



Cell and Gene Therapy Services for Pharmacy Standards Committee

CHAIR: Dr Beth Shaz, MD

PURPOSE: To develop, maintain and update standards for the handling of approved cell and gene therapy products within pharmacy.

CHARGES:

1. Review existing requirements from the Standards for Cellular Therapy Services and identify standards applicable to activities within pharmacy. Where necessary craft new standards surrounding the receipt, handling, storage, or dispensing of cell and gene therapy products through pharmacy.
2. In coordination with AABB staff, develop guidance for the Standards for Cell and Gene Therapy Services for Pharmacy and create records of rationales for changes to existing requirements, as applicable.
3. Review and respond to requests for clarification and variances to the Standards as needed.
4. Develop interim/emergent standards as needed for submission to the AABB Board of Directors.
5. Monitor the development of new practices and technologies with potential application to cell and gene therapies and develop or modify standards when appropriate.

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Time Commitment: To learn about the time commitments for this committee, please contact the staff liaison listed in the roster above.