

Introduction

Pharmacists can have roles in:

1. First aid
2. Helping patients with their medications
3. Being members of emergency response team



Professional Practice

- Leadership.
- Consultation and collaboration.
- Management.

Population Health Planning

- Situational awareness.
- Risk mitigation.
- Protocol administration.

Direct Patient Care

- Good dispensing practices.
- Individual patient care plans.

Legislation

- Regulatory amendments.
- Jurisprudence.

Communication

- Record keeping.
- Internal communication.
- External communication.
- Communication system.

What to do ...

1. Create emergency /disaster plans
2. List the essential medications and determine their inventory levels
3. Establish a training program to implement emergency plan