

#RxTechDay

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2018

Celebrating the **Essential Role** of the **Pharmacy Technician**



This year we have decided to celebrate the Essential Role of the Pharmacy Technician by profiling Pharmacy Technicians from all over New Zealand! This is a fantastic opportunity to highlight the fantastic work that we are doing and to help us connect with pharmacy colleagues at home and abroad.

We spoke with **Sally Nafee, Senior Pharmacy Technician, Aseptic Production Unit, Capital & Coast District Health Board**

What do you enjoy most about being a Pharmacy Technician?

I like working in a fast paced environment with my team to meet tight time frames and work flow requirements. Being a pharmacy technician has helped me picking up new skills, distilling information and interacting with different people.



Tell us why your role is essential to your organisation and/or profession

I work in the production unit which makes all the chemotherapy for patients in the Blood and Cancer Centre. As the Senior Production Pharmacy Technician I am responsible for ensuring the team meets its daily workflow requirements and that consistent work practices are adhered to and quality products are produced.

How will you be celebrating Pharmacy Technician Day this year?

We will have a shared morning tea that day to celebrate the essential role of the Pharmacy Technician.