

2018

CAPT

Professional Development Conference



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

May 4th to 6th 2018 | Westin Spa & Resort, Whistler, BC



Canadian Association of Pharmacy Technicians Professional Development Conference

FRIDAY MAY 4, 2018

7:00 pm

Welcome Reception with Exhibitors & CAPT Board Introductions

SATURDAY MAY 5, 2018

7:30 am

Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors

8:15 am

Welcome Remarks

8:30 am

SESSION A : The Essence of Pharmacy Technicians' Practice: Professionalism and Ethics Unwrapped

*Dr. Patricia Gerber B.Sc. (Pharm), ACPR, Pharm.D., FCSHP, Associate Professor /
Director, Doctor of Pharmacy (Graduate) Program, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences / The University
of British Columbia*

In recent years the pharmacy technician profession has undergone significant changes in regulation and scope of practice. In this presentation Dr. Gerber will describe how professionalism and ethics are the foundation of competent practice. Through examples she will bring awareness to the importance of professional identity in today's practice and tomorrow's professionals. By the end of the session and upon reflection, participants will be able to:

- ◆ Distinguish between professionalism and ethics and describe how they impact behaviour, attitude, and judgement.
- ◆ List expectations for ethical practice by pharmacy technician
- ◆ Review the predominant ethical theories that support contemporary ethical practice.
- ◆ Discuss best practices related to social media use
- ◆ Outline how professionalism and the socialization process inform the development of a professional identity.
- ◆ Outline the role of the hidden curriculum and of role models in shaping evolving identities.

9:30 am

CAPT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

10:00 am

Refreshment Break with Exhibitors



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SESSION B: College Tech Talk 2018

Ashifa Keshavji, RPh, Director of Practice Reviews & Quality Assurance

Ashley Cheung, Coordinator of Practice Reviews & Competency

Bethany Gamache, Coordinator of Hospital Practice Reviews/Compliance Officer

*Kathleen Nguyen, Registered Pharmacy Technician, Coordinator for Registration and Licensure
College of Pharmacists of British Columbia*

From compounding standards to practice reviews, learn what's happening at the College and how it affects pharmacy technician practice in BC.

12:00 pm

Exhibitor Buffet Lunch

1:15 pm

SESSION C: Take a Deep Breath, Understanding Inhaler Techniques

Sheena Deane

Learning Objectives:

- ◆ Understand the various diseases treated by Inhalation devices
- ◆ Learn the differences between the types of inhalers
- ◆ Review the use of the devices
- ◆ Other devices used in treatment of respiratory issues
- ◆ How Pharmacy Technicians can support patient's care plan

2:15 pm

SESSION D: Learn about the interchangeability of insulin pump infusion sets to increase pharmacy sales and reduce costs for clients

Melany Hellstern, President, insulinpumps.ca

Learning Objectives:

- ◆ Describe how continuous subcutaneous insulin pump therapy works and the components of a pump
- ◆ Identify the insulin pumps currently available in Canada and their manufacturers including warranty re use of infusion sets
- ◆ Identify the manufacture(s) of infusion sets for insulin pumps currently available in Canada
- ◆ Identify the difference between a luer lock and Paradigm tubing/reservoir connection
- ◆ Identify the identical on-body connections for the various "classes" of infusion sets that can be inter-changed to help clients save money
- ◆ Review infusion set substitution charts

3:15 pm

Refreshment Break with Exhibitors



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SESSION E: Session E Inter-Professional Collaboration between Pharmacists and Registered Pharmacy Technicians

Jamie Yuen BSc (Pharm), RPh, BCGP, Patient Care Practitioner, Lecturer, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences / Pharmacists Clinic, The University of British Columbia / Vancouver Campus

Pharmacists and Registered Pharmacy Technicians in both the community and hospital setting both contribute to patient care. Inter-professional collaboration between the two professions is critical to optimize opportunities to provide quality care. This session will review the pharmacist and registered pharmacy technician thought processes and roles and identify areas for inter-professional collaboration.

