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**University of Southern Nevada
College of Pharmacy**

Fact Sheet

Founded:	1999
Locations:	Henderson Campus (<i>main campus</i>) 11 Sunset Way Henderson, NV 89014 South Jordan Campus 10961 S. River Front Parkway South Jordan, UT 84095
Management:	Harry Rosenberg, Pharm.D., Ph.D. President, University of Southern Nevada Renee Coffman, B.S., Pharm.D., Ph.D. Dean, College of Pharmacy Larry Fannin, B.S. Pharm., Pharm.D. Dean, South Jordan Campus
College of Pharmacy Faculty:	35
Current Students:	406 in Henderson/52 in South Jordan
Graduates:	332 since 2003
Structure:	Courses are taught in a block curriculum system, allowing students to complete a Doctor of Pharmacy degree in three years.
Licensure/ Accreditation:	USN is a private, non-profit 501(c)3 higher learning institution. The University of Southern Nevada is licensed to operate in the State of Nevada by Nevada Commission on Postsecondary Education. The College of Pharmacy is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE) and has an

institutional membership in the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACCP).

Research:

USN College of Pharmacy faculty conduct basic and applied research and publishing in areas as diverse as:

- Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics
- Ocular drug delivery
- Molecular modeling
- Biochemistry and Bioscience
- Oncologic chemotherapy
- Treatment options in HIV-r and cancer-related anemias
- Infectious disease therapeutics and prevention
- Pharmacotherapy in pediatric populations
- Alcohol and substance abuse
- Adverse drug reactions and medication error reporting systems
- Cultural competency in the provision of patient care
- Drug counterfeiting and mechanisms of drug diversion

Statistics:

The USN College of Pharmacy's June 2006 class passed the NAPLEX exam to become a licensed pharmacist at a rate of 97 percent, above the national average of 94 percent.

According to graduates responding to an exit survey, sixty-two percent of the college's 2006 graduates accepted a position in Nevada.

In 2005, based upon data adjusted for population differences, the USN College of Pharmacy received approximately six times more applications from Nevadans than Arizonans; three times more than Californians and approximately 1.3 times more than Utahans.

In 2005, 23 percent of Nevadan applicants were admitted as compared to 17 percent of Utahans, 14 percent of Arizonans and five percent of Californians.

Due to large numbers of applicants from Utah, an extension campus was opened in 2006 in South Jordan to accommodate the high demand. This allows the Henderson campus to accept higher numbers of applicants from Nevada.