

# A Defence Association and Trade Union Representing Individual Pharmacists, Pharmacy Students and Trainee Pharmacists



## Join Now and Take Advantage of FREE PDA Membership

The PDA (Pharmacists' Defence Association) is the largest pharmacist membership organisation and the only trade union exclusively for pharmacists in the UK. We look after the interests of individual pharmacists, pharmacy students and trainee pharmacists.

We are a not-for-profit membership organisation with over 37,000 members. We are run by experienced pharmacists, union professionals, a legal team and support staff. We work to ensure that you have the protection, support and encouragement to achieve success.

We are committed to supporting you throughout your journey to becoming a qualified pharmacist. The views you share with us and the issues of concern to you are of importance both because you are the profession of tomorrow and because you already matter today.

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## Join the PDA for FREE today!

Turn over for more key reasons to join the PDA, then join us at:  
[www.the-pda.org/join](http://www.the-pda.org/join) **#PDAsstudent**





## Key reasons to join the PDA for FREE today!

- **Free training provided through PDA Education** - we deliver professional development activities (CPD), conferences and events to support you in your MPharm and career.
- **Individual representation** – in the event you end up in front of a university disciplinary committee, we support you through the university Fitness to Practise process.
- **Professional indemnity insurance** – as a PDA member, you would be entitled to £5,000,000\* worth of indemnity protection in the event that you make a mistake at work.
- **Professional advice** – throughout your career, the PDA is here to give you support and advice, when you need it most.
- **PDA actively supports pharmacy students** – each year we deliver workshops to pharmacy students across the country. We also sponsor a variety of student events across the academic year.
- **Each year PDA donates £1 per member to Pharmacist Support**
- **PDA Plus discounts** – being a PDA member gives you unlimited access to many PDA Plus discounts on offer when and wherever you need them.
- **Pro-actively campaigning** – we actively lobby key stakeholders and relevant bodies, nationally and regionally, to protect and progress the interests of pharmacists.
- **Membership of the PDA Union** – a trade union is an organisation which employees (or self-employed workers) join and can get involved in, to gain greater security at work.

## Get Involved

Are you interested in getting more involved in helping to give pharmacy students a voice? Then join the PDA for FREE today at [www.the-pda.org/join](http://www.the-pda.org/join), then find out how you can become a PDA Union Student Rep by emailing us at: [students@the-pda.org](mailto:students@the-pda.org)

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