COLLEGE OF PHARMACISTS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Strategic Plan 2008-2013

Our Vision

As the medication experts, registrants are professionals who apply their full knowledge, skills and abilities to achieve the best possible healthcare results through patient-centered care.

Our Mission

To protect the public by ensuring that College registrants provide safe and effective pharmacy care to help people achieve better health.

Our Values

- Interactions will be handled ethically with respect and dignity while ensuring confidentiality.
- Integrity, honesty, accountability, transparency and responsiveness in all that we do.
- A culture of collaboration, learning and openness to change.

Core Responsibilities

- Registration/Licensure
  - Registrant (Entry to Practice & Annual renewal)
  - Pharmacy (Initial & Annual Renewal)
- Quality Assurance
  - Standards of Practice and Code of Ethics
  - Professional Development and Assessment (continuing education & assessment)
  - Complaints Resolution (Inquiry and Discipline)
  - Inspections
- Drug Scheduling

Strategic Goal 1

The enhanced and expanded care and services that registrants deliver are safe and effective and aligned with the healthcare needs of the public.

Goal 1 Objectives

- Develop a model and support associated legislation for ensuring advanced professional practice in a manner that supports pharmacists in the delivery of consultation, cognitive services, medication management, and dispensing and prescribing services.
- Develop a model for pharmacy technician regulation, seek government approval on bylaws* and integrate into College processes and programs.
- Identify and support initiatives that ensure that the skills of pharmacists and regulated pharmacy technicians are developed in accordance with the scope of practice.
- Continue to implement the plan to remove non-medicinal nicotine products from buildings that have pharmacies.

Strategic Goal 2

The College sets standards and conditions to ensure that emerging technologies and changes to pharmacy processes contribute to safe and effective pharmacy care.

Goal 2 Objectives

- Develop a policy framework to monitor safe and effective utilization of pharmacy technologies and practice processes*.
- Continue to promote the need for and access to an Electronic Health Record that includes all drugs and all people.

Strategic Goal 3

The public, government, healthcare professionals, and registrants understand the role and value of the registrant.

Goal 3 Objective

- Develop and maintain a communications strategy by stakeholder.

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