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## Development of Clinical Pharmacy with the Experience of Clinical Medicine

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The term "clinical" refers to the medical service just beside the beds of the patients and now is used in the reference to general practice in medicine, for example, clinical medicine, clinical science or clinic-place for specialized medical treatment. It is obvious that scholars share the same understanding toward the term "clinical". In practice or in research, all performance under the name of "clinical" should be carried out to bedside. The success and the experience of Clinical science and clinical doctors give out strong proof on this.

Clinical doctors take up absolute minority in number as hospital service is provided for patients and medical service is one of the individualized services. It is the advance of the society to perfect specialty structure. Hospital pharmacists become the main body in providing patients with pharmaceutical care on the basis of clinical pharmacy, thus most hospital pharmacists should try to become clinical pharmacists.

Clinical science is a high tech with rich experience. Pharmacists with high technical titles, more education and high degrees should take the clinical work, which can result in the possible development of clinical pharmacy.

Scientific thesis and research, reflecting the content and level of the work in hospital, can play the role of guidance. It is regarded as the key change in hospital pharmaceutical work that clinical pharmaceutical thesis and research incline to dwell on clinical pharmaceutical treatment Professional publications hold a valuable guidance in scientific development and are helpful to professional staff. Many publications on hospital pharmacy or clinical pharmacy in our country are of instructive significance to hospital pharmacy, their content reveal the development of hospital pharmacy.

Clinical pharmacy should set up concerning medical documents with its own characteristics: 1. extractions of disease diagnosis related to drug therapy; 2. general analysis, selection of the most suitable drugs and brief explanations about the reason; 3. warning of the possible occurrence between drugs, between drugs and food; 4. program and performance of drug therapy; 5. suggestions on making related lab tests of drug therapy.

The technique of drug therapy should be stressed in the primary stage of clinical pharmacy. It should be especially emphasized that the directors of pharmacy department should try to renew the outlook and to be clinical pharmacists, the experts in clinical pharmacy, the qualified leader in this science and thus to make this science hopeful.