



CAL STATE LA

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

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About Cal State LA



- Cal State LA is one of the largest public universities in Los Angeles and has been an educational leader in the region since 1947
- The university serves 28,000 students and has graduated more than 250,000 alumni
- The university was ranked #1 in the U.S. for the upward mobility of its students by *The New York Times*
- Cal State LA is home to nationally ranked programs in engineering, business, and nursing by *U.S. News and World Report*



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The College of Professional and Global Education



The College of Professional and Global Education (PaGE) is one of eight colleges at Cal State LA and provides flexible, relevant, and practical educational pathways, preparing organizations to serve, and succeed in their local and global communities.

- PaGE offers extended education degree, certificate, and professional training programs at Cal State LA Downtown (DTLA), at the university's main campus, and in the San Gabriel Valley
- The college also oversees international programs for Cal State LA including exchange and study abroad for domestic students



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Pharmacy Technician Program

- This program is taught by experts in the pharmaceutical field
- This program is a comprehensive 50-hour course that prepares students to enter the pharmacy field and take the PTCB exam
- Course content includes medical terminology specific to pharmacy, reading and interpreting prescriptions, and defining drugs by generic and brand names
- Students will learn dosage calculations, IV flow rates, drug compounding, dose conversions, dispensing of prescriptions, inventory control, and billing and reimbursement
- Students are expected to have completed high-school level math and science courses before enrolling in this program. A high school diploma or GED is required to sit for the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board's (PTCB) exam



Program Details

Program Schedule

- Program meets twice a week in the evenings from 6:00PM to 9:00PM via live synchronous Zoom sessions
- Program is offered every Fall, Spring, and Summer
- Program completers will receive a Certificate of Completion

Program Cost

- Program cost is \$1,399 (does not include the required textbook)

Program Textbook

- *Mosby Pharmacy Technician Exam Review Book (4th edition)* by James Mizner
ISBN-13 9780323497244



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Program Registration

- Registration does not require a program application
- To ensure your seat, please register by submitting full payment by deadline via PaGE online portal: <https://www.calstatela.edu/dtla/pharmacy-technician-program-downtown-la>
- Full payment is expected at the time of registration, as there is no payment plan
- Interested participants can register online or call PaGE's Enrollment Services at (323) 343-4900 for further assistance



Financial Assistance

Financial Aid

Federal financial aid is currently not available for this certificate program offered at Cal State LA Downtown. If your employer is willing to pay for your tuition as part of professional development, please contact pageprograms@calstatela.edu for further instructions.

Loans

Private loans are available for our certificate and professional training programs. For more information on private loans, please visit the website below and click “Private Loans”:

<http://www.calstatela.edu/dtla/financial-assistance>



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Program Contact

For more information or specific program inquiries, please contact:

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