Here is where great health care leaders are created.
At the UB School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, our world-renowned researchers and nationally recognized educators create innovative learning environments, awaken intellectual curiosity and challenge scientific boundaries—propelling our students to become the next generation of leaders advancing patient care through progressive medication management and drug discovery.

By making interprofessional education the norm
1. We provide a full range of health sciences training—medicine, nursing, dentistry, allied health and pharmacy—giving our students a dynamic learning experience as part of an integrated health care delivery team. Our students apply these skills in real world settings, from providing medication management in local refugee centers to helping to break the genetic code for cancer treatment in the New York State Center of Excellence in Bioinformatics and Life Sciences.

By merging local health care with global impact
2. Our students teach medication management to the burgeoning immigrant population in Buffalo and embark on medical mission trips throughout the Caribbean and Central America. Through opportunities like these, and our extensive experiential education program comprising more than 750 training sites supported by 1,200 preceptors, our students gain the knowledge, cultural competence and leadership skills necessary to influence public health on a global level.

By pushing the boundaries of pharmaceutical education
3. We have a top 30 research ranking by the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP) for total extramural funding and National Institutes of Health total grant support. This strong foundation fosters groundbreaking research to eradicate antibiotic-resistant E. coli and the development of novel cancer treatments without chemotherapy—two of many vital health care goals on our horizon.

Through our passion for critical research
4. Since 1886, we have impacted the founding principles of pharmacy education, creating guiding principles in drug discovery, therapeutic guidelines and clinical practice. From being the first clinical pharmacokinetics lab in the U.S. to our MS program in Pharmacometrics and Personalized Pharmacotherapy, we have proven ourselves again and again to be trailblazers in the field.

By making interprofessional education the norm
5. Our faculty are American Association for the Advancement of Science fellows, highly cited researchers and, most important, committed teachers who are eager to share their scientific and clinical expertise with their students—giving them a rock-solid academic foundation and the career advantage they need.

Through internationally renowned faculty who care
6. UB pharmacy students make their mark, directing national and local initiatives through leadership positions in the Pharmacists Society of the State of New York and the Student National Pharmaceutical Association.

Quick Facts
- Dean: James O’Donnell, PhD
- Ranked #1 in New York State and #14 in the country by US News and World Report
- Founded in 1886 and the first pharmacy school in the State University of New York (SUNY) system
- 16 degree programs: dual PharmD degrees, combined UB PharmD degrees, BS, BS/MS, MS and PhD
- Over 750 experiential training sites with 1,200 preceptors
- Two new endowed chairs focusing on drug development and clinical pharmacy
- Ranked #26 by the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy for total research funding
- Network of nearly 6,000 alumni
- Accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)