How to Apply COVID-19 Research Findings to Pharmacy Technician Workflow
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Estimated time to complete activity: 1 hour

Recommendations for computer software, operating system, and internet speed as follows.
1) High speed internet access which allows internet browsing and video playback,
2) Up to date web browser software (Windows IE, Chrome, Firefox or Safari),
3) Windows OS 7, 8, 8.1 or 10 or Mac OSX systems and
4) Recommended internet connectivity could be either cable, isdn or at a minimum a 1mb business connection.

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Target Audience
This activity is intended for pharmacy technicians to enhance their professional skills and teamwork.

Educational Objectives
After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- Explain what coronavirus infectious disease 2019 (SARS-CoV-2: COVID-19) is and why it is so infectious
- Discuss the basic pathophysiology and potential treatments for COVID-19
- Describe how COVID-19 has effected the workflow in healthcare settings

Faculty
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Type of Activity: Knowledge

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