Eric Sveinson Sletmoen, R.Ph.T., HEU Shop Steward (VGH Local)

Eric became passionate about pharmacy after years working towards a career in theatre, realizing that medicines and health is a unifying factor for people - something we all have in common. He is especially passionate about the role of pharmacy in treating mental health issues, and the impact pharmaceutical care has on these patients. One of the best things about working in a professional acute healthcare environment is the constant exposure to new information and the ability to learn from other colleagues and healthcare professions, from pharmacy to nursing. At this year's conference, Eric hopes his passion for interprofessional teamwork and learning will rub off on the rest of you.

5:00 pm

CAPT Pub Night

Dubh Linn Gate Pub, 4320 Sundial Crescent

Please join the CAPT Board for a complimentary beverage and appetizers at the Dubh Linn Gate Pub from 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm. The rest of the evening is yours to enjoy—have fun!





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SUNDAY MAY 6, 2018

8:00 am

Hot Buffet Breakfast

8:30 am

SESSION F: Hot Topics Stenberg College

Topic #1: Malaria Prevention

Maria Leonora Martinez, Student, Stenberg College

This session will give delegates an understanding of what malaria is, the different types, how to recognize and diagnose, drug resistance, treatment, prevention and costs of treatment. Malaria in children and pregnant women will also be discussed.

Topic # 2 Superbugs

Sam Martens, Student, Stenberg College

This session will discuss what a superbug is, microbial resistance, antibiotics, educating patients and families, educating doctors, and the effects of travel on spreading superbugs.

9:30 am

SESSION G: Pier Health Addiction Resource Centre

Amanda Pelcz, Cindy Chase, Alyssa Stanlake, Pier Health

Since 2015, Pier Health Resource Centre has been innovating healthcare in the Downtown Eastside of Vancouver, bringing a new standard of care to homeless and at-risk patients. Pier uses an interdisciplinary team of Registered Pharmacy Technician, Licensed Practical Nurse and Clinical Pharmacist to service over 250 clients daily. When the Opioid Crisis hit in late 2016, Pier became the only pharmacy in the world to offer an injectable Hydromorphone program as an opioid replacement therapy, a program that has grown to over 60 active patients and counting. The ladies of Pier are excited to describe the different innovations, workflow structures and communication philosophies that allow them to bring order to the chaos.

10:30 am

Refreshment Break

10:45 am

SESSION H: The “Bases” of Compounding

Benjamin Tanguay, Pharm.D., Gentès & Bolduc Pharmacists

This hour-long session will explore the fundamentals of pharmacy compounding, with an emphasis on compounding bases. Case studies will be used to study adequate compounding environments, formula development, compounding techniques as well as quality assurance.

Learning objectives:

- Ability to identify safe and appropriate compounding environments according to NAPRA and USP <795> guidelines
- Comprehension of the importance of quality assurance and quality control in pharmacy compounding
- Proficiency in explaining the different types of compounding bases and how to best use them
- Ability to recognize situations in which patients would benefit from a compounded medication



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SUNDAY MAY 6, 2018

11:45 am

SESSION I: Making a Pledge for Cultural Humility in Indigenous Health

*Jason Min BSc(Pharm), RPh, Lecturer, Pharmacist, Interprofessional Education Co-Lead
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences / Pharmacists Clinic, The University of British Columbia / Vancouver
Campus*

Despite ongoing efforts, health disparities between Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations persist. In this interactive and dynamic session, we will challenge participants to reflect on their own personal biases to acknowledge the importance of integrating cultural safety and humility in today's pharmacy practice. We will explore topics such as appropriate terminology, identity, historical context, and Indigenous perspectives on health and wellbeing. The presenter will also share their experiences and motivations for collaborating with Indigenous communities in the provision of culturally-safe pharmacy services.

12:45 pm

CLOSING REMARKS



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