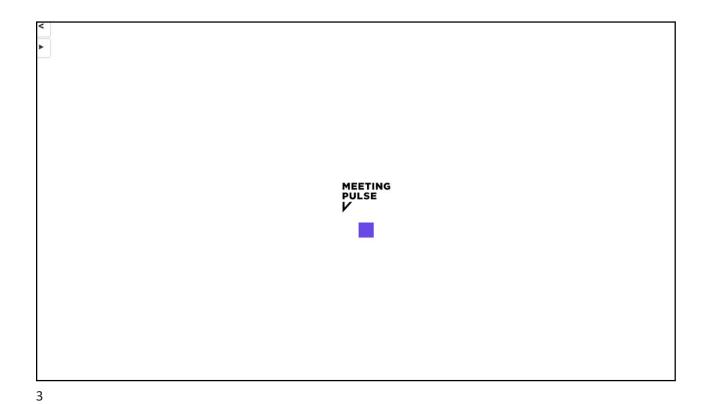




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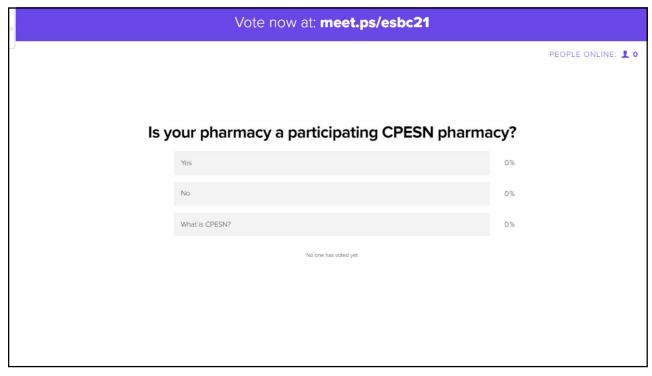




Introduction—What is the Opportunity?

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## **Pharmacist and Technician Learning Objectives**

- Discuss common characteristics of pharmacies in a community pharmacy enhanced service network.
- Discuss the role of community pharmacy in providing medication management resources to the highest risk populations.
- Discuss clinical service opportunities brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic.





The <u>Oath of a Pharmacist</u> states: "I will accept the lifelong obligation to improve my professional knowledge and competence.



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#### The Reason We Are Here

Halethorpe Pharmacy closing after more than a century: 'The entire community pharmacy sector is under siege'



"More and more often, we are paid at or below our cost when we fill your prescriptions" - George Garmer quoted in Baltimore Sun



#### BUSINESS

#### Amazon Buys Online Pharmacy PillPack for \$1 Billion

Retail giant outbid Walmart for startup that gives it nationwide access to prescription business

#### Microsoft and Walgreens join forces to take on Amazon in health care

#### BUSINESS

#### CVS Completes \$70 Billion Acquisition of Aetna

Combined company faces challenges in integrating its sprawling business entities

MARKETS | DEALS

#### Cigna Agrees to Buy Express Scripts for More Than \$50 Billion

Deal expands portfolio of health services

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#### Loehle Pharmacy closes after 136 years in business



Lyons Pharmacy closes its doors after 142 years | Business ...

ELKTON — Lyons Pharmacy closed its doors Wednesday after 142 years in business due to continued financial pressure on the store.

#### HAYEK'S PHARMACY CLOSING AFTER 100 YEARS SHOREWOOD

## Final prescription: Historic Hillsboro pharmacy closes after 137 years of

BUSINESS

#### CVS to Buy Target's Pharmacy Business for \$1.9 Billion

Deal includes about 1,700 pharmacies within Target stores

## Walmart Trims Pharmacy Jobs as Company Mulls Health Strategy

#### CVS buying Ohio pharmacy chain, closing all but three

BUSINESS

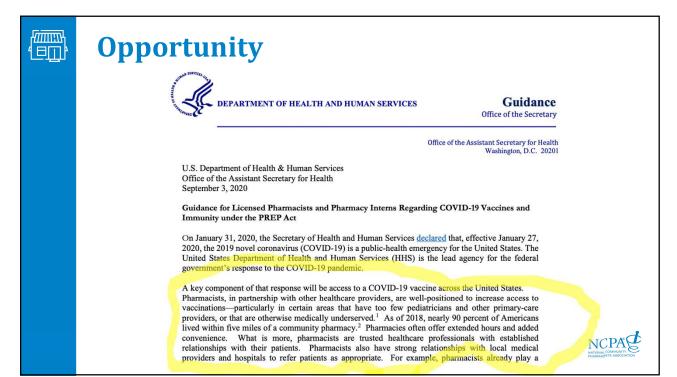
Walgreens Again Trims Deal for Rite Aid But Finally Gains Approval

Walgreens will now buy 1,932 Rite Aid stores for \$4.38 billion

- "Anyone having the feeling that independent pharmacy is in the state of crisis and we need CPR now. I am thinking it is time that everyone act as a single unit to bring instant change"
  - Pharmacy Owner from Texas
- "Does anyone think we can actually survive if nothing changes?"
  - Pharmacy Owner from Colorado









#### **Opportunity**

- Most states and the District of Columbia have passed laws that allow pharmacists to dispense the emergency opioid overdose reversal treatment, naloxone, under a standing order, which takes the place of an individual prescription. Additionally, some states have given pharmacists direct authority to prescribe and sell naloxone to consumers.
- As of April 2019, <u>13 states and the District of Columbia</u> allow pharmacists to prescribe certain types of hormonal contraceptives, which is now a growing trend across the country.

Top Pharmacy Regulations for 2020: What Pharmacists Should Know January 3, 2020

Jennifer Gershman, PharmD, CPh

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## Opportunity Monoclonal Antibodies

 Licensed pharmacists are authorized by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to order and administer COVID-19 therapeutics that the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has approved, authorized, cleared, or licensed.





#### **Opportunity**

## HHS Expands Access to Childhood Vaccines during COVID-19 Pandemic

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) <u>issued a third amendment - PDF</u>\* to the Declaration under the Public Readiness and Emergency Preparedness Act (PREP Act) to increase access to lifesaving childhood vaccines and decrease the risk of vaccine-preventable disease outbreaks as children across the United States return to daycare, preschool and school.

"Today's action means easier access to lifesaving vaccines for our children, as we seek to ensure immunization rates remain high during the COVID-19 pandemic," said HHS Secretary Alex Azar. "The Trump Administration has worked to allow pharmacists—alongside all of America's heroic healthcare workers—to practice at the top of their license, empowering the public with more options to protect their health and well-being."

The amendment authorizes State-licensed pharmacists (and pharmacy interns acting under their supervision to administer vaccines, if the pharmacy intern is licensed or registered by his or her State board of pharmacy) to order and administer vaccines to individuals ages three through 18 years, subject to several requirements:

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## Healthcare Spend in America Outpatient Medication/Pharmacy Spend 10% Medical/Non-Pharmacy Spend



Leveraging Frequent Patient "Touches" to Improve Medication Management

3.5 PRIMARY CARE
VISITS/YEAR

5 10 15 20 25 30 35

#### Leveraging Care Team Collaboration to Improve Medication Management

Pharmacists assist primary care physicians, care managers and others within the patient's care team with patient engagement, patient management, and to:

- Remove barriers preventing optimal medication adherence such as health literacy or cognitive deficits
- Offer specialized medication-related services such as non-English labeling or specialized packaging
- Support the patient's understanding of medication administration and special storage instructions

98% of patients utilizing North Carolina enhanced services pharmacies felt that their care was coordinated amongst their various providers

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#### Leveraging Enhanced Services to Improve Medication Management

All pharmacies are capable of providing the following core services:

- Face-to-Face Access: Providing each patient receiving a dispensed medication from the participating pharmacy ready access to unscheduled face-to-face meeting(s) with a pharmacist employed by the participating CPESN pharmacy during operational hours.
- Medication Reconciliation: Comparing a patient's medication orders to all of the medications the patient has been taking to avoid medication errors during care transitions when they are vulnerable to medication errors
- Clinical Medication Synchronization: Aligning a patient's routine refills to be filled at the same time each month and in conjunction pharmacist's clinical disease state management and monitoring, to progress toward desired therapeutic goals



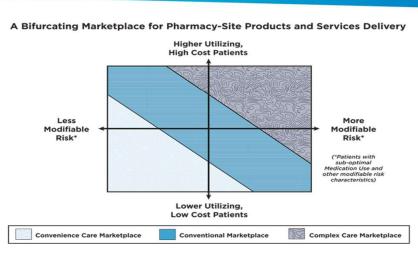
#### **Leveraging Enhanced Services to Improve Medication Management**

- Immunizations: Screening patients for ACIP recommended immunizations, educating patients about needed immunizations, and providing immunizations or referring to other health care providers
- Comprehensive Medication Reviews: Providing a systemic assessment of medications to identify medication-related problems, prioritize those problems, and create a patient-specific plan to resolve them working with the extended healthcare team
- Personal Medication Record: Creating a comprehensive list of current patient medications manually or from dispensing software



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## **Importance of Targeting and Channeling Patients to High Performing Pharmacies**





## Community-Based, High-Performing Pharmacies

- All pharmacies are not the same
- Some pharmacies only focus on the prescription and filling it fast as they can... with little patient interaction
- · Other pharmacies focus on patients
- These pharmacies have strong relationships with the patient and members of the patient's local care team
- These pharmacies provide enhanced services that have proven to improve the health of complex patients



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#### **Types of Enhanced Services**

