

# We support our members through:

Advocacy

Education

Information Sharing

Development of Guidelines for Best Practices

Facilitation of Research and Education (grants and scholarships) through the CSHP Foundation

Recognition of Excellence: Awards and Fellows Program

## About CSHP

The Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists (CSHP) represents pharmacy professionals working in hospitals and other collaborative healthcare settings who seek excellence in patient care through the advancement of safe and effective medication use. A not-for-profit organization, CSHP offers its over 3,000 pharmacist and pharmacy technician members a national voice through advocacy, education, information sharing, promotion of best practices, conferences, facilitation of research, and recognition of excellence. The Society publishes the Canadian Journal of Hospital Pharmacy, conducts the Hospital Pharmacy in Canada Survey, and accredits pharmacy residency programs across Canada.

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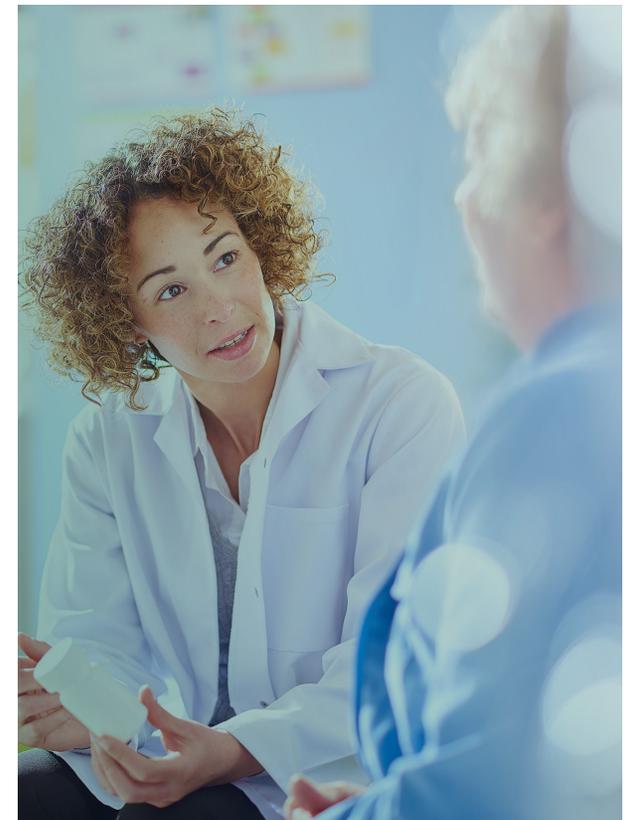
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# 1 YOU are a pharmacist's priority.

When evaluating your medications, your pharmacy team will:

- Discuss your preferences, values, and needs with you
- Empower you and your caregivers to be more involved in your care
- Ensure you understand your medications and the information provided



# 2 YOU have access to a medication expert in your pharmacist.

Your pharmacy team is trained to ensure that your medication is:

- Safe and effective for you
- Based on the latest scientific evidence
- Tailored to meet your individual needs

# 3 YOU benefit from having a pharmacist on your healthcare team.

Your pharmacy team is trained to work with doctors, nurses, and other healthcare providers to:

- Provide you with the best individualized care and treatments
- Help you to make informed medication decisions
- Optimize your medications to reduce hospital visits



# 4 YOU and your healthcare team can learn a lot from your pharmacist.

Through effective communication and education, your pharmacist will:

- Educate you and your caregivers on the best way to take your medications and use your medication devices
- Discuss various medication options for you to create personalized care plans
- Enable you and your caregivers to make decisions about your healthcare needs
- Teach healthcare professionals on your care team about optimal medications and health management