

# The Blueprint for Pharmacy

2005

## Launch of the Initiative

A need for change is recognized by pharmacy leaders. The Canadian Pharmacists Association brings leaders together to discuss how to manage change, resulting in the creation of the Blueprint for Pharmacy initiative.



2006/07



## Consultation

Input is gathered from pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, pharmacy organizations, employers, students, other health care providers and external stakeholders for incorporation into the Vision for Pharmacy.

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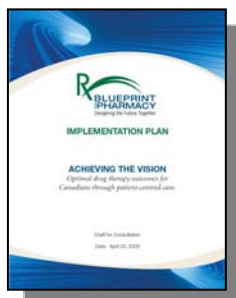
## The Vision for Pharmacy

**Optimal drug therapy outcomes for Canadians through patient-centred care.**

The Task Force develops the Vision for Pharmacy that describes pharmacy's common future. Areas where change is necessary are identified.



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## Implementation Plan

Expert Working Groups develop five implementation reports. The Task Force develops one overarching Implementation Plan.



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## Commitment to Act

All national & provincial pharmacy organizations, associations and faculties formally pledge their support to the Vision for Pharmacy.

Hundreds of pharmacists, pharmacy technicians and students sign the online Personal Commitment to Act.

## Organizational Commitment to Act

*We, the undersigned organizations, support the Vision for Pharmacy...and are committed to working collaboratively with the Task Force...and will take the lead or partner by implementing relevant actions...*

## Personal Commitment to Act

*We, the undersigned pharmacists, pharmacy technicians and students, support the Vision for Pharmacy... We are personally committed to supporting change that moves the profession forward...*

**NOW – It's about implementing change...Status quo is not an option!**

**Engaging** pharmacy leaders in carrying out the activities in the Implementation Plan.

**Integrating** activities into fundable projects for leaders to execute.

**Establishing** a national office to coordinate fundraising, communications, information dissemination and knowledge translation relating to implementation.

**Inspiring** pharmacists and pharmacy technicians to move from product-focused pharmacy services to outcomes-focused patient care.



## What can you do?

- Read the Vision for Pharmacy at [www.pharmacists.ca/blueprint](http://www.pharmacists.ca/blueprint) and sign the online Commitment to Act
- Network with other innovative pharmacy stakeholders and health care providers
- Stay informed about practice change
- Evaluate your practice – what could you do differently to better deliver outcomes-focused patient care? What do you need to make that happen?
- Share your ideas, challenges and successes with us at [blueprint@pharmacists.ca](mailto:blueprint@pharmacists.ca)



**Success!**  
**The Vision for Pharmacy is realized!**