

## Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician

## What is a Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician?

A Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician operates, maintains and troubleshoots high-tech equipment and machinery to produce pharmaceutical components and products. The Technician also monitors and documents the production process for critical parameters and makes adjustments as needed.

## What are the daily duties of a Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician?

As a Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician, you will be responsible for producing a range of pharmaceutical products for use in the medical community. The Technician will operate, set-up, maintain and clean equipment as well as follow and document established sterilization procedures to ensure compliance with regulatory guidelines. Calculating dilutions, concentrations, yields as well as filtering and filling of the pharmaceutical ingredients in a clean environment are essential parts of the daily duties.

## What types of skills make a Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technician successful?

Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Technicians are interested in chemistry and biology and have an interest and aptitude for technology. Mathematical proficiency is needed when mixing the ingredients for the medication produced. With speed and precision being a priority in manufacturing pharmaceutical products, attention to detail is essential.

