

Laptop requirement for the DKICP Class of 2020 (July 2016)

All students in the Class of 2020 are highly recommended to purchase a laptop computer for use during their four years of study in the PharmD program. Additionally, UHH-DKICP uses ExamSoft (electronic testing software) and a laptop meeting the specifications below will be necessary for you to be able to sit for your exams. (If you already own a laptop with these minimum specifications there is no need to purchase a new one).

Please note:

- **SofTest cannot be used on virtual operating systems such as Microsoft's Virtual Machine, Parallels, VMware, VMware Fusion or any other virtual environments.**
- **The DKICP licensed version of ExamSoft will not operate on MAC tablets.**
- **ExamSoft does not support Tablet or Convertible devices other than the Surface Pro 1, 2, 3, and 4.**

If you would like to purchase a computer or software from the UH Hilo Bookstore please visit:

<http://www.uhbooks.hawaii.edu/computers/lists.asp>. If they do not have what you need in stock, they will order for you from the UH Manoa bookstore.

We highly recommend that you purchase your laptop before coming to Hilo in August. Purchasing from the bookstore may be delayed by weeks or months.

Please note: It is your responsibility to maintain your computer; UHH-DKICP does not provide hardware or software technical support for student computers. You might want to consider an extended warranty which covers you while you are a student in the program. Additionally, should you be receiving financial aid, financial aid will be allocated upon request to cover the cost of one computer during your four year program.

How to check your computer

specifications: <http://support.examssoft.com/ics/support/kbanswer.asp?deptID=15194&task=knowledge&questionID=203>

PC Requirements:

- SofTest can be used on most modern Microsoft Windows based computers (i.e. purchased within the last 3-4 years. Please see specific system requirements as noted below.
- CPU Processor: 1.86Ghz Intel Core 2 Duo or greater
 - RAM: highest recommended for the operating system or 2GB
 - Hard Drive: highest recommended for the operating system or 1GB of available space.
 - Only genuine, U.S.-English versions of Windows Operating Systems are supported.
 - 32-bit and 64-bit Versions of Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, and Windows 10.
 - ExamSoft does not support Tablet or Convertible devices other than Surface Pro 1, 2, 3, & 4. See below for those Minimum System Requirements.
 - For onsite support, and in order to backup the answer files to USB, a working USB port is required (Newer devices may require an adaptor).
 - Internet connection for SofTest Download, Registration, Exam Download and Upload.
 - Screen Resolution must be 1024x768 or higher.
 - Administrator level account permissions.
 - Adobe Reader (Version 9, 11, or DC) is required for exams containing PDF attachments.

Surface Pro Requirements:

- Surface Pro 1, 2, and 4 (Non-Pro Surface devices are NOT supported).
- Surface Pro 3 (Pro and Non-Pro devices ARE supported).
- External Keyboard (USB or Bluetooth) required. Bluetooth keyboards must be paired prior to launching exam.
- Hard Drive: Minimum of 1GB available space.
- Adobe Reader XI is required for exams containing PDF attachments.
- For onsite support, a working USB port is required (Newer devices may require an adaptor).
- Internet connection for SofTest Download, Registrations, Exam Download and Upload.
- Screen Resolution must be 1920x1080.
- Administrator level account permissions.

Mac Requirements:

- SofTest can be used on most modern Mac OS X based computers (i.e. purchased within the last 3-4 years). Please see specific system requirements as noted below.
- Operating System: OS X 10.7 (Lion), OS X 10.8 (Mountain Lion), OS X 10.9 (Mavericks), OS X 10.10 (Yosemite), and OS X 10.11 (El Capitan). Only genuine versions of Mac Operating Systems are supported.
- CPU: Intel processor
- RAM: 2GB
- Hard Drive: 1GB or higher available space.
- For onsite support, and in order to backup the answer files to USB, a working USB port is required (Newer devices may require an adaptor).
- Server version of Mac OS X is not supported .
- Internet connection for SofTest Download, Registration, Exam Download and Upload.
- Administrator level account permissions