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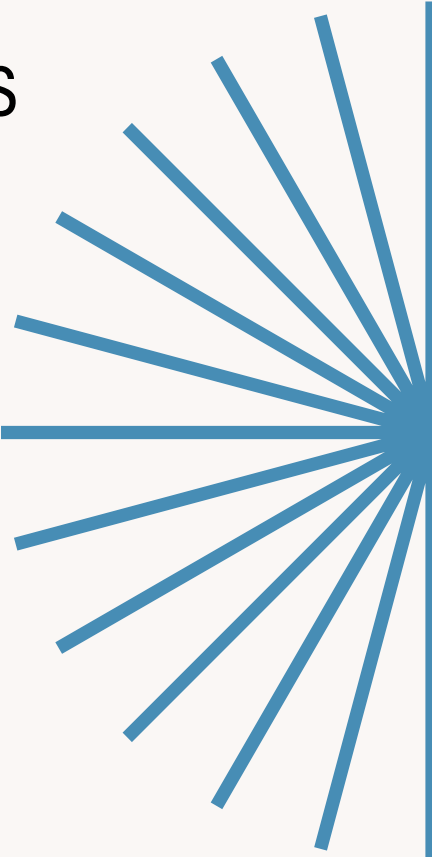
PROGRAM: NOVEMBER 12TH, 2023

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

- 11:30 am Best Practice to Maintain a Sterile Compounding Pharmacy
- 12:30 pm Obesity Pharmacotherapy: Current Concepts and Approaches
- 1:45 pm Applying the Scope of the Pharmacy Technician in Diabetes Care using Continuous Glucose Monitoring
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- 2:45 pm Get PrEP'd: HIV Prevention & The Pharmacy Technician



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OUR CONFERENCES - FALL & SPRING

The goal of our conferences is to expand professional practice and provide learning opportunities that offer new and innovative topics to all pharmacy technicians & assistants across Canada.



REGISTRATION

All registrations are to be completed online at www.capt.ca

Registration Fee \$50 + GST

Includes one-day accredited conference registration

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1. A \$25 service charge applies to all registration cancellations submitted via email and received before **Wednesday, November 1st, 2023**. A registrant must provide the registration confirmation number when submitting a cancellation request to mhilland@capt.ca.
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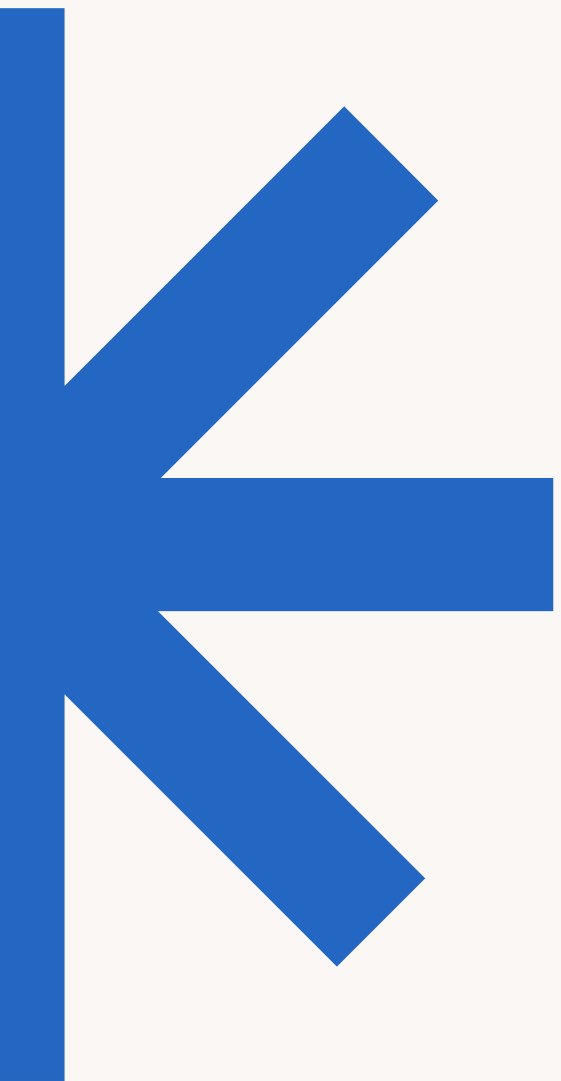


Best Practice to Maintain a Sterile Compounding Pharmacy

Ensuring patient safety and the safe delivery of compounded sterile medications relies heavily on the meticulous process of cleaning and disinfecting.

In this presentation, we will delve into the best practices for maintaining a sterile compounding suite, encompassing both Primary and Secondary Engineering Controls.

By the end of this session, participants will gain insight into the essential products required and the recommended cleaning frequencies to maintain a microbial state-of-control.



