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This eReport is designed to provide you with a real-life, concise introduction into the variety of roles and responsibilities of ambulatory care pharmacists. Ambulatory care is an area of pharmacy practice in which pharmacists provide direct patient care. Ambulatory care pharmacists may work in a variety of physical, telephonic, or virtual settings. One of this area's many benefits is the ability to develop and maintain lasting relationships with patients and other healthcare providers. By bridging potential gaps in healthcare, pharmacists work as part of the healthcare team to resolve medication-related issues, advocate for patients, and act as a source of medication information for the community.

In this eReport, you will find two perspectives from experienced practitioners in this area, and a perspective from two current ambulatory care residents with their detailed descriptions of a postgraduate year 2 (PGY2) ambulatory care residency as well as references and a list of links and resources.