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In last week's issue, three biopharma execs [gave us their take](#) on focus areas for medicinal chemists during their first five years on the job. In this week's issue, two more execs weigh in: Mark Noe, VP Discovery Sciences, Pfizer, and Philip Kym, Head, Medicinal Chemistry Leadership Team, Abbie.

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Mark Noe
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