



PHARMACOLOGY FRIDAY AUGUST 28, 2026

Student Loan Repayment Opportunity

Graduate students and other researchers with student loan debt who conduct biomedical or biobehavioral research may be eligible for an NIH Loan Repayment Program (LRP) award.

The NIH LRP can repay up to \$100,000 in qualified educational debt over a two-year award period. You do not need to have an NIH grant to apply; however, your research must be supported by a domestic nonprofit organization or a U.S. federal, state, or local government entity.

For UW applicants, an internal eGC1 is not required. If your research funding is administered through another institution, such as Fred Hutch, that institution should verify your application.

[UW guidance for getting started with an LRP application.](#)

Application deadline: November 19, 2026

Applicant webinar: October 6, 2026 — registration required

[Learn more and register for the NIH webinar](#)

Thanks For Joining Us

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our visit to the UW Biology Greenhouse! We hope you enjoyed the visit as much as we did, and we hope to find another campus adventure soon.

We are sharing a few photos from our visit to give you a glimpse of some of the beautiful plants in the greenhouse.



Upcoming Events

September 8, 2026: [UW Medicine Town Hall](#), 11:00 AM. Submit your questions and comments to the [UW Medicine Employee Feedback Form](#).

September 14, 2026: Nelson Ayala Thesis Defense, 10:30 AM, Room K069

September 24, 2026: Pharmacology Retreat

Staff Notes

Please note the following out-of-office dates:

Jenny: September 16-23

Do you have news to share? Please email phcolnew@uw.edu and use the subject line: Pharmacology Friday.

