

Alternatives to Clinical Practice

Alternative Careers in Non-clinical section -

If you decide not to enter into clinical practice after your graduation or post-graduation, there are number of options available to choose from as an alternative to clinical practice. These career options involve number of areas as listed below. Each career option will be discussed in brief for students to understand the scope of work and the eligibility for desired position.

Policy positions

- Public Service and Policy-Making: Central, State, and Local Government
- Non-profits groups and Public Associations

Business and Industry

- Hospital and Healthcare administration

Pharmaceutical Research

- Research and development
- Formulation and Production
- Product management team
- Marketing and Sales
- Medico-marketing
- Clinical research team – Pre-clinical and Clinical
- Medical and Regulatory affairs

Communications

- Print Journalism and Writing
- Broadcast Journalism
- Medical Journalism - Medical journalists write articles on medical matters for a variety of media including newspapers, magazines and professional journals, both in print and online, or work in broadcast media.

Digital Marketing

- Content marketing
- Online doctor consultation (Tele-medical consultant)

If you decide to consider other Medical Careers, here are few paths you can choose based on your interest and capabilities:

- Teaching (post-secondary)
- Master's in Public Health
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Emergency Medical Officer
- Medico-legal consultant
- Yoga therapist

Leave your comments below in comment box, on which career option you are interested in and why? What information are you seeking to choose your career path? Do let us know here in comment box and we will be happy to help you. Our series of articles 'A career in...' will be here shortly to introduce you with the complete essence of career in particular faculty.