



Learning Objectives and Agenda with Speaker Profiles



Skaggs School of Pharmacy at The University of Montana is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education. This knowledge-based program is targeted to pharmacists and pharmacy technicians. Activities listed in this announcement have been approved for ACPE continuing education credit for 13 contact hours if attending all sessions. This approval is for pharmacists and pharmacy technicians. Continuing education credits will be submitted to CPE Monitor within 60 days, upon successful completion of the verification of continuing education signature sheet and program evaluation form.

Please note: Objectives as they apply for pharmacist and pharmacy technician learning are designated with a P and or a T at the end of each objective.

Friday, January 6, 2017

12:00 pm	Montana Pharmacist Patient Care Alliance
1:00 pm	MPA Health-Systems Academy Meeting
2:00 pm	MPA Board of Directors Meeting
3:00 – 4:15 pm	Vendor Setup and Registration
3:00 – 6:00 pm	Registration Desk Open
4:30 – 6:00 pm	Social Hour and Visiting with Pharmacy Suppliers
6:00 – 7:30 pm	Awards Banquet – We will introduce, honor and recognize the recipients of MPA’s annual awards – Distinguished Young Pharmacist, Excellence in Innovation, Generation RX Champions, Pharmacy Technician of the Year, Fitzgerald Pharmacist of the Year, and Bowl of Hygeia. We will also honor our MPA member pharmacists who have been licensed 50 or more years and our member technicians who have been certified for 16 years.
7:30 – 9:00 pm	<p>Pharmacy Robbery Prevention and Survival Speaker: Jason Blumenauer, MBA, Director of Global Security and Protective Services, Cardinal Health, Dublin, OH</p> <p>At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Define and explain legal definitions for robbery, aggravated robbery, and armed robbery. P/T 2. Create a resilient security environment that deters pharmacy robbery. P/T 3. Identify and employ strategies for survival during a robbery. P/T

Saturday, January 7, 2017

7:00 – 8:00 am **Breakfast with our Pharmacy Suppliers**

8:00 – 9:00 am **Antiemetic Use in Cancer Care**

Speaker: April Brager, PharmD, BCOP, Oncology Pharmacy Coordinator, Bozeman Health Cancer Center, Bozeman

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Identify patient risk factors associated with chemotherapy-induced nausea/vomiting (CINV). P/T
2. Interpret the Antiemetic Guidelines discussed in order to assess patient CINV risk level. P
3. Design an antiemetic medication plan based on the intravenous CINV risk level identified. P

9:00 – 10:00 am **MacGyvering Treatment Resistant Infections: How to Do More with Less**

Speakers: Tom Richardson, PharmD, BCPS (AQ-ID), Pharmacy Clinical Coordinator, St. Peter's Hospital, Helena

--Heidi Simons, PharmD, BCPS, Antimicrobial Stewardship Pharmacist, St. Peter's Hospital, Helena

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Define the clinical relevance of treatment resistant infections and recognize how the presence of significant drug resistance impacts therapeutic options in patient care. P/T
2. Summarize laboratory idiosyncrasies involved in identification of resistant organisms. P
3. Discriminate between antibiotics that retain stability in the presence of antibiotic resistance and those that do not. P

10:00 – 10:15 am **Break in the Vendor Area**

Concurrent Sessions – 10:15 – 12:15: Community Pharmacies and Health-Systems

[Three community pharmacy sessions are below.](#)

10:15 - 10:45 am Montana Medicaid Pharmacy Reimbursement

Speaker: David Campana, RPh, Medicaid Pharmacist, Montana Department of Public Health & Human Services, Helena

At the close of the presentation attendees will be able to:

1. Name methods to access information about the new drug costs. P/T

10:45 – 11:15 am **Team Up Pressure Down Montana: Unique Opportunities for Pharmacists**

Speaker: James Bennett, RPh, FACA, CDE, Pharmacist Consultant, Transforming Chronic Care, Bozeman

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Articulate the requirements and program parameters for pharmacists applying for the Team Up Pressure Down pharmacy grants. P/T
2. Cite the successes of our past Team Up Pressure Down programs. P/T
3. Access the pharmacy and patient resources available through the Million Hearts Initiative. P/T

11:15 am –
12:15 pm

Opioid Reversal Agents (Naloxone): Trends and Changing Policies

Speaker: Shanna Frank, Narcotics Bureau, Montana Department of Justice, Great Falls

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Identify the characteristics of an opioid overdose. P/T
2. Identify the steps in care of a person who has overdosed on an opioid and the administration of naloxone. P/T
3. Describe the scope and demographics of the opioid abuse and overdose epidemic nationally and specifically Montana. P/T
4. Explain the purpose of and the revolving changes of access programs, prescription monitoring programs, drug take back programs and the Montana Good Samaritan Law. P/T

Two health-systems sessions are below.

