Pharmacy Technicians

CPPE
CENTRE FOR PHARMACY POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION

Pharmacy technician's factsheet

CPPE have worked with Pharmacist Support and APTUK to produce this pharmacy technicians' factsheet that provides you with advice and resources to support you in a number of areas, including:

qualifying and registering as a pharmacy technician, revalidation and fitness to practice, employment issues, money management, wellbeing, financial and legal advice.

Social media

Engage with your peers and our tutors on the CPPE pharmacy technicians Facebook page. Or via our dedicated Twitter account @CppeTechnicians.

Accuracy checking pharmacy technician programme

The CPPE *Accuracy checking pharmacy technician* (ACPT) programme aims to support pharmacy technicians to:

- develop the skills required to be a safe final accuracy checking pharmacy technician

- improve leadership skills to direct the dispensary team

- support the multi-disciplinary team to deliver patient-facing services.

Payment for this course can be made by you or your employer: the total cost for a place on the course is **£330 including VAT**.

The ACPT programme is open to pharmacy technicians who are registered with the General Pharmaceutical Council (GPhC), work in a premises in England and who meet the entry criteria. You can check the entry criteria here.

Pharmacy technicians: enhancing your professional practice e-learning

The aim of this self-directed e-course is to support pharmacy technicians to recognise how their skills, knowledge, understanding and professional behaviours allow them to provide safe and effective care to the people they serve, as the pharmacy technician role continues to evolve.

There is a self-assessment framework to help identify personal learning needs and this will direct to specific elements of this e-course that will help meet these learning needs. https://www.cppe.ac.uk/programmes/l?t=PharmTech-EC-01

Dispensary based calculations for pharmacy technicians

This e-learning from CPPE has been developed to support pharmacy technicians with dispensary-based calculations to ensure accuracy and safety when preparing, dispensing and checking prescriptions for patients. There is also a linked e-assessment to see if learning outcomes within the programme have been met. https://www.cppe.ac.uk/programmes/l/pharmtech-e-01

Professionalism and professional judgement for pharmacy technicians

This e-learning from CPPE has been developed to support pharmacy technicians to further their understanding of professionalism, apply professional judgement in different situations and develop knowledge to improve patient care, experiences and outcomes. There is also a linked e-assessment https://www.cppe.ac.uk/programmes/l/professionalism-e-01

The Chief Pharmaceutical Officer's Pharmacy leaders development programme

This programme is for experienced pharmacists and pharmacy technicians who aspire to lead large and complex NHS departments, services, teams or systems of care to benefit patients and local communities. There are 30 places available for each cohort. https://www.cppe.ac.uk/skills/pharmacy-leaders#navTop

Leading for change

Leading for Change is open to pharmacy professionals from all sectors of practice, including community pharmacy.

This fully funded leadership programme is open to anyone who has responsibility for leading a team or leading services within their organisation and would like to develop their skills further. https://www.cppe.ac.uk/skills/leading