

Readopt with amendment Ph 807.02 and Ph 812.02, effective 11-17-2018 (Document #12671), to read as follows:

Ph 807.02 Registered Pharmacy Technician Duties. A registered pharmacy technician's duties, upon showing the requisite skill and receiving the appropriate training, shall be:

(a) Non-discretionary functions within the pharmacy concerning cashier, stocking, delivery, and other non-clinical functions necessary for pharmacy operation under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist or certified pharmacy technician. **For purposes of this rule, performing data entry of a prescription or medication order into the computer is considered a clinical function reserved for certified pharmacy technicians, as described in Ph 812.02(a)(6);**

(b) The counting, weighing, measuring, pouring, and reconstitution of non-parenteral prescription medication or stock legend drugs and controlled substances;

(c) Performing stocking or replenishment of automated dispensing machine, other automated dispensing equipment or other stock locations. Products shall be verified by a pharmacist or certified pharmacy technician. Bar-coding, radio frequency identification, or another form of electronic verification shall be used at the time of stocking or replenishment, or a licensed health professional shall check the medication before administration; and

(d) If in training to become a certified technician, the duties of a certified pharmacy technician under the direct supervision of a pharmacist or certified pharmacy technician.

Ph 812.02 Certified Pharmacy Technicians Duties.

(a) A certified pharmacy technician's duties shall include:

(1) Any duties performed by registered pharmacy technicians under Ph 807.02;

(2) Accepting a new oral telephone order;

(3) Accepting an oral refill authorization ~~from a provider~~;

(4) Communicating a prescription transfer for a non-control medication to or from another pharmacy that does not maintain a common database;

(5) Communicating orally or in writing, any medical, therapeutic, clinical, or drug information, or any information recorded on a patient profile that does not require professional judgment;

(6) Performing the data entry of a prescription or medication order into the computer ~~without supervision~~;

(7) The task of reducing to writing a prescription left on a recording or message line;

(8) Preparing or compounding sterile and non-sterile compounds;

(9) Verifying stock replenishment medications against the stocking/replenishment system, report or label prior to the stocking/replenishment of the automated dispensing machine, other automated dispensing equipment, or other stock location provided that bar-coding, radio

frequency identification or another form of electronic verification is used at the time of stocking/replenishment, or a licensed health professional checks the medication before administration to the patient;

(10) Clarification of an original prescription or drug order with a practitioner or authorized agent of the practitioner; and

(11) Preparation, verification, and sealing of an emergency kit.

APPENDIX

RULE NUMBER	STATUTE IMPLEMENTED
Ph 807.02	RSA 318:5-a, X(b); RSA 318:15-a
Ph 812.02	RSA 318:5-a, X(b); RSA 318:15-a