

# International Pharmacy Technician Graduate Application Checklist

An international pharmacy technician graduate refers to a graduate of an international pharmacy technician program who has never been registered nor licensed (or listed) as a pharmacy technician anywhere in Canada.

# Step 1: Pharmacy Examining Board of Canada (PEBC) Qualifying Examination

Successfully complete the <u>Pharmacy Examining Board of Canada (PEBC)</u> Qualifying Examination Parts 1 and 2. You must be listed within 3 years of successfully completing the PEBC Qualifying Exam.

# Step 2: Language Proficiency

Please visit the <u>Language Proficiency | College of Pharmacists of Manitoba</u> page for the language proficiency requirements. The evidence of your language proficiency must be dated **within two years** of your CPhM application.

### **Step 3: Application Form and Initial Requirements**

Gather the following documents before signing up and creating a new profile in CPhM's <u>Registrant</u> <u>Portal</u>:

- 1. Notarized copy of **two** pieces of government-issued identification; one of which must be Canadian and one of which must have a photo
  - The notary must sign and include the following statement on the copy: "The photo identification is a true likeness of (Applicant's FULL NAME printed)."
  - If you had a legal **name change**, you must add your previous names on the form and attach a notarized copy of the document supporting this change (i.e. marriage certificate or name change certificate).
- 2. Record and Registry Checks

Please visit the <u>Record and Registry Checks</u> page for more information on the following:

- a. Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Search
- b. Adult Abuse Registry Check
- c. Child Abuse Registry Check
- 3. Copy of your Pharmacy Examining Board of Canada (PEBC) Qualification Certificate or letter, once available. You must be listed with CPhM within 3 years of successfully completing the PEBC Qualifying Exams.
- 4. Proof of meeting the language proficiency requirements

- 5. Letter of Standing from your current or most recent licensing authority
  - The letter must be mailed to CPhM directly from your current or most recent licensing authority(s) and be dated within 24 months.
  - If you cannot provide a letter of standing to satisfy this requirement, please provide a <u>signed</u> <u>and notarized</u> statement using the following template: <u>Letter of Standing Affidavit</u>

Processing time:	10-15 business days
<b>Fee(s):</b> See the <u>fee schedule</u> for more details.	Application Fee

### Step 4: Complete the Structured Practical Training (SPT) Program

\*Note: Step 5 can be completed before or concurrently with Step 4

- 1. Apply for the <u>Structured Practical Training (SPT)</u> Program.
- 2. Find a qualified SPT supervisor and practice site.

You are responsible for finding a supervisor to oversee your SPT Program. If you have not found a supervisor yet, you can use CPhM's <u>Public Directory of Pharmacies</u> to search for a practice site.

- 3. Your chosen preceptor must meet the requirements listed on the <u>Structured Practical Training</u> <u>Program Manual</u> which also includes instructions on how to apply and where to submit it.
- 4. Complete the 480 hours of the SPT Program and requirements, submit the required evaluation form(s), and receive a favourable recommendation from the supervisor.

#### <u>References</u>:

- <u>Structured Practical Training Program Manual</u>
- <u>Structured Practical Training Program Logbook</u>

SPT approval processing time:	7 business days
SPT completion:	Minimum 480 Hours (12 Weeks)

### **Step 5: Successfully Complete the Jurisprudence Module and Examination**

\*Note: Step 5 can be completed before or concurrently with Step 4

- 1. Take the Jurisprudence Modules and Examination
  - Complete the Jurisprudence Modules
  - Submit statement of completion for the modules

- Book an appointment for your Jurisprudence Examination
- Successfully complete the Exam

#### References:

Jurisprudence Examination

Processing time:	JP Exam results received in 10 business days
<b>Fee(s):</b> See the <u>fee schedule</u> for more details.	<ul> <li>Jurisprudence Exam (Pharmacy Technician)</li> <li>Jurisprudence Modules (Payment made to University of Manitoba)</li> </ul>

### **STEP 6: CPhM Final Review and Approval**

Once you have successfully completed all steps and have submitted the required forms and documentation, your documents will be reviewed by CPhM staff. You will receive a notice by email once your pharmacy technician listing has been approved.

The Registrar and/or the Board of Examiners retain the authority to consider each individual application on its own merits and to exercise discretion in setting additional conditions of that applicant, based on the individual particulars of that application.

Processing time:	10-15 business days
<b>Fee(s):</b> See the <u>fee schedule</u> for more details.	Initial Listing Fee

#### Questions?

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact <u>registration@cphm.ca</u>.