**Medication Synchronization** 

**Adherence Packaging** 

**Home Delivery** 

**Home Visits** 

**Point-of-Care Testing** 

**Collection of Vital Signs** 

**Nutritional Counseling** 

**Smoking Cessation** 

Compounding

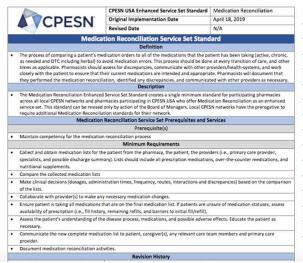
**Long-Acting Injections** 

**24-Hour Emergency Services** 

**Multi-Lingual Capabilities** 



#### Service Set Standards



- Medication Reconciliation
- Community Pharmacy Care Management
- Chronic Care Management
- Diabetes Management and Education
- · Asthma Management and Education
- Heart Failure Management and Education
- HIV Support
- Opioid Safety
- Opioid Patient Support
- Opioid Provider Education
- Long-Acting Injectable Antipsychotics
- Tobacco Cessation
- Hospice
- Pharmacogenomics
- · Personalized Medication Delivery



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#### A Clinically Integrated Network of Pharmacy Providers



Community Pharmacis

Provide medication optimization activities and enhanced services for patients

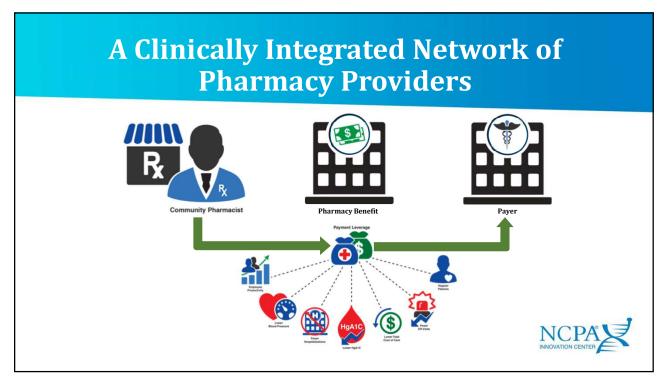


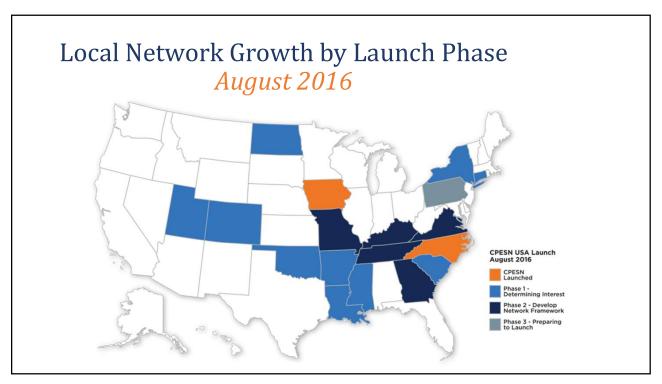
Collaborate with the extended care team to improve patient health



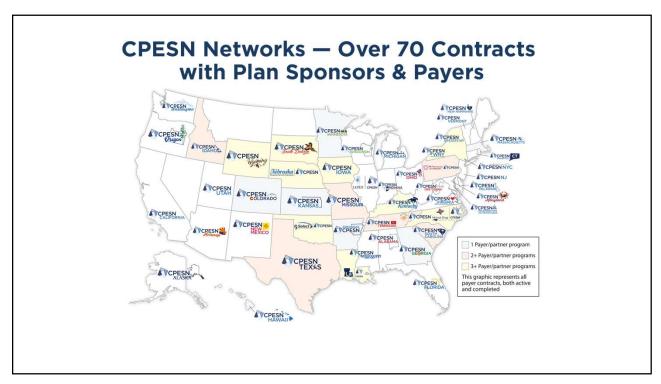
Focus on interventions that change patient behavior lead to better health











## **CPESN®** Pharmacies are Not Just Delivering Medication, but Results















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127 Total programs in our CIN history (62 complete)

#### **Programs by Year**

2018	2019	2020	2021	TOTAL
9	15	35	68	127

20 Potential programs in "contracting" portion of our lead pipeline

\$166,379

Average opportunity per program for programs with a cap

85 Active & upcoming programs X

\$166,379 =

Average opportunity per program for programs with a cap

\$14.14M ÷

**3,450** CPESN participating pharmacies =

\$4K 4 to 1
per participating pharmacy Return on Investment

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1,878 CPESN pharmacies in Federal Retail Pharmacy Program (FRPP) through USA

2,769,997 doses administered through USA FRPP

\$124M in pharmacy revenue through the program

\$66K

65 to 1 per participating pharmacy Bonus Return on Investment



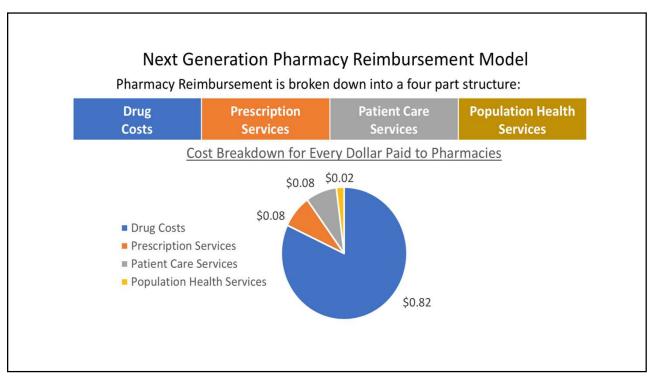
## CPESN: Next Generation Pharmacy Reimbursement Model



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### Breadth and Variation of Payer Contracts with CPESN® Networks

Payer Contracts with CPESN® Networks				
Payer & Partner Types	Program Types	Payment Model Types		
<ul> <li>Medicaid Managed Care Organizations</li> <li>Medicare Advantage Plans</li> <li>Commercial Health Plans</li> <li>Medicare Part D Enhanced MTM programs</li> <li>Accountable Care Organizations</li> <li>Health Systems/Hospitals</li> <li>Individual Physician Practices</li> <li>Grants or Demonstration Projects with state-based entities (such as public health departments)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pharmacy care management programs</li> <li>Disease state focused programs (e.g., heart failure, behavioral health, tobacco cessation)</li> <li>Chronic care management agreements (potentially combined with Medicare annual wellness visits and/or transitional care management)</li> <li>Transitional care programs</li> <li>Enhanced service bundles such as med sync + adherence packaging</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Traditional fee for service</li> <li>Per member per month for a targeted high risk population         <ul> <li>Tiered PMPM based on patient risk</li> <li>Flat PMPM</li> </ul> </li> <li>Performance incentive bonus         <ul> <li>Traditional pharmacyside measures (e.g., medication adherence)</li> <li>Medical side measures (e.g., HEDIS)</li> <li>Process measures (e.g., engagement and follow up rates)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	NCPA <b>\</b>	



## Care Team Collaboration (Physician, Care Manager, Pharmacist)

- Joint home visits may be a way to establish a coordinated care plan for complex patients
- Pharmacies can assist care managers with patient engagement and longitudinal management
- Care managers and pharmacies can work together to address:
  - Barriers preventing optional medication adherence
  - Health literacy challenges, cognitive deficits, or lack of caregiver support that require pill box fills, special packaging, or special labeling
  - Other specialized medication-related needs that could be fulfilled by a pharmacy
  - Patient understanding of special instructions for administration or storage



#### **Pharmacist eCare Plan Basics**

- It is a data repository and transmission standard
- It contains the latest clinical data for a given patient (Active medication list, drug therapy problems, lab results, vitals, health concerns, patient goals, and much more)
- It is not a platform
- It is not a clinical documentation system
- It is impartial to vendor (Can work with any system adopting it)
- It is an "open" standard (Specifications are published)
- It is not a CPESN USA construct; It is an industry standard



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#### Pharmacist eCare Plan Functionality Active in the Marketplace





































#### **Care Planning Resources**

- Updated List of Care Plan Vendors: https://ecareplaninitiative.com/software-solutions
- Workflow Wednesdays (CPESN participating pharmacies): Vendor-provided Instructional videos/content released every other Wednesday sharing ideas and "how to" steps with care plan submission



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#### **Streamlining Your Workflow**

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#### **Pharmacist and Technician Learning Objectives**

- Outline staffing/workflow considerations needed for enhanced service delivery.
- Discuss how a clinical medication synchronization program can positively affect pharmacy operations and health care quality.
- Review a strategic approach to growing enhanced services, while ensuring quality patient care.





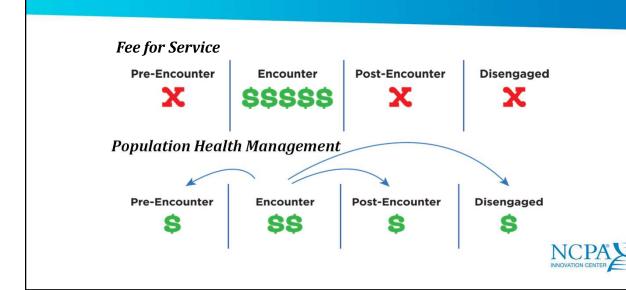
## Workflow Operations in a Value-Based Payment System

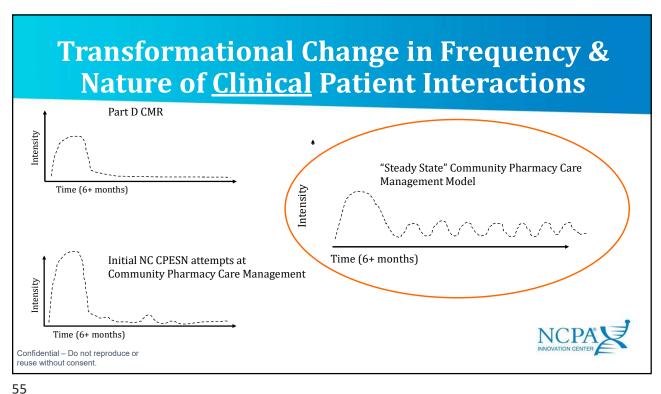
- We need to re-engineer our practices to align with new payment models
- Technology should support us all moving to work at the top of our abilities



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#### **Different Approach to Payment and Delivery**





### **Community Pharmacy Care Management**

- Services provided locally by a community pharmacy in close coordination with other care team members, including other care managers that focus on optimal drug use.
- The objective of Community Pharmacy Care Management is to procure, update and re-enforce a team-based, patient-centered pharmacy care plan over time. This service line is *longitudinal and coordinated* with the rest of the care team.



