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Road to Red Oak: I began my career at CVS Health, when the chain was much smaller. I started out as a licensed pharmacist, then worked my way up through the organization managing various merchandising programs, initiatives and integrations as CVS grew. Ultimately, I landed in generic pharmaceuticals. The market was changing rapidly and when the opportunity to join Red Oak came up, I took it. It was the best decision I ever made.

Why Red Oak? Generics play an extremely important role in healthcare and I know the work we do every day at Red Oak ensures people have access to thousands of life-saving, cost-effective medications.

Most valuable skills: Over 20 years of experience within Retail Pharmacy and generic pharmaceuticals has given me extensive knowledge of the generics business in the U.S., including the generics pipeline, the FDA approval processes and the ever-evolving generics market.

Tips for new hires: Think strategically. Seek a role model. Ask a lot of questions. Be open to new ideas. Challenge the status quo. Work hard to build strong relationships with your colleagues and constituents throughout your career.

