. Tennant	Elective	Online course over 7 weeks	1.5

Winter Quarter 2025-26 Exam Schedule

PHIDG 1606 Integrated Sequence 6 (IS6)

Exam 1	Friday, December 12	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Exam 1 Review:	Wednesday, December 17	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 2	Friday, December 19	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Make-up Exams (Exams 1 & 2):	Tuesday, January 6	5:00 – 6:50 pm	Testing Center
Exam 2 Review:	Wednesday, January 7	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 3	Friday, January 9	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Exam 3 Review:	Wednesday, January 14	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 4	Friday, January 16	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Exam 4 Review:	Wednesday, January 21	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Make-up Exams (Exams 3 & 4):	Wednesday January 21	5:00 – 6:50 pm	Testing Center
Course Re-Examination:	Monday, January 26	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center

PHIDG 1607 Integrated Sequence 7 (IS7)

Exam 1	Friday, January 30	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Exam 1 Review	Wednesday, February 4	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 2	Friday, February 6	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Exam 2 Review	Wednesday, February 11	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 3	Friday, February 13	3:30 – 5:20 pm	Testing Center
Make-up Exam (Exams 1 & 2):	Tuesday, February 17	5:00 – 6:50 pm	Testing Center
Exam 3 Review	Wednesday, February 18	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	TBD
Exam 4	Tuesday, February 24	7:00 – 8:50 am	Testing Center
Make-up Exam (Exams 3 & 4):	Thursday, February 26	12:00noon – 1:50 pm	Testing Center
Exam 4 Review	Friday, February 27	12:00noon – 12:30 pm	TBD
Course Re-Examination:	Wednesday, March 4	9:00 – 10:50 am	Testing Center

PPRAG 1676 Evidence-Based Healthcare

Exam 1	Monday, January 12	3:30 – 5:30 pm	Testing Center
Exam 1 Review	Thursday, January 15	12noon – 1:00 pm	Cholla 112-114
Exam 2	Monday, February 2	3:30 – 5:30 pm	Testing Center
Exam 2 Review	Thursday, February 5	4:30 – 5:30 pm	Cholla 116-118
Exam 3	Monday, February 16	3:30 – 5:30 pm	Testing Center
Exam 3 Review	Thursday, February 19	12:00noon – 1:00 pm	TBD
Final Exam	Friday, February 27	10:30 am – 12:00noon	Testing Center
Course Re-Examination:	Friday, March 6	9:00 – 10:30 am	Testing Center

PPRAG 1606 Clinical Skills Development 6

See syllabus for dates and times of any exams, quizzes, and assessments.

Quiz	Thursday, January 15	11:00 – 11:30 am	Testing Center
Top 200 Drug Quiz	Thursday, February 12	11:15 – 11:45 am	Cholla Computer Lab A/B
Make-up Workshop	Wednesday, February 25	9:30 – 11:30 am	Testing Center

Final Exam and Course Re-Examination Schedule

<u>Mon 2/23</u>	<u>Tues 2/24</u>	<u>Wed 2/25</u>	<u>Thurs 2/26</u>	<u>Fri 2/27</u>
No Exam	PHIDG 1607	CSD 6	IS7 Make-up Exam	PPRAG 1676
	IS7	Make-Up Workshop		EBHC
<u>Mon 3/2</u>	<u>Tues 3/3</u>	<u>Wed 3/4</u>	<u>Thurs 3/5</u>	<u>Fri 3/6</u>
		IS7 re-exam		EBHC re-exam

Additional make-up exams and course re-examinations may be scheduled between 3/2 and 3/6.

Once scheduled, make-up exams and course re-examinations cannot be changed or rescheduled.

Friday 3/13 SPGC Meets ~11:00 am

Winter Quarter 2025-26 Electives

CPG reserves the right to cancel classes if a minimum number of students do not register.