10:15 - 11:15 am

A Day in the Life of an Emergency Department Pharmacist: Tricks of the

Speaker: Logan Tinsen, PharmD, Benefis Hospitals, Great Falls

At the close of the presentation participants should be able to:

1. Compare and contrast the benefits of ketofol (ketamine and propofol) over standard sedation agents. P/T
2. Assess the appropriateness of hyaluronidase for subcutaneous hydration in pediatric patients. P
3. Employ new strategies to administer tPA in under 60 minutes for stroke patients. P

11:15 am –
12:15 pm

Managing a Hospitalized Patient Receiving a Long-Acting Antipsychotic Injectable (LAI) Medication

Speaker: Stacey Pascoe, PharmD, AE-C, Clinical Pharmacist, Montana State Hospital, Warm Springs

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Explain the release mechanism, duration of action, and initiation procedure for LAIs. P/T
2. Identify key kinetic information and required monitoring for each LAI. P/T
3. Assess a patient admitted to the hospital that has recently received a LAI. P

12:15 – 12:45 pm

Lunch

12:45 – 1:45 pm

What One Ought to Do: Ethics in the Work Environment

Speaker: Donna Beall, PharmD, FCCP, Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Skaggs School of Pharmacy, University of Montana, Missoula

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Discuss the major principles of professional ethics. P/T
2. Describe steps that can be taken to maintain the professional integrity of the pharmacy profession. P/T
3. Dissect a case presented using the quick guide to ethical decision-making. P/T

1:45 – 4:00 pm

Free Time

2:00 – 3:30 pm

Montana Family Pharmacies – Membership Meeting

4:00 – 5:30 pm

Alzheimer's Disease and the Pharmacist

Speaker: Charlotta Eaton, MD, St. Vincent Healthcare, Billings

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Recognize the need for an early and accurate diagnosis of someone who has Alzheimer's disease. P/T
2. Recognize the need for medical management of all comorbid conditions with the shortened life span of someone who has Alzheimer's disease. P/T

5:30 – 7:00 pm

Bariatric Surgery: Digesting Medication Management

Speakers Pamela Darrow, PharmD, BCPS, Clinical Pharmacist, Transitions of Care, Billings Clinic, Billings

--Shannon Puckett May, PharmD, BCACP, Clinical Pharmacist, Internal and Family Medicine, Billings Clinic, Billings

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. Describe physiologic changes that occur following bariatric procedures and their impact on drug pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics. P/T
2. Recognize the effects bariatric surgery has on the common comorbid conditions of obesity and the medication management of these conditions. P/T
3. Evaluate a patient's medication therapy pre and post-bariatric surgery and make recommendations to minimize adverse effects and maximize therapeutic outcomes. P

7:00 – 9:

Sports Viewing / Pizza / Beverages – in the Hospitality Suite

Sunday, January 8, 2017

7:30 – 8:00 am

Breakfast in the Auditorium

8:00 – 9:00 am

Clinical Applications of Pharmacogenomics: A Focus on Psychiatric Pharmacotherapy

Speaker: Ian McGrane, PharmD, BCPS, BCPP, Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice, Skaggs School of Pharmacy, University of Montana, Missoula

At the conclusion of this session, participants should be able to:

1. Describe the risks and benefits of pharmacogenetic testing in a psychiatric setting. P/T
2. Educate patients and providers regarding current applications and shortcomings of commercially available pharmacogenetic tests. P/T
3. Apply CYP450 pharmacogenetic results in conjunction with available guidelines for a more personalized prescription. P

9:00 – 10:00 am

Creating Effective Teams in Health Care

Speaker: Robert Stenger, MD, MPH, Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Family Medicine Residency of Western Montana, University of Montana, Missoula

At the conclusion of this session, participants should be able to:

