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Extended Practice Certificate-Dispensing Methadone and Suboxone-Reminder

By April 1, 2016 all pharmacists involved in the provision of methadone or buprenorphine are required to obtain an Extended Practice Certificate. Pharmacists who therapeutically assess the appropriateness of, counsel a patient on, package and provide either methadone or buprenorphine need to obtain the certificate. The application for the Extended Practice Certificate can be found in your member profile on the PEI College of Pharmacists website. Applicants must provide proof of completion of either of the approved education programs for the application to be processed. Proof of completion can be attached to the online application by selecting document upload or can be faxed, mailed or emailed to the PEI College of Pharmacists office.

MISSION

Regulating the practice of pharmacy in the province so as to promote a high standard and safeguard the welfare of the public with regard to pharmaceutical service.

Dalhousie CPE new CE opportunities

Dalhousie Continuing Pharmacy Education Division has new continuing education opportunities available by in-person workshops as well as online webinars. Visit the Dal CPE website to view the programs they are offering.

<https://www.dalcperegistration.ca/programs/>

Optimizing Opioid Dependence Treatment in PEI

The PEI College of Pharmacists is pleased to announce that the Optimizing Opioid Dependence Treatment in PEI program is now live on the Advancing Practice website. To access the program, please click the link below or copy and paste the address into your web browser. The cost of the program is \$200.00 + HST, payable online through advancing practice and is accredited for 6.5 CEUs. The program will fulfill the requirements to apply for an Extended Practice Certificate in Dispensing Methadone and Suboxone. [Optimizing Opioid Dependence Treatment in PEI](#)

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CAPT Conference 2016

The annual Canadian Association of Pharmacy Technician National Professional Development Conference will be held in Ottawa May 6-8, 2016 at the Delta Ottawa, City Centre. For more information on the program and registration, please select the link below.

[CAPT Conference 2016](#)

Professional Development Log Audit

All practicing pharmacists and technicians in this province are required to document their accredited learning activities for re-licensure using the online Professional Development Log, and must keep a three-year past record of learning activities and the necessary supporting documents. Annual professional development log (PDL) reviews will begin next week. A random selection of 20% of pharmacists and technicians will be sent an email requesting them to provide evidence to support their participation in the learning activities recorded in their PDL. Evidence may include certificates of completion, or statements of participation.