This program prepares you for careers in the pharmaceutical, consumer products, and healthcare industries. As a Pharmaceutical Science graduate, you are qualified to seek a diverse range of career options, including research and development, manufacturing, product marketing, and administrative positions within the pharmaceutical industry, in addition to careers in research and regulatory oversight within government agencies.

It is important to note that Pharmaceutical Sciences degree is separate and distinct from the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) program and does not fulfill the degree requirement for licensure as a pharmacist. Students admitted to the Pharmaceutical Science program are not eligible for internal transfer into the Pharm.D. program.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

A solid academic program of study with a strong background in math and science is the best preparation for studying Pharmaceutical Sciences at the University of Rhode Island. Applicants for transfer admission must have:

- Demonstrated success in math and science courses (chemistry, biology, and physics)
- Pre-calculus with a grade of B or better
- Minimum required science GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

**CREDIT TRANSFERABILITY**

Acceptance of courses and credits deemed suitable for transfer to the University is determined by the College of Pharmacy. Among the factors influencing the determination of transferability are accreditation status, comparable academic quality, and the grade earned in the course (or grades of C or better may be accepted for transfer).