



# GILEAD

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## **INDUSTRIAL PHARMACY RESIDENCY PROGRAM** SPECIALTY IN MEDICAL AFFAIRS

Gilead Sciences is pleased to offer a one-year pharmacy residency in partnership with the Leslie Dan Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Toronto. Our program is ideal for recent graduates in pharmacy programs with a career interest in Medical Affairs within Infectious Diseases, Liver Diseases and Oncology.

### **ABOUT GILEAD SCIENCES CANADA**

Gilead Sciences, Inc. is a biopharmaceutical company that has pursued and achieved breakthroughs in medicine for more than three decades, with the goal of creating a healthier world for all people. The company is committed to advancing innovative medicines to prevent and treat life-threatening diseases, including HIV, viral hepatitis and cancer. Gilead operates in more than 35 countries worldwide, with headquarters in Foster City, California. Gilead Sciences Canada, Inc. is the Canadian affiliate of Gilead Sciences, Inc., and was established in Mississauga, Ontario, in 2006. For more information on Gilead Sciences, please visit the company's website at [www.gilead.com](http://www.gilead.com).

### **RESIDENCY PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

The program is designed for pharmacy graduates to acquire the professional competencies necessary for a successful career in the pharmaceutical industry with an emphasis in Medical Affairs. The Medical Affairs Resident will work closely with well-established industry leaders with diverse educational and professional backgrounds. They will have the opportunity to develop the skills, behaviors and knowledge to contribute meaningfully through on-the-job experiences, feedback and coaching, and formal learning across various therapeutic areas. They will also gain an understanding of the various roles occupied by PharmDs within Medical Affairs and how Medical Affairs collaborates with other functional partners at Gilead Sciences Canada.



## KEY RESIDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

### ***Office-Based Initiatives***

- Contribute to the development and execution of local medical strategies for launched and pipeline products
- Support the planning, development, and/or execution of advisory boards and speaker bureaus
- Advance other projects to support Medical Affairs activities (i.e., special projects, literature search, etc.)
- Support the development of fair and scientifically balanced educational materials in accordance with the Innovative Medicines Canada Code of Ethical Practices and post-learning activity metrics
- Enhance the clinical understanding of Gilead products for the cross-functional team (e.g., Sales, Marketing, Regulatory, and/or Market Access)
- Participate in cross-functional therapy area team meetings, as appropriate

### ***Field-Based Initiatives***

- Support content development for external presentations (e.g., in-services) and/or localized slide decks as they relate to medical communication and education
- Participate in external meetings with Key Opinion Leaders (KOL) while capturing insights through the meeting minutes and action items
- Support the development of various territory and KOL engagement plans
- Participate in research initiatives (e.g., poster abstracts for conferences, discussions around Investigator Sponsored Research [ISRs]) as needed
- Gain an understanding of the clinical development process through discussions around key topics such as clinical trial site selection, site feasibility, contracts negotiation, and site initiation

### ***Capstone Project***

- Lead a capstone project of strategic importance in agreement with the Country Medical Director, Therapeutic Area Lead and residency program directors







**For additional information, please visit:**

Website: <https://www.pharmacy.utoronto.ca/programs/residency-programs>

*Gilead is a scientific research-driven organization looking for talented individuals who are passionate about exploring the boundaries of what is possible. We are seeking people with varied perspectives, backgrounds and experiences to help drive innovation and play a critical role in bringing transformative therapies to people with life-threatening diseases around the world. Building an inclusive, diverse workforce is critical to enabling Gilead's mission, and ultimately will help us create a better, healthier world. We are highly committed to creating an inclusive culture that enables all people to do their best work and reflects the diversity of our patients.*

*Thank you for your interest!*