

## **ADMISSION CRITERIA**

## PhD in PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

- Online submission of the application is mandatory.
- Government servants should apply through the proper channel with an advance copy of the NOC (issued by the Government) submitted to the School of Postgraduate Studies, Dow University of Health Sciences.
- Applications received after the last submission date will NOT be accepted. Strictly no personal contact, all correspondence to be done through email: <u>spgs@duhs.edu.pk</u>
- TA/DA will not be paid, nor will accommodation be provided to any candidate.

## ELIGIBILITY/ADMISSION CRITERIA

- Qualification:
  - PharmD/ BPharm with MS/MPharm/MPhil or equivalent degree from a HEC-recognized higher education institution
- CGPA:
  - Minimum CGPA of 3.0 (out of 4.0) or 60% (in the annual system) in the MS/MPharm/MPhil/equivalent degree from HEC-recognized higher education institution
- GAT/HAT General Test:
  - $\circ$  GRE/HAT General/Equivalent tests, with a passing score of a minimum of 60%
  - Subject-specific Test:
    - Conducted by Dow University of Health Sciences
      - A passing score of a minimum of 60%
- Doctoral Admission Committee Interview:
  - Short-listed applicants only
  - Submission of a short research proposal in the area of the applicants' interest

## Students Currently Enrolled in MS/MPharm/MPhil Programs:

- An applicant who is currently enrolled in a MS/MPharm/MPhil or equivalent program in a HEC-recognized Higher Education Institution can also apply for conditional admission, provided:
  - They submit an official confirmation that they have submitted their thesis, which has been accepted, awaiting defense.
  - MS/MPharm/MPhil degree must be awarded before the start of the PhD program.
  - Satisfied all the other requirements of admission in a PhD program (i.e., cGPA, subject-specific test, interview, etc.).