## **Evaluate Gaps in Pharmacy Workflow Operations**

- Lack of Care Coordination
  - Limited to no f/u with new patients, antibiotic use, Prior Authorizations
- Inventory Management
  - Out of critical medications on a routine basis, actual counts do not match inventory in computer
- Limited to no access to pharmacist
  - Constantly busy to be accessible to patients

- Medication is not ready at promised time of pick up
  - Unable to locate the medicine, still in Aprogress
- Customer Service
  - Phone Rings and Rings...and Rings
  - Who greets the customer?
  - Problem Resolution
- Internal Communication Barriers
  - "Who talked to Ms. Jones earlier today?"



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## Evaluate Opportunities in Your Service Population

- Trends of poor adherence
  - Primary non-adherence
  - Routine non-adherence
- Formulary issues
  - patients unable to acquire medication
- Lack of Care Coordination
  - Patients unable to navigate the health care maze
- Complex medication regimens

- Transportation
  - Patients struggle with acquisition of meds
- Lack of communication among providers
- · Limited continuity of care
  - Treatment often stops once the patient walks out of the clinic
- Literacy challenges
- Frequent visits to pharmacy
- VIP Patients



#### **Workflow Consideration Test**

- Does adding this step(s) contribute to the good of our patients?
- Does adding this step(s) contribute to profitability or revenue producing?
- Will adding this step(s) be something that my staff will perceive as valuable?
- Is this sustainable?

If the Answer is No, Do Not Force It. Revise Your Plan



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#### The Appointment-Based Model

#### **Appointment-Based Model (ABM):**

Coordinating all of a patient's prescription medications to be picked up on the *same date* each month, coupled with communications from the pharmacy.





#### The Case for Synchronization

- What you can expect:
  - · Streamlined workflow
  - · Predictable workload
  - · Decreased delivery runs
  - Better inventory control
  - Healthier bottom line
  - More time for enhanced services

- What you won't miss:
  - "Manic Mondays"
  - · Frequent flyers
  - Waiting for patients to remember to call in a refill
  - Last-minute call-ins on Friday afternoons or before holidays
  - · Patients who run out of pills



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# Pharmacy Example Workflow Adherence Technician Consultation Room Cashier Pharmacist Fill Technician Input Technician Delivery

## What is the Difference Between Med Sync (ABM) vs Clinical Med Sync?



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## Clinical Med Sync 7-10 Days Prior to the Appointment/Sync Date

- Call patient to review medications
- Assess adherence
  - Have you been to the doctor in the last month?
  - Have you been in the hospital in the last month?
  - Are you taking any new prescription or over-the-counter medications?
  - Are there any other changes we need to be aware of at this time?



#### **Meet Karrie- Adherence Specialist**



"We take a **proactive** approach for our patients. We start the process **by calling them each month** and finding out what medications they need, what has changed and what concerns they may have...

They feel like they know me and they feel like they have **a connection** with our pharmacy. They know when they call Moose Pharmacy, they are more than a refill number."



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### Adherence Program Example Workflow Adherence Technician

#### **Adherence Technician**



#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Call patients on monthly basis
- Point of contact for medication changes during the month (Transition of Care)
- Handle Referrals from Provider(s)
- Determine medication lists to be sent to packaging machine



## Clinical Med Sync 3-7 Days Prior to the Appointment/Sync Date

- Initiate refill requests, PAs; contact prescribers as needed
- Update the patient profile in the pharmacy management system
- Pharmacist reviews orders and resolves any drug therapy problems identified by the program manager



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#### **Scripts for Technician Touch Points**

#### **HEART FAILURE:**

Yes	No	Do you weigh yourself every morning?
		→ Instruct to weigh themselves every morning before breakfast and after urinating
Yes	No	Have you gained >2 lbs in one day or >5 lbs in a week?
Yes	No	Have you had recent or current swelling of ankles, feet or stomach that becomes worse, even after rest and leg elevation?
Yes	No	Have you had recent or current shortness of breath that won't going away with rest or is worsening?
Yes	No	Do you recently or currently find it harder to walk long distances or exercise than usual?
Yes	No	Have you felt unusually weak or tired lately for no apparent reason?
Yes	No	Have you been waking up at night recently with shortness of breath or cough, or needing more than usual number of pillows to sit up and sleep?
Yes	No	Have you had to take more of your diuretic (water pill) than your normal dose?
Yes	No	Are you limiting your fluid drinking to no more than 4-6 (8-oz.) glasses of per day (ALL liquids including water, coffee, tea, soups, juices, milk, etc.)
Yes	No	Are you limiting your daily salt intake to less than 2,000 mg (a little less than a 1 teaspoonful) AND not adding salt to foods?



MONT	HLY "CL	INICAL" MEDICATION SYNCHRONIZATION CALLS:	
N/A	N/A	What new medicines, either prescription or over the counter, have you started taking in the past month?	
Yes	No	Have you been to the doctor in the past month?  If yes, what doctors did you see?  Were any changes made to your medicines?	
		If no, when is your next doctor's appointment? Is it a regular check-up, or have you made the appointment because you are feeling ill?	
Yes	No	Have you been to the hospital or emergency department in the past month?  If so, why? How are you feeling now? Were any changes made to your medicines?	
		Have you already made those changes to your medicine?  Do you have a follow up appointment scheduled with your primary care doctor?	
Yes	No	Has the doctor prescribed any medicines that you have not filled? Can you tell me a little bit about why you decided not to fill this medicine?	
Yes	No	Did the doctor stop any of your medicines or change the directions or the dose? If yes, ask patient for details about medication changes.	
Yes	No	Have you stopped or changed any medicines on your own? If yes, is your doctor aware that you stopped this medicine?	NICDA
Yes	No	Do you get any prescriptions from other pharmacies? If so, which ones?	NCPA
N/A	N/A	For medicines that you take only when you need them, such as your_ [pharmacy staff to give example from the patient's med list - inhalers/creams/etc],	INNOVATION CENTER

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## Clinical Med Sync 1-2 Days Prior to the Appointment/Sync Date



- Review inventory/order products
- Dispense product(s)
- Call and remind patient to pick up prescriptions



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#### **Appointment/Sync Date**



- Patient picks up medications
- What happens at delivery?
- Pharmacist addresses any clinical issues
  - Are we optimizing patient therapy?
  - How's the patient's adherence?
  - What services can we add on?



## **Rethink Workflow Operations**

#### **Involvement of Pharmacy Staff**

"This CPESN model will remain a disruption until all staff are educated to participate". Pharmacists need to engage and train pharmacy technicians, delivery drivers, and cashiers for roles supporting CPESN.

"You go into this project thinking you can be a super pharmacist, but you quickly realize that it needs to be a team effort."



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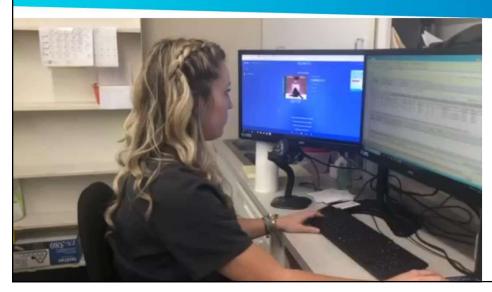
## **Tips on Implementation**



- Designate a technician to run the daily operations
  - Best use of staff time
  - Something for them to "own"
  - Vested interest in success
- Leverage your technology
  - Identify non-adherent patients
  - Group patients by 'sync' date
  - Reports to help with patient calls
  - Robust sync programs



## **The Sync Process**





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# CPESN Example Workflow Input Technician





#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Assess profile for adherence when processing prescriptions
- Clean up medication lists (discontinue medications)
- Document identified Drug Therapy Problems



# Pharmacy Documentation 1.0 Technician Tool: Patient Encounter

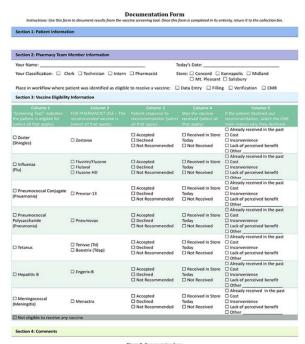
Patient Encount	ter Documentation
Patient Name:	Medication:
DOB:	Rx#:
Drug Therapy Problem  Date Identified:	Intervention Date Resolved:
Adherence Issues  Noncompliance with therapeutic regimen Patient forgets to take medication	
☐ Medication overuse	☐ Medication education
Patient unable to obtain Medication [Prior Auth]	Insurance authorization
☐ Drug allergy ☐ Adverse Drug Interaction	☐ Discussed with doctor ☐ Recommendation to change medication ☐ Medication interaction education

- 1. Form placed at technician work station
- 2. Technician to complete form if potential DTP's are identified
- 3. Technician to send form in basket to the pharmacist
- 4. Pharmacist investigate the issue and takes necessary steps to resolve DTP
- 5. DTP documented in platform

