

MCPHS: School of Pharmacy - Worcester/Manchester
Class of 2029
Fall 2026 Book, Technology and Uniform Requirements

Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences

1. Course: **PSW 300 – Pharmaceutical Biochemistry I**
Faculty: Dr. Kostansek

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

Title: [Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry](#)

Edition: **Edition (8th)**

Author: **DL. Nelson, MM. Cox, and AA. Hoskins**

Publisher: **W.H. Freeman & Co., 2021**

ISBN: **13: 978-1-319-22800-2**

2. Course: **PSW 311 – Pharmaceutics I**
Faculty: Dr. Campbell

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

Title: [Ansel's Pharmaceutical Dosage Forms and Drug Delivery Systems](#)

Edition: **Current Online Edition**

Or

Edition: **Twelfth (12th) Edition**

Author: **Lloyd V. Allen and Howard C. Ansel, 2023**

Publisher: **Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins**

Department of Pharmacy Practice

3. **PPW 330: IPC 1**
Faculty: Aimee Dawson, Kaelen Dunican, Laura Daly

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

[Pharmaceutical Calculations, 16th edition \(2021\) by HC Ansel & SJ Stockton](#)

ISBN/ISSN: 978-1-9751-2855-5

***Available free online through the MCPHS University Library**

4. **PPW 360 - Pharmacy Law**
Faculty: Jason Cross, Fred Frankhauser

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

[Aboud Richard R, Burns Kimberly A, Frankhauser FM. Pharmacy Practice and the Law 10th edition](#)

ISBN: 9781284290684

This book is accessible through the MCPHS Library in an [electronic version](#).

5. PPW 340 – US Healthcare and Public Health

Faculty: Donna Bartlett, Sheila Seed

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

[Schneider's Introduction to Public Health 7th edition by Jessica Kruger, Andy Moralez and C. Eduardo Siqueira](#)

[Jones Bartlett Learning, LLC](#)

ISBN:9781284291803

Required Text: Available online via MCPHS Library:

[Understanding Health Policy: A Clinical Approach, 9th Edition](#)

By Thomas Bodenheimer, Kevin Grumbach and Rachel Willard-Grace

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TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS:

- The accelerated Doctor of Pharmacy Program utilizes ExamSoft/Examplify (electronic testing software) for assessments in all didactic courses. Students are required to use a laptop that meets the minimum specifications to successfully complete assessments. At this time, Examplify can only be used with iOS or Windows operating systems. Chromebook, Android, and Linux operating systems do not support Examplify. Please review additional [Examplify technology specifications](#) for both Mac and PC.
- In addition to Examplify-related technology specifications, students are required to use a laptop to ensure consistency, reliability, and security during assessments. Although Examplify may operate on certain tablets and iPads, the use of tablets, iPads, or Chromebooks is **not** allowed to complete assessments.
- Students are required to purchase a privacy screen that is specifically designed as a privacy filter, providing full screen coverage for the device they will be using to complete on-campus assessments. The screen must be removable.
- Students in both the campus-based and hybrid online pathways must also have access to a second device equipped with a camera, speaker, microphone, and be compatible with Zoom. This secondary device may be a cell phone, iPad, or tablet.

LAB UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS:

Students are required to wear **WonderWink Caribbean Blue scrubs** (scrub top and pants) for laboratory courses in addition to their white coat.

Retailers that carry approved scrubs include:

[Walmart](#)

[Amazon](#)

MCPHS Emblem Guidelines

- The **MCPHS emblem is not required** when scrubs are worn underneath an MCPHS white coat.
- If scrubs are worn **without a white coat** during IPPE or APPE rotations, the **MCPHS emblem must be affixed to the scrubs.**

Vendors That Can Affix the MCPHS Emblem

Students who wish to have the MCPHS emblem added to their scrubs should purchase from one of the approved vendors below.

Worcester Campus

Trippi's Uniforms

268 Boston Turnpike (Route 9)

Shrewsbury, MA

- Supplies approved MCPHS pharmacy scrubs
- Students may order online or visit the store to try on scrubs
- When ordering online, select **MCPHS Pharmacy** under the school options
- MCPHS emblems can be affixed to scrubs upon request

Ordering Information: [Trippi's Uniforms](#)

Manchester Campus

McGill's Inc. Uniforms Unlimited

- Supplies approved MCPHS pharmacy scrubs
- Select "**Shop Your School**" for MCPHS SOP-W/M ordering information
- MCPHS emblems can be affixed to scrubs upon request

Ordering Information: [McGill's Inc. Uniforms Unlimited](#)