

CLINICAL PHARMACISTS



As a regulated health care profession, pharmacists are responsible for, and accountable to, patients through legislation, and the standards and bylaws of the professional regulatory authority in the province or territory in which they practice. To practice in British Columbia (BC), pharmacists must be registered with the College of Pharmacists of British Columbia (CPBC).

In addition to obtaining full registration with CPBC to practice as a clinical pharmacist in BC you must have certified completion of an accredited Hospital Pharmacy Residency Program, and at least one (1) year of recent, related hospital pharmacy experience. To practice as a clinical pharmacy specialist in BC, you must meet the criteria for clinical pharmacists, have a post-graduate Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) degree, and at least two (2) years of hospital pharmacy experience including a minimum of one (1) year of experience in the designated specialty area of practice.

CANADIAN CLINICAL PHARMACISTS

If you are a registered, practising Clinical Pharmacist in good standing with a regulatory college in another Canadian jurisdiction, you are likely eligible for registration with CPBC through the Canadian Free Trade Agreement. If you are on the non-patient care register in another Canadian jurisdiction, you will not be able to apply through this category unless you transfer to the patient-care register prior to registering with CPBC.

INTERNATIONALLY EDUCATED CLINICAL PHARMACISTS

The first step for all International Pharmacy Graduates is to register on the Pharmacists Gateway Canada to connect to the National Association of Pharmacy Regulatory Authorities (NAPRA).

- You will likely be eligible for registration with CPBC if you completed an approved pharmaceutical education program in the United States, meet the minimum practice hour requirements and have successfully completed Part I and Part II of the Pharmacy Examining Board of Canada (PEBC) Qualifying Exams, and the CPBC Jurisprudence Exam.
- Prior to completing the PEBC Qualifying Exams and the CPBC Jurisprudence Exam, international pharmacy graduates educated outside of the United States must successfully complete the Structured Practical Training Program (SPT), the PEBC Document Evaluation Process, and the PEBC Evaluating Exam.
- To fulfill the SPT requirement, international pharmacy graduates, and US trained pharmacists that do not meet the CPBC's minimum practice hour requirements, must enrol in the Canadian Pharmacy Practice Program (CP3). This program is only offered at the University of British Columbia, and it is a comprehensive bridging program designed to help international pharmacy graduates achieve the skills, and competencies required to practice pharmacy in Canada.

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ADVANCE YOUR CAREER IN BRITISH COLUMBIA (BC), CANADA

You will find that British Columbia (BC), Canada is the perfect place to advance your career AND live the life you've always wanted.

Choose from a variety of positions in both rural communities and urban areas, where you can make a real impact on patient care. Rewarding career opportunities are available for clinical pharmacists throughout the province, and no matter where you choose to live, you'll feel in awe of the power and beauty of nature. The pursuit of a balanced lifestyle is taken seriously in BC - the spectacular scenery, unlimited recreational activities, rewarding career opportunities and safe, caring communities create an inspiring backdrop for everything you do.

DON'T YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF TO CONSIDER BC?

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Interested in matching your lifestyle with exciting career opportunities? We're here to help! Health Match BC is a **free recruitment service** for health professionals funded by the Government of British Columbia (BC), Canada. We facilitate the recruitment of Clinical Pharmacists on behalf of BC's publicly funded health employers. Our specialized Allied Health Recruitment Team is here to help you find a job at any stage of your career by providing you with personalized guidance, advice, and information.

REGISTER ONLINE SO OUR ALLIED HEALTH RECRUITMENT TEAM CAN:

- Guide and support you through the professional licensing and registration process.
- Work with you to determine where you want to focus your search efforts, and identify the communities where you would most like to live and work, and that would work best for you, and your family.
- Match your skills and interests to job vacancies in regions and facilities of your choice, and connect you with prospective employers.
- Provide you with personal, and professional support from the initial stages of expressing interest, to receiving an offer of employment, and beyond.
- If needed, we can also provide information and guidance on the immigration process.



TO EXPLORE YOUR OPTIONS, VISIT OUR
WEBSITE AT HEALTHMATCHBC.ORG.

UPLOAD YOUR CV, AND ANSWER A FEW
SIMPLE QUESTIONS TO CREATE AN
ACCOUNT SO THAT WE CAN GET TO
KNOW YOU BETTER, AND ANSWER ANY
QUESTIONS YOU MIGHT HAVE.

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