

Awards for Newly Enrolled First Year Pharm.D. Students

- ❖ Pharmacy Dean's Nonresident Award – Pharmacy Dean's Nonresident Award provides a substantial reduction in educational fees by lowering the differential between the Missouri resident and nonresident education fees, during fall and spring semesters, by 90%.

This 90% reduction is available to eligible students throughout their enrollment as a UMKC Pharm.D. student. Students are strongly encouraged to apply for in-state residency. If in-state residency is approved, students will pay Missouri resident tuition, a further cost savings. Information about applying for Missouri residency is available at <http://www.umkc.edu/residency>

Eligible students must be newly admitted non-Missouri residents who are U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents at time of entry. No separate application required. Award is renewable for Pharm.D. students maintaining good academic standing.

- ❖ Chancellor's Historically Underrepresented Minority Nonresident Award - Chancellor's Minority Nonresident Award recipients will receive the nonresident tuition differential for fall and spring semesters. Eligibility to renew this award requires continuous, full-time enrollment in in the Pharm.D. Program and a UMKC cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Eligible students must be a US Citizen or Permanent resident and Missouri nonresident at time of entry who identify themselves on the UMKC admission application as African American, Hispanic or Native American. No separate application required.

- ❖ Pharmacy Dean's Scholar Award - Dean's Scholars can receive an award stipend, renewable for an additional semester of pharmacy school. Award renewal requires the recipient to maintain a cumulative Doctor of Pharmacy grade point average at ≥ 3.6 .

Minimum criteria for an applicant to be considered are as follows:

- *Pharmacy Prerequisite GPA* (including fall semester grades): **3.75**
- *Composite PCAT*: **60th Percentile**
- Other considerations include the applicant's pharmacy and health care experience, performance during the admission interview, qualities described in the reference letter and response to the Dean's Scholar application essay question. The PharmCAS application is the information source for the applicant's academic credentials, pharmacy experience and letter(s) of reference.

A separate application is required and must be submitted by the deadline. Application form is on the UMKC School of Pharmacy Financial Aid and Scholarships website.

- ❖ The School also offers scholarships for current Pharm.D. students. Please see the UMKC Pharmacy Scholarship Descriptions at - <https://pharmacy.umkc.edu/current-students/financial-aid-and-scholarships.html>