



College Application Essay Pharmacy School Application Essay

Is medicine magic or some sort of voodoo product that transforms one health from a sick and weak individual to a healthy and strong person that can go about their daily business normally? When I was young that is what I used to ask myself anytime I was sick and after getting treated and getting my prescription I would feel fine, at that time I was just a child and I could never understand how it all worked this made me have interest in pharmacy and as I grew older I developed interest in medicine especially how it is made and how it works to make a sick individual healthy again.

While growing up hospital and pharmacy were part of my environment this is not because I usually fell ill often but my father was a doctor and he had a hospital, my uncle was a pharmacist at the same hospital. I spent most of my free time at the hospital mostly visiting my father and I loved playing with my uncle during his free time and with time I liked the work they were doing to humanity.as I grew older I got attached to my uncle and I started helping in the pharmacy as a messenger and sometime I would prepare tea and coffee for him and my father. This close relationship with both of them heavily influenced on my choice to study pharmacy since I admired their work, work ethics and most importantly I had started to learn a few things about pharmacy and medicine with the help of my uncle.

My family has always been involved in offering human service to people who were in need, first we had a savings account where all the members contributed some funds that would later be donated to various groups especially the homeless and the elderly. During such occasions my dad used to treat those who were sick without charging any fee and together with my uncle they ensured that they also provided medicine to some of the patients as well as offering to cater for further treatment where the situation called for. This is a practice that we still carry on till to date and

seeing how being a doctor and a pharmacist could make a change in a person's life has always influenced most of my decisions, I want to study pharmacy so that I can team up with other individuals in the same profession or any other individual who would want to help people live a better life.

Nothing in life comes easy and for us to achieve our dreams we have to strive and work hard for anything we want, this has always been my motivation in my actions. Throughout my education I ensured that I worked hard and get good grades so as to pursue my dream career. When most of my school mates found science and medicine hard to grasp to me it was the easiest thing as I worked hard and found it easy to understand, during my college years I studied pharmaceutical sciences and other units related to pharmacology and therapeutics. I learnt the roles of a pharmacist in different settings through rotation in both community and institutional pharmacy. One of my most proud achievements was participating in development of molecular imaging at Frangioni Laboratory at Harvard Medical School and my dad was very proud of me I would love to always make him proud through studying pharmacy. After I graduated I worked as a full-time pharmacy technician.

I believe my education background and my professional experience in the field of pharmacy qualifies me to join this institution so that I can expand my knowledge and help improve the quality of the healthcare system for the benefit of the community and the world at large. I am looking forward to a successful stay at the institution and I believe you will give me the opportunity to fulfil my dreams.