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Technologies improve pharmacy services

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As pharmacists search for ways to serve their patients more effectively, the role of technology becomes increasingly important. Below are some products and applications that are helping pharmacists offer patients the best quality of care.



KL20

KL systems. Kirby Lester recently unveiled its new suite of fully networked automation systems for the outpatient-pharmacy industry. Interfacing with pharmacy-management systems, the **KL20** comes with built-in workflow software, handles multiple checks and balances for dispensing safety, and tracks all medication-dispensing and pharmacist verifications.

Modeled after the KL20 software, the **KL30** automatically dispenses 30 or more of a pharmacy's most frequently used solid oral medications and increases accuracy and speed with its "double-count" method.

The **KL60** is a compact, fully automated dispensing system that handles all the functionality of a large-scale robotic dispenser in less space and less expensively. The machine automates the pharmacy's top 60 oral solids. The Kirby Lester Verification Station ties the networked suite together and completes the full dispensing loop, making it easier for pharmacists to quickly check each order. (847-984-3377/ <http://www.kirbylester.com/>)



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