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Entry

- o DSE
- o 39 in 4C+2X (42 at most)
- o Min. 30, Max. 39
- o 31 students in class



What is Pharmacy?

- Count, pour, lick and stick?
- Sitting in pharmacy picking?

MORE THAN THAT!

- Prepares medications by reviewing and interpreting physician orders; **detecting therapeutic incompatibilities.**
- **Dispenses** medications by compounding, packaging, and labeling pharmaceuticals.
- Controls medications **by monitoring drug therapies; advising interventions.**
- Completes pharmacy **operational** requirements by organizing and directing.
- Provides **pharmacological information** by answering questions and requests of health care professionals; counseling patients on drug therapies.
- Develops hospital staff's pharmacological **knowledge** by participating in clinical programs.
- Complies with state and federal drug laws as regulated by the state board of pharmacy.



Stresses ahead

- Recognition
- Learning
- Career planning




Recognition

- By other medical professionals



Learning Atmosphere

- Freshmen
- Current students



It is important for a profession such as pharmacy to have sets of knowledge different from those of other health care ... We cannot utilize and apply only the knowledge that the physician or the nurse has and act only as watchdogs.

- Alexander T. Florence



Facilities

- Accommodation
- Access to patients



Recognition

- By other medical professionals
- By public



Career pathway

- Limited pathways
- Low chance
- Irrelevance to professional



Summary

- Not recognised by professionals
- It is becoming a VTC
- Public does not know what is pharmacy
- Panic on career



Thank you