Program Student Learning Outcomes

After completion of this program students will be able to:

• Receive, screen and prepare prescription/medication orders, checking for completeness, authenticity and accuracy.
• Demonstrate understanding of proper procedures and calculations used for prescription processing and non-sterile compounding.
• Properly store, handle and dispose of pharmaceuticals while maintaining pharmacy equipment and facilities with appropriate standards.
• Participate in the process for detecting and preventing medication errors and notify the pharmacist when a problem or situation requires their attention.
• Communicate clearly and effectively with patients, customers, coworkers, and medical staff while maintaining confidentiality, compassion and professionalism.
• Understand Federal requirements for drug handling and disposal, controlled substance prescriptions, restricted drug programs and recalls.
• Demonstrate an understanding of medication generic names, brand names, classifications, dosage forms, interactions, contraindications, indications and side effects.