

APhA Academy of Student Pharmacists APhA2025 Annual Meeting & Exposition

STUDENT PHARMACISTS GOT TALENT CONTEST

Back by popular demand, we are calling all painters and poets, actors and artists! Do you sing? Can you dance? Whether a solo performer or group, we want to see what you can do, and we know student pharmacists got talent! During APhA2025 Annual Meeting & Exposition in Nashville, TN March 21-24, we want to feature YOU! The top performers from across the country will be featured at the APhA-ASP Kick-off Session on Friday or the Awards Celebration on Saturday. Even if you mime that's fine, show us what you got!

ELIGIBILTY

All performers must comply with the following guidelines:

- 1. Be members of APhA and have the approval of the APhA-ASP Chapter Advisor
- 2. Contestants may perform as a solo act, a duet, or a group ensemble.
- 3. Freestanding props are allowed at the discretion staff; however, water, fire, swords, knives and scenery/props requiring rigging are not permitted.
- 4. The lyrics, actions, and dress code of any performance must comply with all school or college of pharmacy policies for professional conduct.
- 5. Contestant performances may be no more than four minutes in length.
- Acts may be of technical or theatrical nature. Examples include but are not limited to painting, videography, musical (vocal, instrumental, combination), comedic routine, dance/acro, magic act, monologue/acting, and ventriloquism.

*** All submissions that do not comply the above criteria will be disqualified. ***

AUDITION SUBMISSION

Student Pharmacists Got Talent auditions will take place via video recording and YouTube submission. Submitted videos DO NOT have to be highly edited, professional videos. A straightforward, un-edited performance that shows both personality and talent is preferred.

All submissions should be uploaded to YouTube. The link to the video must be included in the submission form https://fs8.formsite.com/APhA-ASP/SPGT/index which is due by **11:59pm PST on January 6, 2025.**

SELECTION

The APhA-ASP National Executive Committee will make the final selection of performances to be included in the APhA-ASP Opening General Session or Awards Celebration. Selected acts will be notified by February 1, 2025. All selected performers will be required to participate in a few conference calls with APhA Staff prior to the APhA2025 Annual Meeting & Exposition. All selected performers will also participate in an onsite, dress rehearsal during the meeting. Student pharmacists selected to perform will receive a complimentary registration to the APhA Annual Meeting & Exposition, and may receive additional for honorarium for related to performance needs.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: What is the prize?

A: The selected acts will perform during the APhA-ASP Opening General Session or APhA-ASP Awards Celebration during the 2025 APhA Annual Meeting & Exposition in Nashville, TN March 21-24. The student pharmacist performers will receive complimentary registration to the meeting. Participants will be highlighted on APhA and APhA-ASP social media channels.

Q: How will the winner be determined?

A: Performances will be selected by the APhA-ASP National Executive Committee based upon technical ability and entertainment factor.

Q: Are there any restrictions on content?

A: Please keep all performances professional, as they will represent you, your school, your chapter, APhA, and the profession. APhA retains the right to refuse use of any performance that is deemed unsuitable for public viewing. This includes the use of explicit material, use of subjective referencing, and use of material that conflicts with the goals and standards of APhA.

Q: What kind of music can I use?

A: Since all performances will take place during the APhA2025 Annual Meeting & Exposition and will not be recorded for public distribution, you can use the music of your choice. If selected, APhA staff may request you perform a different song choice based on the overall feel for the show.

Q: I have never edited a video. Is there a special computer program that I need?

A: No, any video editing program is acceptable. We prefer video audition files be simple and not highly edited.

Q: What will APhA do with my video?

A: Videos may be used as promotion and posted through various mediums, including (but not limited to): pharmacist.com, the APhA-ASP YouTube Channel, the APhA-ASP Facebook Page, and at APhA-ASP Midyear Regional Meetings.

Q: Will I receive a confirmation e-mail?

A: Yes, you will receive an email notifying you if your submission is complete and will be accepted.

Q: How do I submit my audition?

A: Upload it via the Student Pharmacists Got Talent Contest Form at https://fs8.formsite.com/APhA-ASP/SPGT/index

Q: Who should I contact with Questions?

A: If you need assistance, have questions, or need more information, please contact APhA Student Development Staff via e-mail at apha-asp@aphanet.org.