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ABSTRACT

The current study investigates the assessment of pharmacists' knowledge and their practice competence with regard to pharmaceutical care services in Libya. In addition, the aim of this study was to evaluate the knowledge, attitude and practice of community pharmacists towards pharmaceutical care services in Tripoli, Libya. The methodology of this study is a qualitative and prospective which is conducted among community pharmacists in Tripoli province. The design of this study is a self-administered questionnaire distributed to the Libyan pharmacists' community. Data is collected then analyzed descriptively using percentages and frequency distribution and correlation. The result of the current study revealed the average of deficit knowledge of pharmaceutical care conceptions whether the Libyan pharmacists had positive attitudes towards the practicum of pharmaceutical care in Tripoli-Libya. They also adhered the significance of pharmaceutical care practice in increasing the patient confidence in the profession. Continuous pharmaceutical education is necessary for community pharmacists to practice pharmaceutical care. However, the current curriculum for pharmacy education is not adequate to support the practice. There is no significance has been shown with regard to pharmaceutical care practice. There is a poor relationship of community- Pharmacists with other health providers. There is a Self-confidence in pharmacists themselves however,

there is also a lack of trained personnel and support staff to offer Pharmaceutical care. There has been an awareness of Libyan pharmacists' responsibility towards patients and of drug related.

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