

MY NEXT MOVE

Pharmacy Technicians

Also called: Certified Pharmacy Technician (CPhT), Chemotherapy Pharmacy Technician (Chemo Pharmacy Technician), OR Pharmacy Tech (Operating Room Pharmacy Tech), RPhT (Registered Pharmacy Technician)

What they do:

Prepare medications under the direction of a pharmacist. May measure, mix, count out, label, and record amounts and dosages of medications according to prescription orders.

On the job, you would:

- Receive written prescription or refill requests and verify that information is complete and accurate.
- Enter prescription information into computer databases.
- Establish or maintain patient profiles, including lists of medications taken by individual patients.

KNOWLEDGE

Business

- customer service
- administrative services

Health

- medicine and dentistry

Math and Science

- arithmetic, algebra, geometry, calculus, or statistics

Arts and Humanities

- English language

SKILLS

Basic Skills

- listening to others, not interrupting, and asking good questions
- reading work related information

Problem Solving

- noticing a problem and figuring out the best way to solve it

ABILITIES

Verbal

- communicate by speaking
- listen and understand what people say

Ideas and Logic

- notice when problems happen
- order or arrange things

Hand and Finger Use

- put together small parts with your fingers
- hold or move items with your hands

Attention

- do two or more things at the same time

PERSONALITY

People interested in this work like activities that include **data, detail**, and regular routines.

They do well at jobs that need:

- **Attention to Detail**
- **Integrity**
- **Dependability**
- **Cooperation**
- **Self Control**
- **Stress Tolerance**

TECHNOLOGY

You might use software like this on the job:

Spreadsheet software

- Microsoft Excel 🔥

Presentation software

- Microsoft PowerPoint 🔥

Medical software

- MEDITECH software
- Pharmaceutical software

EDUCATION



certificate after high school or
high school diploma/GED

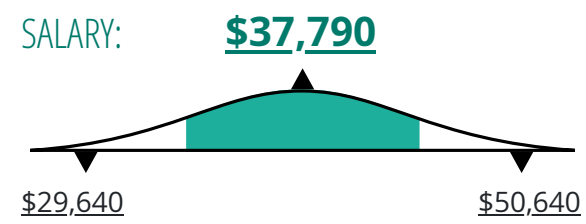
usually needed

JOB OUTLOOK



New job opportunities are **likely** in the future.

Average



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