



Know Who to Call, Introducing Husky Assist

When you or someone on campus needs more than just a check-in, help is available. Meet [Husky Assist](#), UW's mobile response team of trained mental health professionals who provide on-site assistance to students, faculty, and staff during mental health or substance use crises. Whether it's emotional distress, safety concerns, or connecting someone to the right resources, contact Husky Assist. Available weekdays on the Seattle campus, 11 AM – 8 PM. Call 206-543-9331 to reach the team. [After-hours resources on and off campus.](#)

UW Medicine Federal Policy Updates

Recent federal policy updates for students, faculty, and staff are available in [Vitals](#) and [UW Medicine Federal Policy Updates Site](#). We encourage you to review the information as needed, and we will continue to share updates as they become available.

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, February 10, 2026 – 2:30 PM

Winter Seminar

Speaker: Maria I. Kontaridis, PhD

Topic: The importance of signaling modulations in obesity, heart disease, and fibrosis

Location: Foege S060

Wednesday, February 11, 2026 – 10:00 AM

Special Seminar Series

Speaker: Moustafa T. Gabr, PhD

Topic: Reprogramming Immunity: Small Molecule Modulators of Immune Checkpoints

Location: HSB D-209

Thursday, February 12 & 13 – Graduate Student Recruitment

Monday, February 16, 2026 – Closed in observance of Presidents' Day

Wednesday, February 18, 2026 – 10:00 AM

Special Seminar Series

Speaker: Paul G DeCaen, PhD

Topic: TBA

Location: HSB K-069

[Link to Winter Quarter Pharmacology Seminars](#)

Important Reminders

Registration for Spring Quarter opens on Thursday, February 12th.

Contact Debbie for course Add Codes, if needed.

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We appreciate you reading Pharmacology Friday and staying connected with our department.

We welcome announcements, achievements, and suggestions for future newsletters. Please email phcol@uw.edu with the subject line "Pharmacology Friday".