



**Eastern
Mediterranean
University**

"Virtue, Knowledge, Advancement"

Frequently Asked Questions

PHARMACY PROGRAMS

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1- Is EMU a public or private university?

EMU is a public university of Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC)

2- Where is EMU?

EMU is located on the northern part of Cyprus. It is located in Famagusta, a city on the south east of the northern part of the island.

3- When was EMU established?

In 1979.

4- What is the world-ranking of EMU?

EMU is a Times Higher Education (THE) 601-800 ranked university.
EMU has been ranked 151-200 in THE Young University Rankings.

5- What is the medium of instruction at EMU?

EMU is an English-medium university.

6- What is the difference between B. Pharm and Pharm D.?

- Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm.) is an undergraduate pharmacy course and Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm. D.) is a professional pharmacy doctoral course.
- B.Pharm is 5 years course where as Pharm.D is a 6 years course
- After completing Pharm D. successful graduates will get title of Doctor (Dr) (which should not confused with PhD)
- After completing B Pharmacy, successful candidates will get Bachelor's Degree in Pharmacy. Some countries accept only a Pharm D degree (such as Canada, USA, Iran, India)
- Pharm.D trains students to work in hospital settings and in an industry environments as it provides training and clerkship additionally to community pharmacy practice.
- A Pharm D graduate has a greater benefit to directly pursue for a Ph.D. as compared to a B. Pharm graduate.
- After completing a Pharm D, one may find work in Hospitals, Clinical research organizations in addition to the pharmacies, pharmaceutical companies and research firms that also offer job prospects for a B.Pharm graduate.

7- Can I transfer from B.Pharm to Pharm D or vice versa?

Yes, students are allowed to transfer between the two programs and if they successfully pass their courses these will be exempted in the new program.

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8- What is the difference between the Pharm. D. program and the Ph. D. program?

The Doctor of Pharmacy program is for people who want to work as pharmacists. The Ph.D. program is intended for people interested in careers in research.

9- How much is the tuition fee for Pharmacy Program?

Typical tuition fee per year for international students is 8086 USD (after 50 % scholarship). It can be paid in installments.

10-Does EMU offer scholarships?

Yes, EMU Offers 25 – 50 – 100 % scholarships. Please check the following link for further information on eligibility for scholarships. [eligibility for scholarships.](#)

11- What are the admission criteria's?

Please check the following link for information on admission criteria's. [admission criteria's.](#)

12- Can I register and begin my studies at EMU from the fall semester?

Yes, you can. Fall semester starts in September. EMU admits freshmen, graduates and transfer students into various programs twice a year (Fall and Spring) with different admission requirements respectively. Please check the academic calendar. [.calendar](#)

13- Can I apply for Spring Semester?

Yes, you can. Spring Semester starts in February.

14- Can I apply now?

Yes, you can.

15- Do I need to pay any fee for application?

No, you don't.

Do I need to apply through an agent?

No, you don't. You can apply online on the EMU web page [apply online](#)

17- How can I apply?

Please follow Apply Online link for application information. [apply online](#)

18- What are the documents required for Undergraduate Application?

- Photocopies of Higher Secondary School Certificate and transcript (mark sheets).
- One passport-sized photograph
- Photocopy of the international passport (relevant data page) or birth certificate
- A copy of proof of English Proficiency if any

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19- What are the documents required for Transfer Application?

- Photocopies of Higher Secondary School Certificate / Diploma and Associate Degree or a National Diploma
- Academic record / mark sheets (transcript)
- Short course descriptions
- Photocopy of the international passport (relevant data page) or birth certificate
- One photograph

20- If I have any problems while completing the application, whom can I contact for assistance?

Please send an email to international.center@emu.edu.tr

21- How long does the evaluation process usually take?

Around 5 days

22- Can I contact the Faculty?

Yes, you can. Please email to pharmacy@emu.edu.tr

23- How can I travel to Northern Cyprus?

To travel to northern Cyprus, you must first travel to Turkey, where you may board a plane that travels to Ercan airport in northern Cyprus.

24- Do I require visa?

Depending on your country, you may require a visa to enter any Turkish Territory (North Cyprus Inclusive), as stipulated by the Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs

<http://www.mfa.gov.tr/visa-information-for-foreigners.en.mfa>

Therefore, it is advisable to go through their website (link provided), and find out if your country is included for a visa or not.

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25-What are the accommodation options?

Modern and state-of-the-art dormitories, flats, bungalows and duplexes are the various kinds of houses you can see in EMU and Famagusta. Our on-campus dormitories provide residential facilities for 10000 students, each, to student's payment capability. We believe that staying in a dormitory where all types of technological, cultural and sportive facilities are offered under campus safety, will be a best start for your academic life. Students sharing the same environment with foreign students get to know different cultures and people, helping them to easily develop communication with the world. In this way, lots of our students create strong friendship ties and carry on these friendships after university. Dormitories and Accommodation page.

<https://www.emu.edu.tr/campus-life>

26- Orientation days

Eastern Mediterranean University (a safe multicultural environment), offers orientation programs to her new students knowing full well first impressions are important since they establish the basis for everything that follows. Without orientation, a new student sometimes feels uncomfortable in his/her new environment and takes longer to reach his/her full potential. The Personal-Social Integration of our new students is a main goal to reach during the orientation days. This will involve providing students with information about the institution's values, behavioral norms, support services, and better acquaintance with other new students, current students, faculty, and staff. Therefore, events, seminars and campus tours are organized to this end. Do Join, Belong and Learn!!!

[Orientation Days](#)

27- What are the important dates to know and follow in EMU?

Basically in every academic semester, there are very important dates to know and follow before and during the semester. From dates like registration period, to class commencing period, to English placement date (for new students), to last day for add/drop, to public holidays, to examination schedules, they are necessary for students' awareness in order to keep to time and fall behind time during the semester. Yearly arrangement can be seen at Academic Calendar.

[Academic Calendar](#).

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