



Community Pharmacy Manager Education

Purpose

This Regulatory Statement specifies the educational program, and the program completion requirements, approved by the Board for the purpose of section 28.1 of the bylaws of the College under the *Pharmacy Operations and Drug Scheduling Act* (“PODSA”).

Background

To ensure that community pharmacy managers are aware of, understand, and comply with all of their obligations under PODSA and the PODSA bylaws, section 28.1 of the PODSA bylaws requires every community pharmacy’s manager to prove successful completion of an educational program approved by the Board from time to time, in accordance with the frequency or schedule approved by the Board from time to time.

Registrants who are interested in becoming community pharmacy managers are encouraged to complete the program at their discretion in preparation for their future positions.

Requirements

1. Community pharmacy managers must complete the following educational program:

Course Name: BC Community Pharmacy Manager Training Program
Course Provider: British Columbia Pharmacy Association

2. The program must be completed in accordance with the following schedule:

- (a) for all community pharmacy managers, no later than one year after appointment;
- (b) for all community pharmacy managers, every three years after compliance with (a).

3. All community pharmacy managers must record self-declaration of training completion in e-Services for both 2.(a) and 2.(b).

For certainty, community pharmacy managers are considered to have complied with 2.(a) on the date that they completed the program, whether that date is before or after their appointment as manager.

Legislation

- PODSA s. 21(1)
- PODSA bylaws s. 28.1

Additional Information

This Regulatory Statement replaces and supersedes Professional Practice Policy-69.

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