Overview

McCreadie Group

- Relied upon by some of the nation’s leading schools of pharmacy, investigational drug services and hospitals to help them meet their professional objectives
- Devoted to meeting the needs of pharmacy education and residency program stakeholder for gains in efficiency, secure communication, and continuous improvements in performance and outcomes
- Relationship with the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and our in-house training and pharmacy professionals facilitate early insight and response to the rapidly changing demands of pharmacy education and residency program managers

PharmAcademic

- Only national platform that enables preceptors, students and residents to access all programs, with which they are affiliated, via a single log-in
- Web-based pharmacy education software, lends efficiencies and ease to the management of courses, curriculum, experiential education and assessment of students, courses and faculty
- Robust functionality and intuitive, attractive user interface make it a valuable and easy-to-use tool for staff, preceptors and students

Assessments

- Build custom assessment instruments with multiple question types, which can include rubrics, rating scales, checklists, and open-response questions
- Schedule assessments once for automatic delivery throughout the year
- Create assessments of students, course/faculty evaluations, surveys, assignments, and reflective self-evaluations
- Deliver assessments and reminders to faculty, students, and preceptors to be completed on various devices using a web browser
- View individually submitted assessments or aggregate reports of assessment data in real time
- Generate blinded summaries of assessments for faculty and preceptors for release through PharmAcademic

Course Management

- Define didactic courses and track course objectives, faculty, and instructional and assessment methods
- Map courses to curricular outcomes, to ACPE’s Standards 2016 Appendix 1 (science foundation of the curriculum), and to college-defined tags
- Automatically generate a course catalog for faculty and students
• Manage course sections and student course enrollment
• Provide access to student information and portfolios for faculty/instructors through course sections
• Manage course and faculty evaluations, including blinded summaries for faculty
• Generate course data reports for accreditation

Curricular Mapping
• Manage curricular outcomes and map outcome criteria to Bloom's Taxonomy
• Map curricular outcomes to specific courses and experiential education
• Map curricular sets to external standards (NAPLEX, CAPE, ACPE) at the outcomes level
• Assign curricular sets to student portfolios for artifact mapping at the outcomes level
• Create a designed curriculum to articulate and align the curriculum vertically and horizontally
• Define curricular outcome competency levels to demonstrate student mastery progression
• Display curriculum data in spreadsheet reports

Experiential Education
• Manage preceptor, experiential site, and rotation data (including blocked rotations) for IPPEs and APPEs to use year after year
• Create experiential matches with specific parameters designed to reflect the needs of your program
• Collect preceptor availability online or enter availability data for rotation preceptors
• Give students searchable rotation listings with online descriptions of rotations and sites
• Allow students to prioritize regions, rank rotations, and request rotations off
• Run the automated scheduling engine to generate student schedules that adhere to the guidelines for your program
• Manage student and preceptor schedules throughout the year, including notification of schedule changes and automatic updates to scheduled experiential assessments
• Send email messages regarding schedule release, assessments, and reminders

Portfolios
• Automatically create an electronic portfolio when you add each student to PharmAcademic
• Populate PharmAcademic portfolio pages with scheduled courses and rotations to eliminate double-entry
• Provide access to student portfolio views for faculty, instructors, mentors, and preceptors through PharmAcademic
• Students load artifacts, including evidence of learning, CVs, biographical statements, immunizations, and licenses
• Students reflect on assessments, evidence, clinical interventions, courses, rotations, and curricular outcomes
• Students map evidence to courses, rotations, CPD, employment, and outcomes without double-entry of evidence

Summary

✔ National platform that enables preceptors, students and residents to access all programs, with which they are affiliated, via a single log-in

✔ Dedicated, proven ten+ year history of pharmacy software expertise

✔ Easy to use, visually-appealing software for staff, students and preceptors

✔ Powerful match engine for optimal experiential learning rotation scheduling

✔ Simple, straightforward communication and sharing functionality

✔ Robust reporting and data management

✔ Single product from a single company that meets the needs of the entire pharmacy education program

✔ Unparalleled accessibility to a team of pharmacy, education and programming professionals