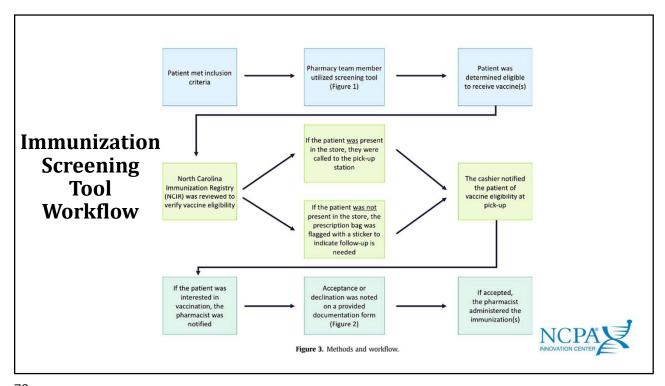


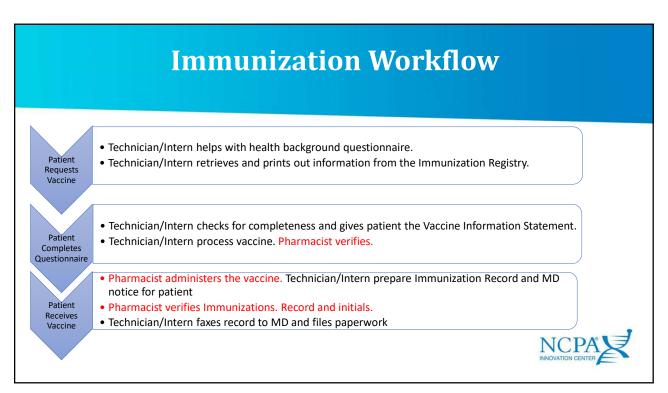
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# **Immunization Screening Tool**









## **Immunization Workflow at Drop Off**





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# CPESN Example Workflow Filling Technician

#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Accurately prepare medications for dispensing
- Answer phone
- Identify potential DTPs
- Document identified DTPs
- Maintain accurate counts in inventory



Filling Technician



## Different Expectations of Our Pharmacy Team

If we are going to be different in the marketplace...



...We need to provide services differently



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# Pharmacy Example Workflow Cashier

#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Review system flags with patients
- Notify pharmacist to counsel when DTP is identified
- Identify when medications are not picked up and alert pharmacists (especially if patient is enrolled in the adherence program)
- Pull medications not picked up every 10 days



Cashier



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# CPESN Example Workflow Dispensing Pharmacist

#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Final verification on all medications
- Review medication history
- Counsel patients
- Maximize encounters with all high-risk patients
- Alert Clinical Pharmacist when in-depth medication review is needed
- Identify DTPs and create care plan
- Resolve medication-related problems through care coordination



Pharmacist



## Pharmacist in workflow





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# Community Pharmacy Documentation 2.0 Care Planning

What happens when your technician goes to lunch and a patient calls back asking if their medication concern has been resolved?



# Community Pharmacy Documentation 2.0 Care Planning

What happens when your technician goes to lunch and a patient calls back asking if their medication concern has been resolved?

- What actions have been completed to date?
- Where do you check to see progress?
- Does everyone on your team know location to check progress?



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# Community Pharmacy Documentation 2.0 Care Planning

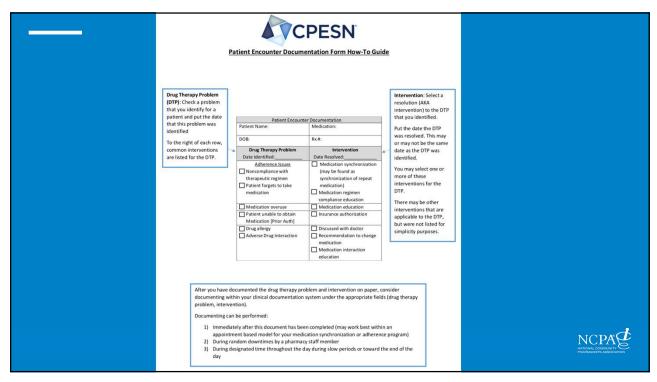
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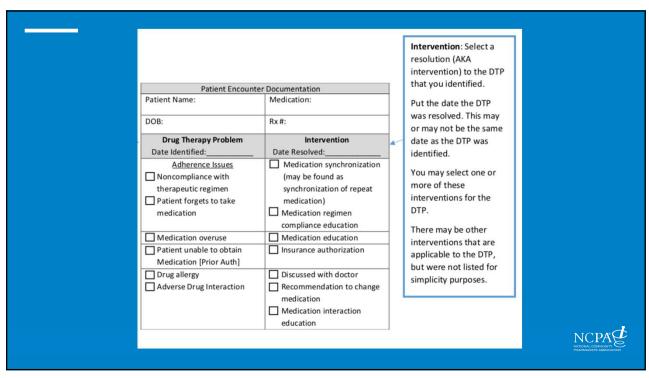
Or do you ask the patient if the technician

- w can call back upon return from lunch?
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- Does everyone on your team know rocation to check progress?



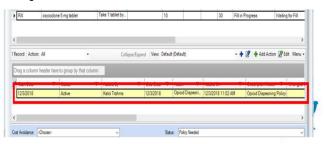


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Adverse Drug Interaction  Recommendation to change medication		Patient unable to obtain Medication [Prior Auth]	☐ Medication education ☐ Insurance authorization	
☐ Medication interaction education NCPA			Recommendation to change medication  Medication interaction	NCPA



# **Getting Started with Care Planning Documentation 3.0**

- **Care Goal** is a place to document specific patient encounters. It allows for interactions to be documented in a consistent manner that is retrievable.
- Set up **automatic warning system** to alert pharmacy staff that a care goal should be completed.



# Areas To Start Thinking About Care Planning

- Sync Process
- · Opioid Dispensing
- Drug Therapy Problems
- Drug Therapeutic Class Duplication
- Hypertensive Patients Blood Pressure Checks
- Any Disease State with Monitoring Guidelines
- Delivery Patients
- Patients Requiring a Compound,
- Pediatric patient → get weight → dose based on weight



Prescription with missing or incorrect information

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# Opioid Dispensing Best Practices \*Starting Point\*

- 1. Monitor patients by using the Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs (PDMP) prior to dispensing any controlled substance.
- 2. Establish a relationship with your local providers who are prescribing opioid treatment to patients.



# Opioid Dispensing Best Practices \*Starting Point\*

- 3. Naloxone Offered?
- 4. Develop a checklist of questions to ask on each encounter
  - Is this the first time the patient has been prescribed the opioid?
  - What is the intended diagnosis?
  - Is this the right therapy for the intended use?
  - Has the patient been educated on risk vs benefits of starting the therapy
  - MME/day > 50
  - Is patient narcotic naive?
  - How many days early or late is the refill request?
  - Has the patient been informed of our narcotic dispensing policy?
  - Does the patient have naloxone on them at the moment?
  - Did we dispense this med at time it was requested?

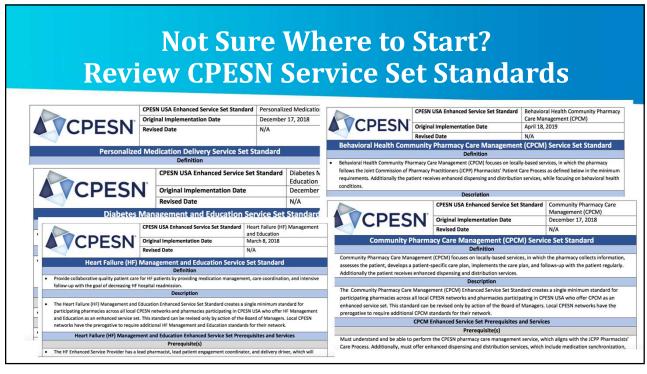


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# Documenting Opioid Encounters Common [1] Action List [2] Adherence Summary [3] Goal Operating Policy | ... General Operating Policy | ... Action | Action



**Referral from Provider to Provider** SPI#: 6294845865002 CFM Concord 270 COPPERFIELD BLVD SUITE 102 Location: State License#: CONCORD, NC 28025 7047866521 Patient Name Address: Date Of Birth: Gender: Female Phone: Prescriber Order Number: CERN11487028001.S RxReference Number: PRESCRIPTION AS FOLLOWS Written: 10/03/2016 Medication NDC Prescribed: Narcan 4 Mg Nasal Spray NDC: 69547-0353-02 Medication Prescribed: Narcan 4 mg/0.1 mL nasal spray Days Supply: Refills: 1 (additional refills) Quantity: 2.0000 Each Directions: 4 mg NOSTRIL, EACH Once instr.may repeat every 2 to 3 minutes until patient responds Shannon at Moose Pharm to Substitutions: Substitutions Allowed Diagnosis/use: (not specified) Diagnosis Codes:





## **Tools/Resources**

- Simplify My Meds
  - Operations manual, patient forms
  - · Marketing kit
  - Free to NCPA members (<u>www.ncpanet.org/smm</u>)
- Implementing Med Sync video series
  - <25 minutes</p>
  - · Step by step training
  - · Great for pharmacy staff
  - www.youtube.com/NCPAvids





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Dollars in the Door – Tobacco Cessation, Monoclonal Antibodies, Oral Contraceptives, and Working with Public Health

> National Community Pharmacists Association Little Rock, AR December 2, 2021

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## Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Learning Objectives

At the completion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Discuss best practices and lessons learned from implementing monoclonal antibodies and oral contraceptives in the pharmacy.
- 2. Outline the key steps of building a sustainable community pharmacy-public health collaboration.
- 3. Discuss ways to overcome barriers to implementation in your pharmacy.

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## This is Community Pharmacists' Moment

**COVID-19 has presented a PIVOTAL MOMENT** 

"NOW IS THE TIME TO STEP UP AND INVEST IN OUR FUTURE!"

