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Inauguration Ceremony of new Retail Pharmacy and Pharmacy Offices

On May 18, 2013, Dr. Salman Faridi, Medical Director, Liaquat National Hospital and Medical College (LNH and LNMC) inaugurated the new Pharmacy Offices, renovated Central Pharmacy and Satellite I Pharmacy, Compounding Pharmacy, Pharmacy Training and Development Service, Drug and Poison Information Centre, and Clinical Pharmacy Services. The new Retail Pharmacy, located on the ground floor was also inaugurated on the same day by the Medical Director. The ceremony was attended by senior management, directors, faculty members and other staff at LNH. In the new Retail Pharmacy, a well experienced and qualified team has been placed to cater to patients from the Outpatient Department.



The Department of Pharmacy Services has opened its first offsite pharmacy at Liaquat National Hospital Services Centre, Nazimabad on March 15, 2013. A new software, Point of Sale (POS), has been developed for outpatient dispensing which facilitates the pharmacist for efficient working and helps the patient understand directions on how to take medications. Also, discount is offered on total medicinal items purchased. A team of trained and well experienced pharmacists help the patients in the management of chronic diseases and medication usage. The Department of Pharmacy plans to open similar offsite pharmacies in different communities of the city as well.

Opening Ceremony of Orthotic and Prosthetic Unit and Medical and Surgical Appliance Shop

The Orthotic and Prosthetic Unit, Department of Physiotherapy provides orthoses (braces/supportive devices) and prostheses (artificial limbs) to those patients who have acute and/or chronic disabilities requiring treatment. This unit offers comprehensive orthotic and prosthetic services which include fabrication and fitting of all types of appliances by an experienced Orthotist and Prosthetist, Mr. Syed Ausaf Mehdî.

The Medical and Surgical Appliance Shop stocks the majority of the most common prefabricated off-the-shelf devices offering support and protection for patients with orthopaedic/musculoskeletal



problems. In case a device is not in stock, an order for it will be immediately placed with estimated arrival time.

This unit can be approached easily from any part of the city. It has ample car parking space and sufficient attendants to shift patients from parking to the department through wheelchairs.

Dr. Salman Faridi, Medical Director, Liaquat National Hospital and Medical College, accompanied by directors and senior management, inaugurated this Unit on May 7, 2013. The inauguration ceremony was attended by senior management, faculty and staff.