

Doctor of Pharmacy Graduates Career Pursuit First Year Following Graduation

The following information depicts the first-year employment or studies pursued by the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) graduates of the Lebanese American University (LAU) School of Pharmacy (SOP) between 2019 and 2023:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021*</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019*</u>
Employed (5-years average: 67%)					
Community Pharmacy or Consultant Pharmacist	17	12	4	5	5
Hospital or Other Institutional Settings	4	4	7	3	10
Pharmaceutical Marketing & Sales	4	3	1	4	3
Pharmaceutical Industry (production, research and development)	0	1	2		
Other Fields in Pharmacy**	6	0	2	5	3
Clinical Research	5				
Regulatory Affairs	1				
Not in the Field of Pharmacy	1	0	1		
Total	32 (86.5%)	20 (69.0%)	17 (60.7%)	17 (58.6%)	21 (60.0%)
Pursuing Graduate Studies (19%)					
Residency Program (PGY1 & PGY2)	4	4	6	3	1
MPH/MS	1	1	1	5	3
Total	5 (13.5%)	5 (17.2%)	7 (25.0%)	8 (27.6%)	4 (11.4%)
Training in a Community Pharmacy or Hospital (0.7%)					
Preparing for Licensure (US, Canada...) (3.2%)	0 (0%)	2 (6.9%)	0 (0%)	1 (3.4%)	2 (5.7%)
Unemployed (10.2%)					
Overall response rate (98.75%)	37/37	29/29	28/28	29/31	35/35

*Covid-19 lockdown and national instability

**Other Fields in Pharmacy includes work in/ with: Clinical Research, Quality Control, Quality Assurance, Disease Specialist, Medical Equipment, Regulatory.