**PUBLIC HEALTH DRIVEN Community Health Initiatives** 

There has been a groundswell of public health <u>embracing community pharmacists</u> for the tremendous power to impact public health outcomes

# PUBLIC HEALTH DRIVEN Community Health Initiatives:

#### **CASE STUDY:**

Statewide Implementation of Pharmacist Driven Tobacco Cessation via Pharmacist Assessment, Prescribing, & Referral

And...Monoclonal Antibody Pharmacist Assessment, Administration, & Treatment

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# STEPS to build a sustainable community public health collaboration:

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### The WHAT to do list:

Search your state's **public health website** to discover areas of *public health focus* which often tie to dollars and key initiatives.

**Contact key therapeutic area directors associated with fundamental clinical areas** and make appointments to speak by phone with those decision makers.

Set up appointments to visit local public health offices in person.

**Find Partners to Help You:** Technology is essential. Understand that *directing patients to find your service is crucial,* offering *scheduling* helps your staff and your patients, *documentation* and *medical billing for your clinical time* are essential components.

Immediately **reframing your staff's understanding** that the essential nature of providing expanded scope *clinical activities is imperative*.

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# **Unprecedented Partnership Between Pharmacy & Public Health in Oregon**

- Ad Hoc committee OHA & OSU College of Pharmacy to design and build the tobacco cessation education to the specifics of Oregon's laws and regulations.
- Coordination of pharmacy resources by county incorporated into the training.
- Promotion of the partnership between public health and pharmacy.
- Promotion of the pharmacies offering tobacco cessation services.
- OHA sponsorship of the statewide tobacco cessation education for pharmacists.
- Pilot program to establish a community pharmacy medical billing model.
  - Coordinated independent community pharmacy engagement and brought onboard AssureCare as partners.

## Implications in the healthcare landscape

Prescribing authority for Pharmacists: Tobacco Cessation

**Pilot Program supported by:** 

Oregon Health Authority &

**OSU College of Pharmacy** 



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## Protocol Compendium: Tobacco Cessation Therapies for the Oregon Pharmacist per ORS

- A pharmacist may provide patient care services pursuant to a statewide drug therapy management protocol.
- •Following all elements outlined in OAR 855-020-0110, a pharmacist licensed and located in Oregon may prescribe individual or multiple Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT) OTC and Rx for tobacco cessation.
- •Following all elements outlined in OAR 855-020-0110, a pharmacist licensed and located in Oregon may prescribe non-NRT medications for tobacco cessation.
- Utilize the standardized Tobacco Cessation Patient Intake Form
- Utilize the standardized Tobacco Cessation Assessment and Treatment Care Pathway.
- •Pharmacist education/training: Minimum 2 hours of documented ACPE CE related to pharmacist prescribing of tobacco cessation products.
- •Link: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Documents/Tobacco\_Protocol\_August\_20.pdf">https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Documents/Tobacco\_Protocol\_August\_20.pdf</a>

## What makes Oregon's program unique?

- •Focus on access point to tobacco cessation medications
- All FDA-approved cessation medications
  - Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT)
  - Oral tobacco cessation prescription medications
- Referrals to the Oregon Tobacco Quit Line
- Payment for Pharmacist professional services- leveraging billing codes to pay the same as MD, DO, NP, PA for patient assessment

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# **PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION Health Promotion and Chronic Disease Prevention**

Statesponsorship of pharmacist TC training provided by OSU

Public awareness campaigns including local marketing Technology to support a community pharmacy medical billing model



## Why is Tobacco Cessation Urgently Needed? Reducing the Impact of Smoking on Respiratory Health

- •Pharmacists are well-positioned to reduce the impact of tobacco use on respiratory health.
- •Tobacco users are more likely to experience more severe complications from influenza. During the novel coronavirus pandemic, tobacco use increases the risk of severe COVID-19, including hospitalization and death.
- •During the pharmacist-led tobacco cessation assessment, it is vital to offer vaccines such as influenza and other relevant vaccinations, such as a COVID vaccination, to protect against respiratory infections.
- •2 hour CE Available:
  - https://oregon-state-pharmacy-ce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/tobaccocessation

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# Opportunities for pharmacists to reduce the impact of smoking on respiratory health

#### While providing Influenza or COVID immunizations/therapies:

- •Inquire about the patient's tobacco use and include tobacco use history on immunization forms.
- •"Do you use tobacco? I can help you quit smoking today. Let me have you complete this patient intake form to start a quick assessment that will allow me to prescribe appropriate products, and I will refer you to support from the Oregon QUIT Line, and get you started today."

## The OHA Partnership with Pharmacy

- •Public Health recognizes that the pharmacists are the missing link in reducing the burden of tobacco use in Oregonians.
- •The OHA sees the vital role community pharmacists play because of their accessibility and ability to prescribe.

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# Barriers to Implementing Clinical Services in Community Pharmacies

Lack of public awareness that pharmacists can prescribe in specific therapeutic lanes in Oregon

- Birth Control Prescribing: Slow uptake in Oregon
- We need to increase the public's awareness:
  - "Oregon Pharmacists can now prescribe tobacco cessation therapies." (along with contraceptives, naloxone, PEP & PrEP, COVID testing)

#### **Medical Billing:**

- Oregon Medicaid
- OSU has worked with AssureCare to determine each Oregon CCO's pharmacist credentialling and enrollment.
- They can help with directing patients to your services, scheduling support, and processing support.
- The knowledge garnered in facilitating the pharmacies credentialing and enrollment with Oregon Medicaid and CCOs is providing a blueprint for all Oregon pharmacies.

## Resources to Support Quitting

## PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION Health Promotion and Chronic Disease Prevention:

Tools to help patients make the biggest step toward greater health



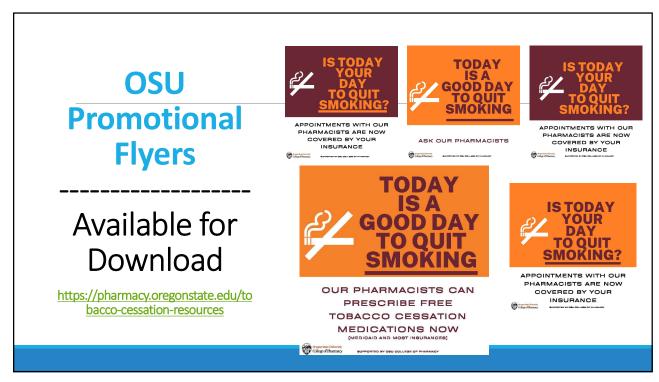
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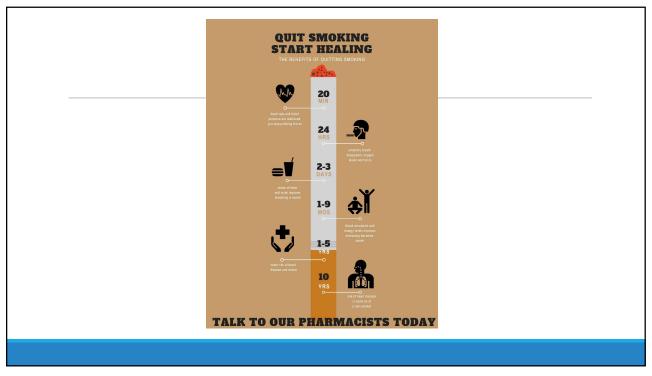
## Resources Developed and Included in the Training

- OSU Promotional Flyers
- Oregon Tobacco Quit Line
- Smoke-Free Oregon's Flyers
- Smoke-Free Oregon's Pharmacy Locator Map
- Oregon Tobacco Education Program Coordinators
- Local Oregon County Fact Sheets

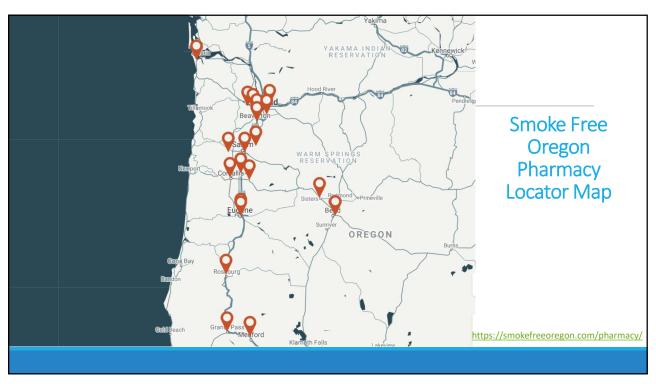
Additional promotional materials and resources available at: http://pharmacy.oregonstate.edu/tobacco-cessation-resources

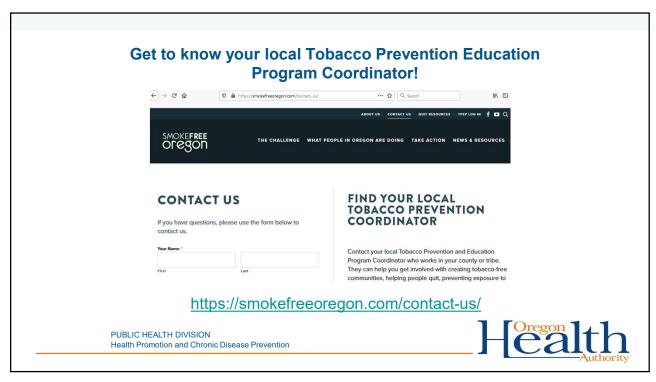
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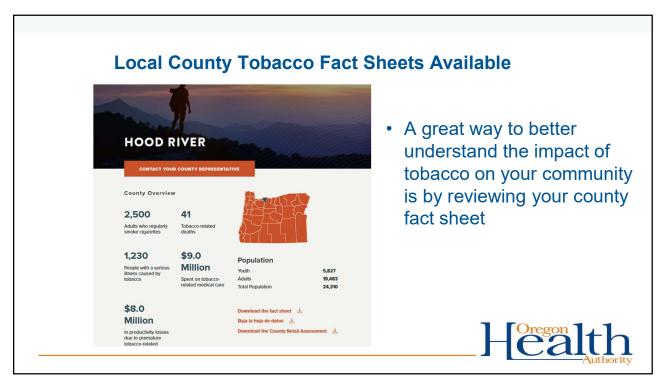


