

from the Experiential Education Team

IMPORTANT DATES:

Rotation start dates:

July 13, 2026

IPPE RHPP Summer 3

July 20, 2026

IPPE Summer 4

August 3, 2026

IPPE Summer 5

August 10, 2026

APPE Block 3

Hello Preceptors!

We are currently scheduling summer preceptor check-in calls. Please contact us at (expedu@pharmacy.arizona.edu) if you would like us to check-in with you.

Thank you!

Preceptor spotlight!

The R. Ken Coit College of Pharmacy at the University of Arizona proudly introduces Chirag Javia, PharmD, Q Care Pharmacy, Phoenix.



Q Care Pharmacy, Phoenix

July 22, 2026

Mid-point evaluation due:

IPPE RHPP Summer 3

July 27, 2026

Mid-point evaluation due:

IPPE Summer 4

August 10, 2026

Mid-point evaluation due:

IPPE Summer 5

August 26, 2026

Mid-point evaluation due:

APPE Block 3

August 7, 2026

Rotation end date and

final evaluations due:

IPPE RHPP Summer 3

IPPE Summer 4

August 21, 2026

Rotation end date and

final evaluations due:

IPPE Summer 5

September 17, 2026

Rotation end date and

final evaluations due:

APPE Block 3

Q Care Pharmacy is a small, independently owned community pharmacy founded in 2021 with a mission to provide exceptional patient care through transparent communication and strong collaboration with both patients and healthcare providers. Students on rotation can look forward to a well-rounded experience that goes beyond traditional dispensing. In addition to developing clinical skills through discussions, students will gain first-hand exposure to the day-to-day responsibilities of managing an independent pharmacy, including workflow optimization, business operations, and marketing. This rotation is especially valuable for students interested in pharmacy ownership or leadership, as it offers a unique perspective on balancing high-quality patient care with the operational and entrepreneurial aspects of independent community pharmacy.

Dr. Javia shared that precepting has been one of the most rewarding parts of his career because it gives him the opportunity to help shape the next generation of pharmacists. His most memorable moments are seeing students grow in confidence, from their first patient interaction to independently identifying clinical interventions and communicating effectively with patients and providers. Watching students realize the impact they can have on patient care and seeing them develop into confident, compassionate professionals is incredibly fulfilling.

Please contact Loretta Peters (llp2@arizona.edu) or Lupe Lerma (llerma@arizona.edu) if you would like to be a featured preceptor!