Transfer Credit Policy

Students currently enrolled and in good academic standing in another ACPE-accredited pharmacy program may request admission to the Doctor of Pharmacy program with advanced standing and a transfer of credits to Wayne State University. Such requests should be directed to the Chair of the Admissions Committee for initial review and evaluation. Admission into the program will be dependent upon the academic credentials of the applicant in their existing pharmacy program as well as available space within the program. Students requesting transfer MUST meet minimum pre-pharmacy GPA and PCAT composite requirements to be considered for transfer. All students requesting transfer will be required to participate in an on-site interview. Decisions regarding admission rests with the Admissions Committee and all decisions are final.

Waivers of specific courses in the curriculum will be granted by the Assistant Dean for Student and Alumni Affairs after consultation with individual course instructors. Waivers or exemptions from courses within the PharmD curriculum at Wayne State University will not be granted to students admitted through the regular admission process on the basis of courses completed at other universities or colleges (eg. biochemistry). Students requesting transfer into the program are typically placed into the first professional year.