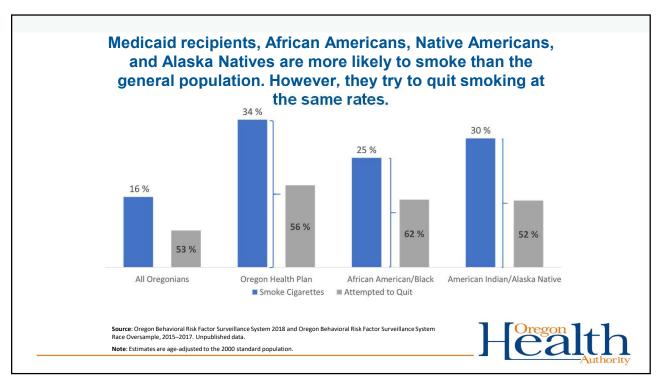






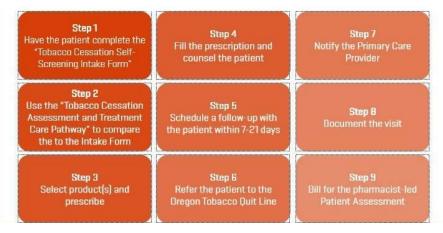








## Sample Workflow in a **Community Pharmacy Setting**



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## Medical Billing for Tobacco Cessation Visit

A pharmacist's tobacco cessation assessment is a billable Oregon Medicaid service.

- Pharmacists billing for tobacco cessation services must use CPT and ICD-10 codes to bill for services:
  - CPT codes describe the service provided ("rendered") ICD-10 codes describe the reason for the visit
- The course, Successful Implementation of Patient Assessment and Proper Billing, an online training, provides thorough explanations of credentialing/enrollment and the fundamentals of medical billing, including correct use of CPT and ICD-10 codes utilized by pharmacists.
  - https://oregon-state-pharmacyce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/patient-assessment-and-proper-billing

#### Steps to Implement Tobacco Cessation Services in an **Oregon Pharmacy**

- 1. Pharmacist Tobacco Cessation Education
- Oregon Medicaid Credentialing and Enrollment for Pharmacist and Pharmacy
   NPI: Taxonomy should be: 1835P0018X (Pharmacist Clinician).
   Hold mandatory credentialing requirements (training)

  - c) Medicaid ID: Obtain DMAP number
- Pharmacy Requirements
   a) Complete Policy & Procedures development for services provided, as required by the OBOP and company regulations.
   b) Pharmacy Credentialing

- Medical Billing
  a) Enroll to Bill point-of-sale and serve as the billing provider to OMAP
  b) List of CCOs served
  c) CPT Codes, ICD10 Codes, and Fee Schedule
  d) OHA: Medicaid Fee-for-service professional billing for retail and community pharmacists Pharmacist fee-for-service community pharmacist professional.
  Promotions
- Flyers
  a) OSU College of Pharmacy
  b) OHA/Smoke-Free Oregon
  Engage Pharmacy Staff
  Word of mouth

  - d) Local CCOs

If you are interested in implementing tobacco cessation services at your pharmacy, contact sharon.rask@oregonstate.edu

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### PAYMENT!

- •CCOs outreach, leveraged by public health initiative
- OSU College of Pharmacy engaged Assure Care to facilitate initial credentialing and enrollment process for pharmacists & Medicaid billing.
- Prescryptive Health will support front-end technology to direct patients to the clinical service, manage scheduling, support reporting, and manage credentialling going forward.



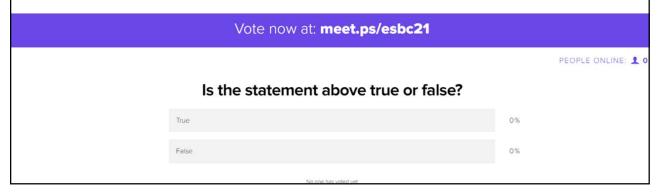
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The following describes an efficient manner to determine areas of focus/importance that reveal funding sources and will direct you to public health decision makers:

"Search your state's public health website to discover areas of *public health focus* which often tie to grant dollars and illustrate your state's health initiatives, concerns and areas of focus".



Several important steps in establishing initial public health relationships include:

Familiarizing yourself with your state's public health website, contacting key therapeutic area contacts associated with key clinical areas, and making appointments to visit *local public health offices*.

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The following statement outlines ways to overcome barriers to implementation:

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## Monoclonal Antibody Administration

- 1. Prepare yourself and staff: Patient plan for Covid testing, patient administration space, patient waiting/observation strategy
- 2. Communicate with local Public Health for referrals, resources (PPE), support
- 3. Partner with Technology to drive patients to your store, schedule, gather patient data, report to public health partners, bill for the clinical service (\$450/patient or \$750/patient in home)
- 4. Training is required: Free comprehensive 1-hour ACPE accredited program:

## Would you like to know more? Monoclonal Antibody Administration



Click here for the protocol, training program, and one hour of free CE credit!

CE Link: <a href="https://info.prescryptive.com/continuing-education">https://info.prescryptive.com/continuing-education</a>

Oregon Protocol: https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Documents/COVID\_mAb\_Protocol.pdf

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# Would you like to know more? Smoking Cessation



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CE Link: <a href="https://oregon-state-pharmacy-ce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/tobacco-cessation">https://oregon-state-pharmacy-ce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/tobacco-cessation</a>
Oregon Protocol: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Documents/Tobacco-Protocol.pdf">https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Documents/Tobacco-Protocol.pdf</a>

# Would you like to know more? Contraceptive Prescribing



Click <u>here</u> for **FIVE** hours of CE credit!

CE Link: <a href="https://oregon-state-pharmacy-ce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/oregon-contraceptive-education-and-certification">https://oregon-state-pharmacy-ce.catalog.instructure.com/browse/oregon/courses/oregon-contraceptive-education-and-certification</a>

Oregon Protocol: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Pages/Contraceptive-Prescribing.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/pharmacy/Pages/Contraceptive-Prescribing.aspx</a>

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# Point-of-Care Testing Best Practices

**Enhanced Services Boot Camp** 

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### **Pharmacist and Technician Learning Objectives:**

- List the steps needed and resources available to get started with point-of-care testing.
- Differentiate opportunities in point-of-care testing as it pertains to chronic disease management and acute infectious disease management.
- Describe successful strategies for increasing point-of-care testing services to make it a sustainable patient care offering.





### Point of Care Test (POCT)

• POCT is performing a test outside of a laboratory that produces a rapid and reliable result aiding in identifying or managing chronic diseases and acute infections (e.g. COVID-19). Examples of CLIA waived tests/POCT include A1c, blood glucose, influenza, and Strep A. To see the FDA's listing of tests that are CLIA waived

https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfClia/analyteswaived.cfm



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# Why does POCT in a Community Pharmacy Make Sense

- 55,000-65,000 community pharmacies in the US
- The majority of Americans live within 2 miles of a pharmacy
- Can see a pharmacist on a walk in basis
- Many patients seek a pharmacist first for relief of aliments

M. Klepser et al. "The Pharmacist Will Screen You Now" Medscape Pharmacist (Feb. 5, 2014)





### **Good Laboratory Practice**

- Comply with OSHA standards pertinent to workplace hazards and Bloodborne Pathogens Standard
- HIPPA standards apply
- Maintain appropriate physical environment
- Written testing procedure for testing and quality controls
- Consistent method of documentation and storage of records

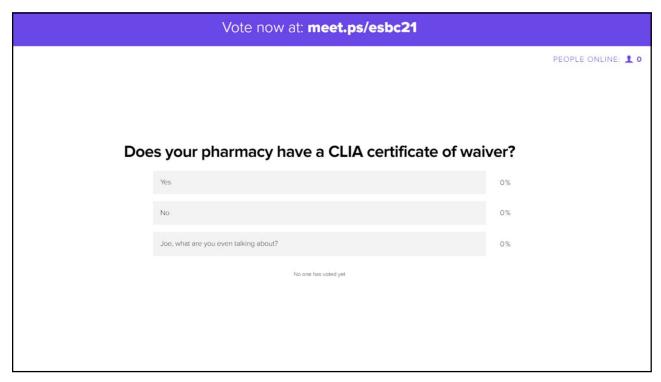


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# **Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 (CLIA)**

- All sites performing laboratory test on humans are regulated under CLIA.
- Most pharmacies apply for the CLIA Waived category of test
- CLIA Waived test are consider simple test





### Where Do I Start







### COVID-19 Change Package #3

Applying for a CLIA Certificate of Waiver

On April 8, 2020, the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services issued guidance authorizing licensed pharmacists to order and administer COVID-19 tests, including serology tests, that the FDA has authorized.



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### **CLIA**

## HOW TO FILL OUT A CLIA CERTIFICATE OF WAIVER (CMS-116) APPLICATION

### Section I. General Information

- Check initial application and leave the CLIA identification number blank
- Complete this section providing your pharmacy's specific information
- □ Name of Director can be anyone in the pharmacy but recommended to be the pharmacist in the pharmacy overseeing the testing

### Section II. Type of Certificate Requested

☐ Only check the first box: "Certificate of Waiver"

### Section III. Type of Laboratory ☐ Check box 20: Pharmacy

### Section IV. Hours of Laboratory Testing

☐ Indicate the times your pharmacy will provide testing

### Section V. Multiple Sites

☐ Check no if you are only applying for one pharmacy (NCPA recommends filling out a separate CLIA application for each location if multiple locations are owned.)