Best Practice to Maintain a Sterile Compounding Pharmacy

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

By the end of this presentation, the learner will:

- The different areas inside a sterile compounding suite
- The required frequencies and best-practices for cleaning and disinfecting PEC's
- The required frequencies and best-practices for cleaning and disinfecting the SEC.

Best Practice to Maintain a Sterile Compounding Pharmacy

SPEAKER

Michael Myers

Michael Myers began working at Contec in 1998 and has held various key positions, including product development, sales management, and technical support. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Communications from Appalachian State University.

As the Clinical Support Manager for Contec's Healthcare division, Michael's role is developing educational resources and conducting in-service training for pharmacy technicians.

Michael received the John Martin Outstanding New Member Award by the Institute of Environmental Sciences and Technology (IEST) in 2022.

OBESITY PHARMACOTHERAPY: Current Concepts and Approaches

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Appreciate the contemporary role of pharmacotherapy as a pillar of weight management.
- Review the current Obesity Canada guidelines pertaining to obesity pharmacotherapy.
- Discuss new trial data and updates.

OBESITY PHARMACOTHERAPY

SPEAKER

Dr. Jonathan Gabor

Jonathan Gabor is an internist with post-graduate subspecialty expertise and training in cardiometabolic disease including heart failure, hypertension, atrial fibrillation, metabolic syndrome, dyslipidemia, metabolic dysfunction-associated steatotic liver disease, and obstructive sleep apnea. He is board-certified in obesity from the American Board of Obesity Medicine, a Specialist in Clinical Hypertension from the American Society of Hypertension, a Specialist in Heart Failure from the European Society of Cardiology, and completed board certification training at the U.S. National Lipid Association.

He is an author on the national hypertension guidelines and the recent CCS cardiorenal risk reduction guidelines. He is passionate about knowledge dissemination and guideline development, speaking locally and nationally to diverse audiences of healthcare providers, and serving on subcommittees of the Canadian Heart Failure Society, the Canadian Cardiovascular Society, the U.S. National Lipid Association, the guidelines development committee of Hypertension Canada, and the scientific committee of Obesity Canada.

Applying the Scope of the Pharmacy Technician in Diabetes Care using Continuous Glucose Monitoring

Studies demonstrate that continuous glucose monitoring (CGM) can be used to improve glycemic management for people living with diabetes. CGM devices have been shown to reduce glycemic variability, improve A1C, increase time in range, and decrease the time spent in hypoglycemia compared with traditional capillary blood glucose monitoring.

This dynamic session will review how to practically apply the Diabetes Canada guidelines and a Clinical Consensus for Canadian Pharmacy on CGM. Applying the scope of the Registered Pharmacy Technician, and within the pharmacy workflow, people who would benefit from CGM can be identified and appropriate CGM initiated and/or optimized.

This session will enhance the care given by pharmacy technicians to support people living with diabetes in their self-management, ultimately improving the health-outcomes of our communities.



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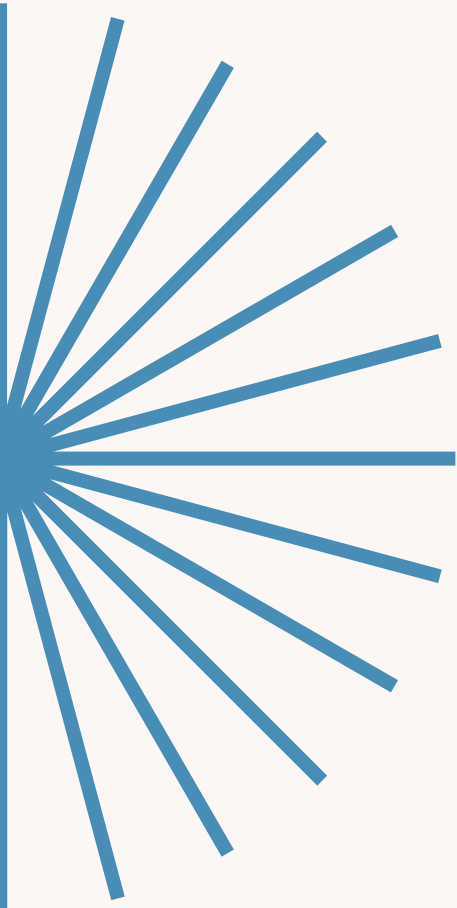
LEARNING OBJECTIVES

By the end of this webinar, participants will be able to:

1. Practically apply the Diabetes Canada guidelines and a Clinical Consensus for Canadian Pharmacy on Continuous Glucose Monitoring (CGM) in community pharmacy practice.
2. Within the pharmacy workflow and scope of the pharmacy technician, support people with diabetes to use appropriate glucose monitoring to improve the person's clinical outcomes, including:
 - i. Identifying people who would benefit from CGM
 - ii. Initiating CGM
 - iii. Optimizing CGM