PPRAG 1338	Pharmacy Based Screenings (1.5qhrs)	Max: 60
Instructor:	Dr. D. Otis	
Description:	Through active participation in lecture discussions as well as laboratory exercises, the student will be prepared to develop health-screening programs in a variety of pharmacy practice settings. The focus is risk factor assessment and hands-on experience with technological devices related to cancer, cardiovascular disease (blood pressure and cholesterol), diabetes, and osteoporosis. This course will address OSHA training, CLIA regulations, policies and procedures, and implementation of screening programs. The course meets once weekly for either lecture or a lab/workshop. The course evaluation is based upon competency assessment of techniques during the lab/workshop, two group projects, and a final quiz.	
<u>Pre-requisite:</u>	PHIDG 1605 Integrated Sequence 5.	
PPRAG 1433:	Introduction to Specialty Pharmacy (1.5qhrs)	Max: 24
Instructor:	Dr. Janelle Vircks	
Description:	This elective provides an opportunity for students to learn current therapies, management of patients and other operations requirements within specialties including Solid Organ Transplant/BMT, Oncology, Inflammatory (Rheumatology, Dermatology), and Infectious Disease (HIV and Hepatitis C). The course is composed of alternating disease state overview presentations with student case study presentations the following week for practical application. A take home quiz designed in part by the student presenting will be completed by rest of class utilizing guidelines, class material and any references needed.	
<u>Pre-requisite:</u>	Enrollees must be in PS-2 year.	
PPRAG 1442	Advanced Geriatric Pharmacotherapy (1.5qhrs)	Max: 20
Course Director:	Dr. Nicole Early	
Description:	This course is designed to enhance students' knowledge and skills related to geriatric pharmacotherapy. The course will provide an introduction to general principles of aging, roles of pharmacists in working with geriatric patients, and an overview of geriatric syndromes. The format of the course will involve brief lectures, and students will be expected to actively participate in discussions and case-based assignments. There will be an emphasis on managing the health care needs of patients with multiple comorbidities.	
<u>Prerequisite:</u>	Concurrent enrollment in or completion of PHIDG 1606 / PHIDG 1607	
PPRAG 1411	Pharmacological Management of Chronic Pain (1.5qhrs)	Max: None
Instructor:	Dr. Robert Kronenberg	
Description:	The objective of this course is to provide students with a basic understanding of the differences between chronic and acute pain. Pharmacological treatment of acute pain is relatively straightforward; management of chronic pain is often complicated and rarely achieves the patient quality of life goals. Upon completion of this course students will understand how to assess pain; understand the differences between addiction, dependence and tolerance; be able to recommend appropriate medication therapies for nociceptive and neuropathic pain; understand the reasons for the multitude of available analgesic choices; understand the role of complementary and alternative medicine (CAM); and be conversant with the legal and ethical issues of pain management.	
<u>Prerequisite:</u>	PS-2 status, concurrent enrollment in PHIDG 1607.	
PSCIG 1357:	Introduction to Forensic Science for Healthcare Professionals (1.5qhrs)	Max: None
Instructor:	Dr. Oliver Grundmann	
Description:	The use of forensic toxicology in the battle against the increased abuse of licit and illicit drugs is an important field of study. This course will introduce the main areas of forensic sciences and especially the involvement of physicians, pharmacists, and nurses in discovering and preventing the abuse of drugs.	
<u>Prerequisite:</u>	PPRAG 1524 Pharmacy Law and Public Policy	
IPECG 1401C	Improving Patient Safety 1 (1.5qhrs)	Max: 15
Course Directors:	Dr. Cara Copeland (CDMA), Dr. Larry Sands (AZCOM); Dr. Shawn Tennant (CPG)	
Description:	This interprofessional on-line course will introduce students to how they can improve patient safety and reduce medical errors. The course instruction is through on-line Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) educational modules, reinforcing that knowledge through authentic-team case study discussions and self-reflection writings. Completion of IPECG 1401 and IPECG 1402 will lead to an IHI certificate.	
PPRAG 1301 (1.5 credits) or PPRAG 1302 (3qhrs): Special Project/Research		
PSCIG 1301 (1.5 credits)* or PSCIG 1302 (3qhrs): Special Project/Research		
Instructor:	Faculty Sponsor	
Time:	Varies	
Description:	This research-based course provides an opportunity for students to work with individual faculty mentors on research projects of variable scope. All research projects require approval by the appropriate Department Chair and the Dean's Office. A completed and signed Special Project Request Form is required. The Special Project Form must be completed, signed by all parties and turned into the Associate Dean, College of Pharmacy prior to November 21st in order to register for this elective.	