### Section VI. Waived Testing

List the tests you will be performing. Verify with your state which tests you can perform

- ☐ Estimate the number of tests you will be performing annually (consider all tests listed)
- ☐ For COVID-19 testing, you either need to be specific for the currently available tests with an EUA that has a "W" under authorized setting\* OR do not list COVID-19 tests for now. You can always update the tests at a later date.

### Section VII. PPM Testing and VII. Non-waived testing: Skip this section

### Section IX. Type of Control

☐ Check the box that best describes your pharmacy (most community pharmacies are Box 4: Proprietary, but select the one that's most appropriate)

### Section X. Director Affiliation with other Laboratories ☐ If this is the first time filling out this application, you will probably leave blank

☐ If other pharmacies that you own are CLIA waived, list those in this section

### **Consent and Signature**

☐ Carefully read the consent information at the bottom of page 4 before signing and dating

\*Tests with a EUA and a "W": Click here





### **POCT Certificate Program**



### Pharmacy-based Pointof-Care Testing Certificate Program

### **Upcoming Dates**

December 7, 2021 (Virtual) 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. ET

### **Program Information**

The NASPA **Pharmacy-based Point-of-Care Testing Certificate Program** provides an opportunity to gain the skills and information necessary to develop a testing program for coronaviruses, influenza, Group A Streptococcus, HIV, and Hepatitis C. The target is pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and student pharmacists.



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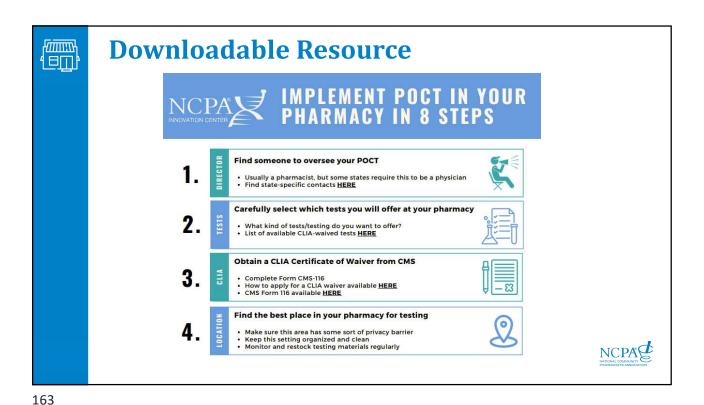


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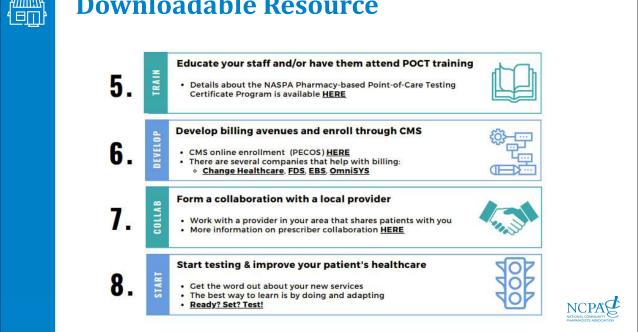


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### **Pharmacist and Technician Learning Objectives**

- Discuss strategies for "getting buy in" on your pharmacy culture.
- Discuss best practices for engaging and training the pharmacy team to streamline operations.
- Identify mechanisms for giving feedback and managing resistance to change.



# Task 1:

- Define and understand your pharmacy's current enhanced service delivery strategy.
- What are your pharmacy's goals?
- What is your enhanced service budget?
- What services are you delivering?
- What services do you want to deliver?
- What services does your community need?



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# Our Journey: 1976 to Today



- 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation Community Pharmacist
- Observed Acquisition, Consolidation, and Sale of pharmacies
- Operated by 2 different partners for 30+ years
- Ownership consolidation over 10 years ago
- Worked on consolidation of operations WHILE adding locations and taking on new partners
- Staff management has consistently been our most difficult challenge
- Set goals of creating a common culture among many people in unique locations

# Compensation Strategy Evolution

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- Historically offered annual, tenure-based cost of living raises
- Historically offered profit sharing year-end bonuses

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# Compensation Strategy Evolution

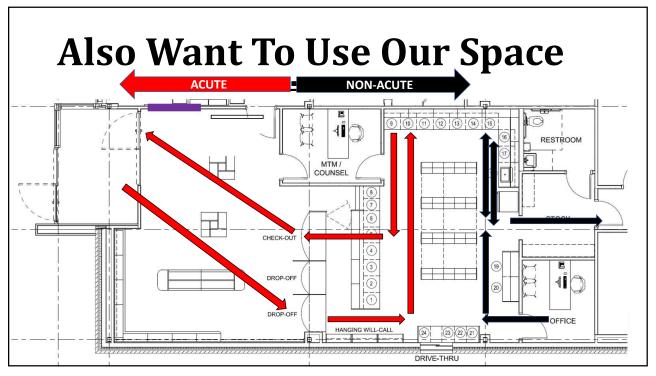
### **Internal Assessment:**

- Everyone is not motivated by the same thing
- We should work to motivate everyone individually
- Drive motivation toward our pharmacy practice strategic vision

### What We Decided:

• We wanted to add incentive based raises scaled higher than cost of living increases, as well as additional incentives not tied to pay

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# **Task 2:**

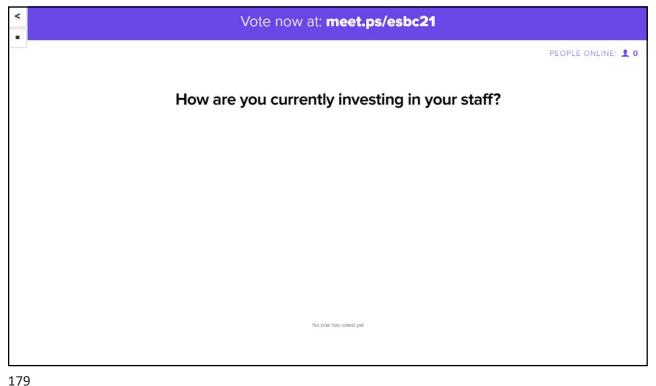
- Define and understand your current pharmacy staff evolution strategies. Are they supporting your pharmacy's enhanced service delivery goals?
- How are you currently investing in your staff?
- How do members of your staff respond to different types of incentives?

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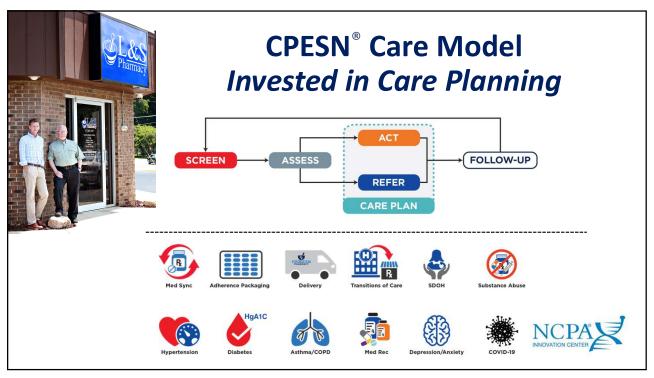


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# What Did We Want To Encourage?

- Staff knowledge expansion and job satisfaction
- Marketable staff credentials (for press and payer)
- Enhanced service & OTC revenue growth
- Service differentiation from other pharmacies
- Improvements in operational efficiencies
- Positive patient experiences
- Relationship based care
- Social Determinants of Health Support



# What are Social Determinants of Health?

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This is important to us because our pharmacies are located in the middle of where people "are born, grow, work, live and age" NCPAL NORTHER OF THE BOOK OF THE BOO

# Targeted Goals That Reflect OUR Strategy

- Medication Optimization Service Outreach Growth
- Certified Pharmacy Technician Certificates
- Mental Health First Aid Certificates
- Motivational Interviewing Certificates
- Community Health Worker Certificates
- Front End / OTC Sales Subject Matter Experts
- Effective Service Implementation (newsletters, etc)
- Sustainable Service Delivery



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# Task 3:

- Explore ways to incentivize your staff
- Build incentives that not only enhance staff skills and improve job satisfaction, but also align with the pharmacy's enhanced service delivery strategies



# What Would This Look Like?



- Mental Health First Aid Certificates
- Asthma Environmental Trigger / Home Assessment Training
- Motivational Interviewing Certificates
- Human Trafficking Identification Certificates
- OTC Product Training Certificates
- Pharmacy Technician Certifications
- Community Health Worker Certificates

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# **How Did We Implement?**

### **Examples**

- \$0.05/hour Specialty OTC Product Training
  - · Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered
- \$0.10/hour Mental Health First Aid Certificate
  - · Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered
- \$0.15/hour Motivational Interviewing Certificate
  - Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered
- \$1.00/hour Certified Pharmacy Technician
   Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered
- \$1.00/hour Technician Immunization Certification
  - · Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered
- \$1.50/hour Community Health Workers Certificate
  - Additional Incentives: Social Media Recognition, Coursework Covered