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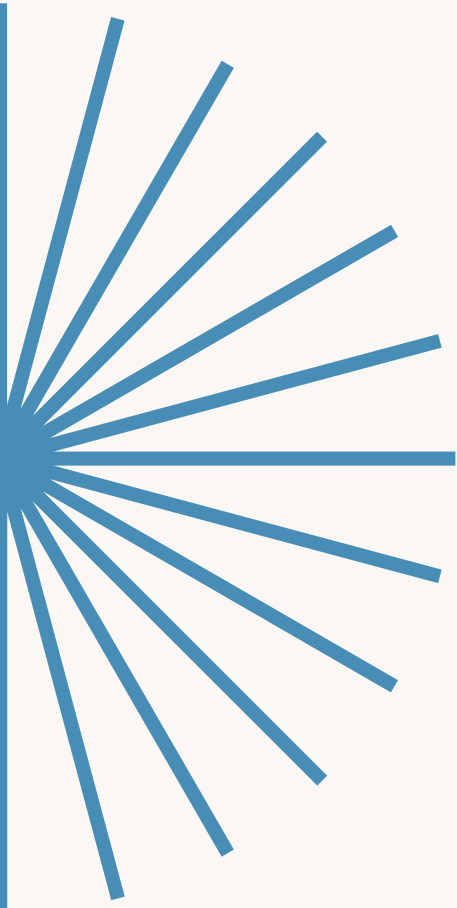
SPEAKER

Kyla Couturier, RPhT

Kyla Couturier is a Registered Pharmacy Technician, Certified Fitter of Compression Therapy and Certified to administer Injections and Immunizations.

Kyla graduated in 2015 from Robertson College in Calgary, AB and is the recipient of the Top Achiever Award of her class. She has been licensed in both Alberta and Ontario.

Kyla enjoys helping all her patients in the community pharmacy setting, but has a special interest in Diabetes Care, as she lives with Type 1 Diabetes. She is always happy to show her patients the newest technology that she is wearing and understands the daily frustrations of dealing with Diabetes. When her glucose sensor is visible at work, it is always a conversation starter.



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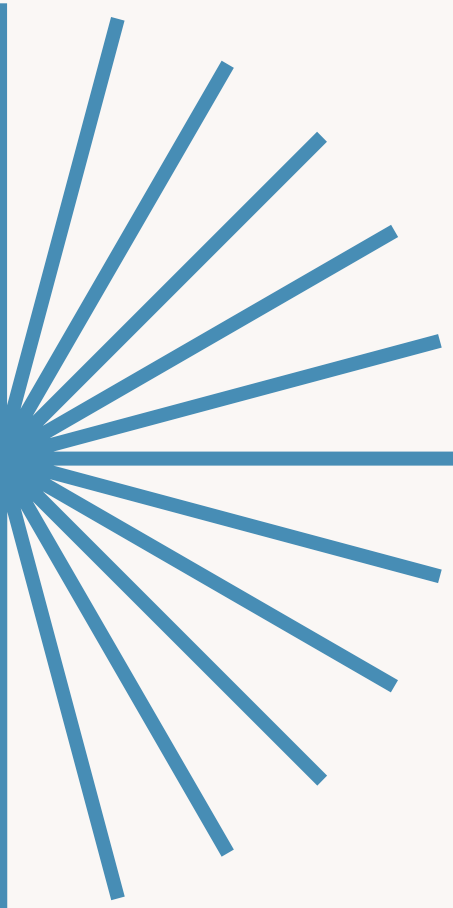
Susie Jin, RPh, CDE CRE, Pharmacist, CDE

Susie Jin is a pharmacist, Certified Diabetes Educator, Certified Fitter of Compression Therapy and Certified Respiratory Educator. Her professional experience includes supporting chronic disease management in a community pharmacy setting as well as in diabetes education programs and physician offices.

Susie sits on both Diabetes Canada Steering Committees for the Clinical Practice Guidelines and the Dissemination and Implementation Committee of said guidelines; she has also co-authored Wounds Canada Best Practice Recommendations.

Susie is the 2020 Charles H. Best Award recipient, given to a healthcare professional who has made a significant difference across Canada towards improving the quality of life of individuals living with diabetes; and the 2021 Diabetes Canada Educator of the Year Award.

