



What Can Clinical Pharmacy Services Do For My Practice?

What does a Clinical Pharmacist do?

A clinical pharmacist is available for consultation with providers to develop and implement an optimal medication plan to meet the overall goals of patient care established by the health care team.

Who should I refer to a Clinical Pharmacist?

Patients that are having trouble achieving therapeutic goals for chronic disease conditions including hypertension, cholesterol and diabetes (i.e. blood pressure, LDL, HbA1C)

Assess tolerability or proper use for patients starting new medication

Evaluate safety concerns (drug interactions or side effects)

Support medication adherence efforts

What types of services does a Clinical Pharmacist provide?

Evaluate the appropriateness and effectiveness of the patient's medication regimen

Optimize evidence based therapies

Support patient's reaching therapeutic goals

Reduce inappropriate utilization of high-risk medication

Medication adherence concerns

Educational support for new products

Appropriate medication selection and dosing for high risk patients (renal or hepatic insufficiency, elderly, polypharmacy)

Assess prescribing patterns to promote cost effective medication therapy

Resource for specialized drug information

Upon request, our clinical pharmacist will provide updates on major drug recalls, drug disposal, and new legislation (EG: ISTOP.)

