

# **ESPA** Pharmacy Internship (MNPD1105)

## Apply here

#### Start date

Flexible

#### Duration

Minimum 4 months

#### Languages

Good spoken and written English levels are required (B2 onwards)

#### Location

## Belfast, Northern Ireland

Belfast is the capital city of Northern Ireland and over recent years has seen a period of significant regeneration and growth. The birthplace of the Titanic, this vibrant city has a buzzing nightlife and social scene with many cultural events taking place throughout the year. Close to beautiful countryside and the famous Giant's Causeway, Belfast has something to suit all tastes.

#### Are you eligible?

You are eligible for an ESPA internship if you are a registered student

OR

have graduated within the past two years and have access to some form of grant funding

## **Benefits**

See website for details of all ESPA benefits. For all internships over 6 months, additional benefits will be paid. Details available at interview.

# Role

This is a fantastic opportunity for a pharmacy student to work within this fast-paced retail environment, with state-of-the-art drug dispensing equipment. Mentored throughout, you will gain an insight into the pharmacists' role in a dispensing chemist environment and develop customer service skills, essential for working in community practice. If you want to add real value to your CV and be a part of a growing chain of pharmacies across Northern Ireland, then apply today!

#### **Tasks**

- Label and dispense prescriptions and assist with impromptu formulations.
- Assist with stock management and ordering processes to ensure appropriate stocks of medicines are kept within the pharmacy, including helping with incoming deliveries.
- Hand out of all client prescriptions
- Operate EPOS till systems, including updates, price changes
- Assess customer enquiries and obtain relevant and appropriate assistance.
- Provide help to clients on health issues and seek assistance from a pharmacist, when appropriate
- Stock control to ensure there is not out of date stock or medicinal items on shelves.
- Work in alignment with Standard Operating Procedures for processes within the pharmacy.

## **Desired Skills**

- Studying towards a degree in Pharmacy.
- Experience in community pharmacy is an advantage.
- Courteous and friendly approach, experience in customer facing role advantageous.
- Experience in working as a part of a team and willingness to get involved with tasks.

#### The Host Company

This family run pharmacy group is at the heart of the local community and conducts over 20,000 face to face consultations per year on a range of medical conditions and helping people with their medicines. With 3 stores and plans to grow across Northern Ireland, they have an end-to-end online prescription ordering system, with fully embedded robotic dispensing machines.

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