Innovative  Our curriculum embraces active learning pedagogy, employing team-based learning (TBL) and utilizing technology to enhance the learning experience. Participants may gain experience with several educational platforms, including ExamSoft, TopHat, Storyline Articulate, GoAnimate!, and NeehrPerfect.

Interprofessional  Collaborative, interprofessional learning is a cornerstone of MCW’s teaching philosophy. Participants will have the opportunity to participate in interprofessional educational sessions with local health professions students, including physicians, nurses, medical interpreters, anesthesiologist assistants and others.

Flexible  We provide on-demand, web-based learning sessions and a two-year program completion window to provide flexibility for participants to complete requirements at their own pace.

Personalized  The small size of our program enables us to provide personalized support and feedback to program participants. All participants will have a formal mentor to encourage their professional growth throughout the program. Academic Educator Distinction is available for participants who desire additional training and experience to prepare for a career in academia.
TEACHING CERTIFICATE PROGRAM STRUCTURE

• Participants may elect to complete the program requirements over 1 or 2 years
• Required learning modules are provided as a combination of live educational seminars and recorded web-based lectures
• Didactic learning opportunities are available in several core MCW Pharmacy School courses, including the longitudinal Patient Care Lab and the Integrated Sequence therapeutics classes

Residents
The program is designed to facilitate achievement of PGY1 and PGY2 ASHP residency program objectives relating to teaching and precepting

TEACHING CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

At a minimum, participants will engage in the following activities at the MCW Pharmacy School:
• Attend introductory session “boot camp” at the beginning of the academic year (July)
• Complete required monthly modules (live and remote sessions offered)
• Deliver two hours of didactic lecture
• Lead one Patient Care Lab activity
• Facilitate six Patient Care Lab activities
• (Co)-Precept one IPPE/APPE student
• Develop a teaching portfolio and personal teaching philosophy

Available live/online modules include:
Teaching and Learning Styles • Curricular Design • Teaching with Technology • Evaluation and Assessment Strategies • Preceptor Essentials • Academia Structure, Rank & Promotion • Learning Objectives • Effective Presentations • Scholarship of Teaching and Learning • Interprofessional Education • And Many More!

PROGRAM COSTS

The cost of the program for practicing pharmacists is $400. A discounted enrollment cost of $100 is available for MCW Preceptors participating in the Preceptor Benefits Program, bronze-gold level. Complimentary enrollment is provided for pharmacists currently enrolled in a residency program.