How Do We Keep Track?																				
	Year of Employment	Staff	PharmD		Sunshine Committe Leader	Missouri Board of Pharmacy Licensed Pharmacist	Missouri Board of Pharmacy Licensed Technician	PGY1 Communty Pharmacy Resident	Certified Pharmacy Technician (CPhT)	Medication Packaging Specialist	Third Party / Insurance Specialist	Patient Care Coordinator	Diabetes Support Coordinator	Home Visits /	Mental Health First Aid Certified	PGx Certified	Motivational Interviewing Certified	Community Health Worker Certified	Essential Oil Training	Immunizat Certified
L&S	1988	Albert Pujols	No	Y		No	Yes	No	2003	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No		Pengin	2018	No
L&S	2003	LeBron James	No	Y		No	Yes	No	2017	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	2018	No
L&S	2004	Michael Jordan	No	Y		No	Yes	No	2008	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	2017	No	No	No	2018	No
L&S	1993	Usain Bolt	No	Y	Yes	No	Yes	No	2003	No	Yes	Yes	No	Tes	No		22 8	Pending	2018	No
L&S	2007	Magic Johnson	No	Y		No	Yes	No	2011	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	10	2018	2018	No
L&S	2013	Jack Clark	No	Y		No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	Ye	Yes	2017	No	No	Pending	2018	No
L&S	2007	Ozzie Smith	No	Y		No	Yes	No	2008	No	No	Yes	10	Yes	17	No	2018	No	2018	No
L&S	2014	Tommy Herr	Yes	Y		Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	Yes
L&S	2017	Ja Morant	No	N		Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	N	No	No	No	Yes
L&S	1990	Preston Wilson	No	N		Yes	No	No	No	No	No		No		No	<b>_</b> 0	No	No	No	No
L&S	2016	Kolton Wong	No	N		No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
L&S	2013	Barry Sanders	No	N		No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No.	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
L&S	2020	James Naile	No	N		No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No		Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
L&S	2015	Harold Baines	No	N		No.	Yes	No	No	No		No.	40	Yes		No	No	No	No	No.
L&S & Medical Arts	1993	Benito Santiago	Yes	Y		Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	40	2018	No	No	No	No
L&S & Medical Arts	1976	Pete Sampras	Yes	Y		Yes	No	No	No	No.	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2018	No	No	No	No
Medical Arts	2011	Carlos Boozer	Yes	Y		Yes	No	No	No		No		Yes	Yes	No	2018	No	No	No	Yes
Medical Arts	2019	Fred McGriff	No	Y	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	Pending	No	No
Medical Arts	2013	Jim Edmonds	Yes	Y		Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Ye	No	2018	No.	No	No	No
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L&S & Medical Arts	2020	Babe Ruth	Yes	Yes		Yes	No.	Yes	100	Yes	No.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No OO47	No	No	No	No	No
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Medical Arts	1976	Francisco Rodriguez Mariano Rivera	No No	N		No No	Yes	N	No No	IVO	No No	No No	No.	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No
Medical Arts	2013	Billy Ripkin	No No	Y		No No	Yes Yes	No.	No No		Yes	Yes	INU	No No	No.	No	No No	No No	2018	No No
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Medical Arts	2012	Tony Larussa Terry Pendleton	No	N		No No	V	No.	No	No No	No.	No .	No.	Yes	No	No	No No	No.	No	No
Medical Arts	2012	Jaren Jackson	No No	Y		No No	M <sub>oo</sub>	No No	A.V	No No	Yes	No No	No No	No.	No	No	No No	No.	No No	No No
			Mental Health First Aid Certified					Motivational Interviewing Certified			Community Health Worker Certified				NCPA INNOVATION CENTER					

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# **Task 4:**

- Define beneficial staff skill sets
- Explore trainings that build staff skill sets
- Explore how these skills fit into workflow
- Determine if / how these staff skills will bolster your pharmacy practice

# **Mental Health First Aid**

- Recognize mental / behavioral health crisis
- Diffuse and calm
- Collect information
- Refer appropriately
- Help This Person in Need





"All I could think of when that just happened was the class we went to last fall."
-L&S Staff Member

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# **Motivational Interviewing**

- · A different way of communicating
- Uses open ended questions
- Sharpens listening skills
- Including the patient as the lead in decisions
- Perfect for non-clinical adherence follow ups
- Online course for staff & included in CHW training

I can tell who has and has not taken the coursework by just listening to them on the phone



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## What's a Community Health Worker?

"Community Health Workers (CHWs) are frontline public health workers who are trusted members of and /or have an unusually close understanding of the community served. This trusting relationship enables CHWs to serve as a liaison/link/intermediary between health/social services and the community to facilitate access to services and improve the quality and cultural competence of service delivery. CHWs also build individual and community capacity by increasing health knowledge and self-sufficiency through a range of activities such as outreach, community education, informal counseling, social support and advocacy."

Community Health Worker Definition; American Public Health Association Policy Statement 20091, Support for Community Health Workers to Increase Health Access and to Reduce Health Inequities; 2009



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# Why CHWs in a Pharmacy?

Medicaid Programs & Health Plans often spend more on CARE MANAGEMENT (medical side) than on PRESCRIPTION DRUGS (pharmacy side)

North Carolina Medicaid and NC Health Choice Annual Report for State Fiscal year 2018July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018
 Missouri Department of Social Services 2017 Annual Report: https://dxs.mo.gov/re/odf/2017-dxs-annual-report.pdf

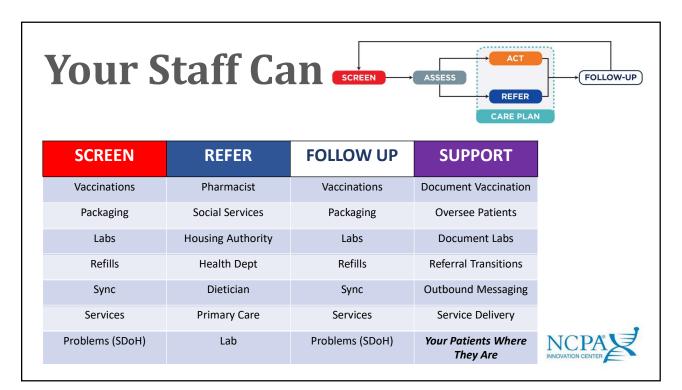


# Community Health Workers

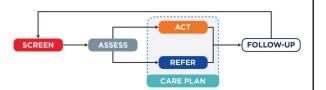


- Help patients and their families navigate the health care system, access LOCAL community services & non-local resources, as well as promote the adoption of healthy behaviors
- Facilitate a LOCAL and ACCESSABLE destination for soft handoffs for patients in transition and/or in need of services beyond standard prescription dispensing
- Serve as a LOCAL liaison for payer and provider partners and become a conduit for information flow and service delivery

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# **CPESN®** Care Model: Return on Investment:



### Utilize Staff To Get Paid For Things Like:

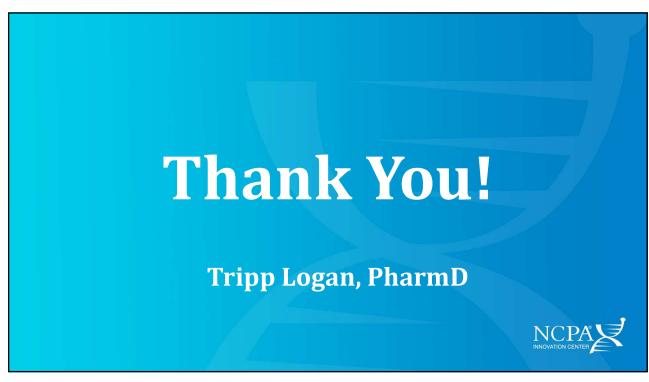
- Asthma Screenings
- Cancer Screenings & Referrals
- Community Health Worker Coursework
- Community Resource Tables
- Depression Screenings
- Food Insecurity Screenings
- Home Assessments
- Immunization Screenings/Referrals
- LOCAL Care Coordination

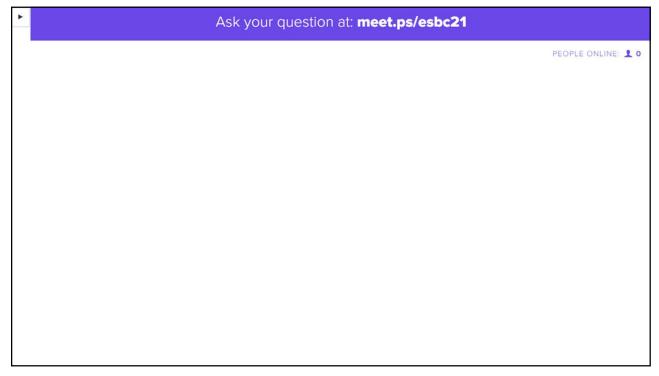
- LOCAL Support Group Referrals
- Medicaid Eligibility Support
- Medication Optimization
- OOP Cost Reduction Services
- Pediatric Asthma Supports
- SDoH Screenings
- · Self Monitoring Blood Pressure
- Transportation Support (transit)
- Vaccine Hesitancy Education



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# The True Return on Investment Michelle, Shanks for going aboves buyond to help me get my medicine.





# **Ancillary Staff Roles Discussion**

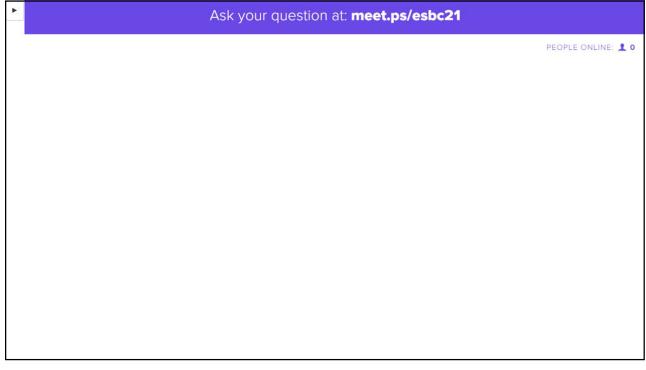


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