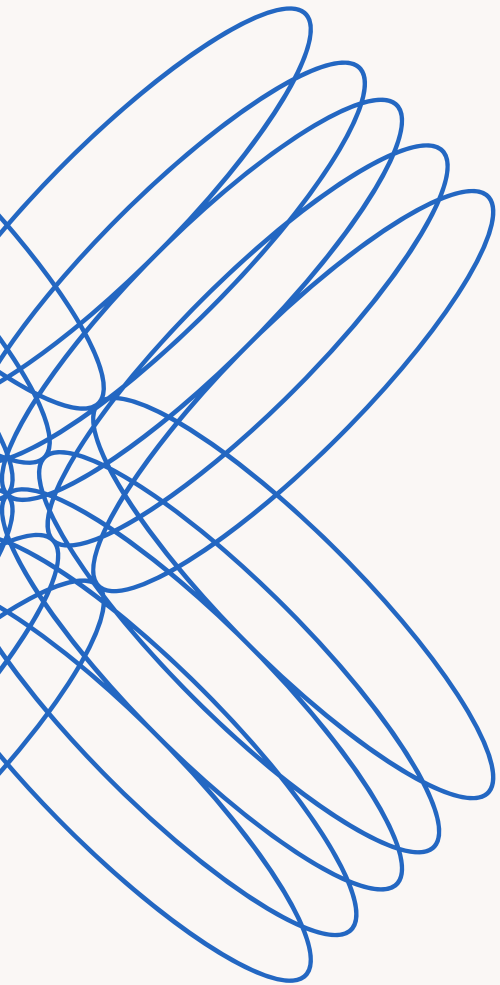
Susie credits her neighbors with getting her up each morning for a jog which continues to support Susie's journey in prevention of type 2 diabetes. Although not fast, she has run 5 out of the 6 World Major Marathons, including: New York, Chicago, Berlin, Tokyo & London



Get PrEP'd: HIV Prevention & The Pharmacy Technician

Despite advances in healthcare, Canada continues to see a year over year increase in new HIV infections. With highly effective medication options for prevention available it is crucial to support the uptake and optimal usage of this drug therapy.

This session will provide essential information for pharmacy technicians in order to support their understanding of the HIV prevention landscape as well as maximize uptake in their local community of available medication options.



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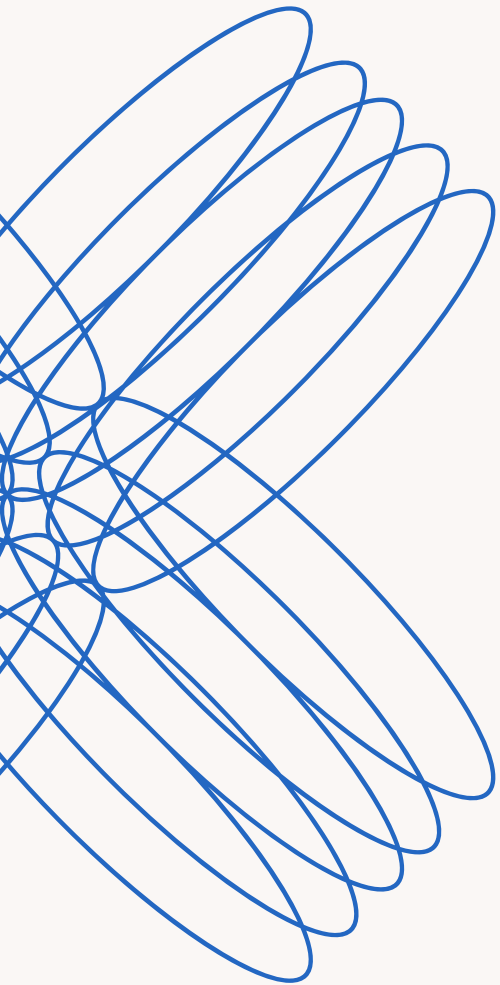
LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Understand prevalence of HIV in Canada and higher risk populations
- Discover HIV prevention drug therapy options and technical aspects related to medication
- Navigate stigma and barriers to access
- Consider methods to support outreach and education in your community

SPEAKER

Andrew Schonbe, Pharmacist

Andrew Schonbe is a Certified HIV Pharmacist and founder of The PrEP Clinic. Launched four years ago, it was the first online HIV prevention pharmacy-clinic in the country and has since grown to multiple in-person locations in Ontario. He works in a collaborative practice with Pharmacy Technicians, Pharmacists, Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, and Social Workers to break down barriers to access. His prior background includes six years as a college instructor and course co-ordinator in the Pharmacy Technician program at Georgian College.



OUR VISION & MISSION

The Canadian Association of Pharmacy Technicians (CAPT) is a national organization advocating and promoting the profession of pharmacy technicians and assistants.

* Promote and educate the public and other healthcare professionals on the scope of practice of pharmacy technicians and their importance.

* Advocate for the pharmacy profession as a whole.



To be the leading voice in enhancing the profession and empowering pharmacy technicians with the Canadian healthcare landscape by:

NETWORKING

Providing professional development and networking opportunities to our members.

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Advocate for the pharmacy profession as a whole. Enhancing professionalism through education and collaboration.

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