



RxSafe™ High Density Robotic Storage and Retrieval by Innovation

RxSafe delivers unparalleled inventory control and dispensing accuracy to help outpatient pharmacies reduce on-hand inventory, increase operational efficiency, decrease labor costs, and eliminate theft and diversion.

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Company Background

Innovation is the leading provider of pharmacy intelligence and pharmacy automation to the retail, hospital, government, and mail order pharmacy markets. In business since 1972, Innovation's PharmASSIST® family of scalable pharmacy automation and process control solutions address the prescription growth, patient safety, and cost control challenges of all size pharmacies. We apply business intelligence empowered by process simulation to help pharmacies "right-size" a solution that meets their goals, minimizes their risks, and allows for future growth. Using advanced data visualization, we build and analyze multiple scenarios with various technologies, workflows, and configurations, without having to test them on a live production system. Thus, our intelligence shows pharmacies the results they can expect, the variance they can handle, and a proven growth path on which they can build.

Product Overview

With RxSafe you take complete control of your outpatient pharmacy's inventory management, prescription fulfillment, patient safety, and medication diversion initiatives. RxSafe's combination of unparalleled inventory control and dispensing accuracy enables your outpatient pharmacy to reduce on-hand inventory, increase operational efficiency, decrease labor costs, and eliminate theft and diversion.

RxSafe is Scalable and Space Saving. The RxSafe 1800 stores 1800 native prescription containers in just over 12 square feet. Depending on your formulary and budget, you can seamlessly scale up by adding individual towers. For example, to automate up to 5400 medications, you can implement a 3-tower RxSafe system in less than 40 square feet of floor space. Concurrently, RxSafe's high-density storage capability eliminates the need for your medication-based pharmacy shelving and returns this invaluable working space to your pharmacy.

RxSafe Offers Total Inventory Control and Increased Throughput. There's no greater challenge for outpatient pharmacies than maintaining accurate inventory. Even with technological advances in pharmacy management and robotic dispensing systems, most pharmacies still manually verify inventory in open inventory storage systems.

With RxSafe, you automate and accelerate all aspects of inventory

management, and eliminate redundant, time consuming manual tasks such as the daily put-away process. RxSafe securely stores and accurately tracks in real-time all pharmacy inventory, including narcotics, down to the pill or unit-of-use package. The system uses a combination of barcode scanning, automatic inventory verification by weight (with a built-in discrepancy alarm), and precise optical counting to achieve 100% accuracy and in-depth inventory transparency. Thus, your staff will always have full knowledge of on-hand inventory at prescription entry, avoid dispensing expired product, and can verify inventory received against inventory ordered.

When comparing RxSafe to the industry's current robotic dispensing systems, RxSafe offers numerous advantages. First, RxSafe streamlines your workflow by continuously bringing prescription containers to your staff based on demand. Your staff does not have to retrieve any medications from shelves, which would occur with standard robotics due to the limit on their number of dispensing cells (e.g., 200-250). Second, the system increases your pharmacy's throughput by filling up to 500 Rxs/hour in multi-operator mode, far outdistancing any current robotics system. Lastly, RxSafe eliminates tedious ongoing maintenance activity such as dispenser, vial, and label replenishment, along with daily and weekly system cleaning.

Features & Options

- Automates up to 95% of your daily fills.
- Seamlessly scales from 1800 to 5400 native prescription containers.
- Increases inventory turns with less on-hand inventory.
- Automates and speeds up the daily put-away process with a 3-second put-away cycle.
- Maintains accurate perpetual inventory for all medications down to the dose level.
- Provides complete knowledge of on-hand inventory at prescription data entry.
- Reduces will call inventory and simplifies the return-to-stock process.
- Eliminates medication shelving and recaptures valuable working space to your pharmacy.

Additional Product Lines

- PharmASSIST® suite of pharmacy automation solutions - workflow systems, counting technologies, robotic dispensing, and high volume systems
- RxVault® - automated storage and retrieval for narcotics and high-shrink inventory

Ordering Information

To learn how your pharmacy can take complete control of your inventory and realize a dramatic operational cost savings, call Institutional Sales at (607) 624-3567 or email institutionalsales@innovat.com.