

Subject Line: PharmCAS Deadline Extension Announcement

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2021

Hi Sterling,

How are you? Here at the USC School of Pharmacy, we are hopeful as we see the many promising advances made with COVID-19 vaccinations. Further fueling our hope is the resiliency that we've witnessed from prospective students like you, making the best of these unprecedented times. We see you all not just striving, but thriving, and taking every opportunity to grow and learn from new obstacles caused by the pandemic. There's no doubt that the lessons of flexibility, innovation, empathy, and initiative that you are learning now will serve you well as future pharmacists.

It is our job at the USC School of Pharmacy to listen and be accommodating to the needs of our future students, to be flexible with you. Many of you have continued to express a desire to see what happens with the current COVID-19 pandemic before applying, and we hear you. With this in mind, I am writing to provide an exciting update on behalf of the USC School of Pharmacy PharmD program: **The PharmD Admission Committee has decided to extend the PharmCAS application deadline from Monday, February 1, 2021, to Thursday, April 1, 2021.**

Although the deadline has been moved, I still encourage you to [submit your application](#) sooner rather than later. We have rolling admission, with multiple virtual interviews (now extended through May 2021), so the sooner you turn in your application, the more interview dates you have the possibility of being invited to. Applying sooner also gives you access to scholarships that may be awarded earlier in the application cycle.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me at dibbini@usc.edu or by responding to this email. I'm more than happy to help.

Fight On!

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