

# Advanced Roles for Pharmacy Technicians

Roundtable discussion

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1. Discuss the difference between expanded and advanced roles.
  - a. a general distinction between the two: expanded pharmacy technician practice roles would be those duties/tasks that are beyond the basic duties of a pharmacy technician and an advanced role would be those that require extra education or certification to be performed.
2. Discuss types of educations and certifications available
  - a. Where to find information available to pursue advanced certifications
  - b. PTCB currently offers 11 assessment based certificates for pharmacy technicians and 2 additional credentials (CSPT, CPhT-Adv).
3. Open discussion
  - a. What advanced roles do you have available?
  - b. Do you see potential for advanced roles at your work location?
  - c. Examples of advanced roles and non-traditional advanced roles
4. Open discussion for questions