1. Explain the factors in the health care environment creating a movement towards team-based care. P/T
2. Identify attributes and behaviors associated with effective inter-professional health care teams. P/T
3. Describe potential roles and benefits of clinical pharmacists as members of the health care team in ambulatory care settings. P/T

10:00 – 10:15 am

Break

10:15 – 11:15 am

Monitoring and Interventions for Pharmacists with Potential Impairments

Speaker: Emery Jones, MA, LCPC, LAC, Director, Montana Assistance Program, Missoula

At the conclusion of the presentation, participants will be able to:

1. Identify several signs of impairment in the workplace. P/T
2. Differentiate monitoring from treatment in pharmacists with impairments. P/T

11:15 – 1:15 pm

Current Law and Practice Issues in the State and Nation

Speakers: Stuart Doggett, Executive Director – Montana Pharmacy Association, Helena

--Paul Brand, PharmD, MPA Chair– Florence Community Pharmacy, Florence

--Tony King, PharmD, MPA Co-chair Legislative Committee – Geneva Wood Pharmacy, Helena, MT

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants should be able to:

1. List two legislative initiatives MPA seeks to pass during the 2017 legislature. P/T
2. Identify one recent change to Administrative Rule passed by the Montana Board of Pharmacy. P/T
3. Identify one primary federal initiative being worked on by national pharmacy representatives. P/T

1:15 pm

Adjourn

Speaker Profiles

—in alphabetical order—

Donna Beall, PharmD, FCCP

Donna G. Beall, Pharm.D., BCPS, FCCP is a professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice and Clinical Pharmacy Specialist at Curry Health Center at The University of Montana. She serves as Director of Student Services for the College of Health Professions and Biomedical Sciences. She received her B.S. in pharmacy from Northeastern University in Boston, Massachusetts and Doctor of Pharmacy degree from The University of Florida.

She is the principle investigator for IPHARM (ImProving Health Among Rural Montanans). IPHARM provides health screening checks primarily to at risk Montanans. This project also serves as a model rural ambulatory care practice site for pharmacy students and educates health care providers in Montana in wellness testing. She is involved in many committees both at the local and national levels.

Jason Blumenauer, MBA

Jason Blumenauer is Cardinal Health's Director of Global Security and Protective Services. Responsibilities consist of developing, coordinating, and managing, programs around safety and security, crisis management, quality / regulatory, and compliance. This is done for areas made up of Pharmaceutical and Medical segments that involve warehouses, research, manufacturing, distribution / supply chain, call centers, and corporate offices. Mr. Blumenauer brings 25 years of experience in global security and law enforcement. He began his career in the U.S. Air Force as a Law Enforcement Officer. Jason Blumenauer is an experienced professional with emphasis on providing exceptional service to internal and external clients by building strong cross functional relationships collaborating with business segments for a solid knowledge base and promoting a team environment.

April Brager, PharmD, BCOP

April Brager, PharmD, BCOP, is the Oncology Pharmacy Coordinator and a clinical pharmacist at Bozeman Health Cancer Center. Dr. Brager earned her Doctorate of Pharmacy Degree from the University of Illinois at Chicago. She completed her PGY1 Pharmacy Practice Residency at Fairview Northland Medical Center and her PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy Residency at St. Luke's Medical Center-Mountain States Tumor Institute. She attained her Board Certification in Oncology Pharmacy in 2015.

Paul Brand, PharmD, AE-C

Paul is the owner of Florence Pharmacy, a small independent pharmacy located in the Bitterroot Valley. He is a current member of the Board of Directors of the Montana Pharmacy Association as well as a past president. He and his wife have operated Florence Pharmacy since June of 2000. Prior to that Paul started a post-surgical Pain Team as well as a hospital-wide pain team at a local hospital that won several awards.

James Bennett, RPh, FACA, CDE

James (Jimmy) Bennett is a pharmacy consultant working with the DPHHS Montana Cardiovascular Health Program where he facilitates chronic disease management programs for pharmacists and presents continuing education programs for health care professionals.

He is Certified Diabetes Educator and director of the EMPOWER Diabetes Self-management Training Program at James Bennett Apothecary, an American Association of Diabetes Educators recognized program.

He was one of the first practicing independent community pharmacists to be elected to the Board of Directors of the American Association of Diabetes Educators and has served on numerous committees with that organization.

He serves on the faculty of the University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy as a Clinical Instructor for the Advanced Practice Community Pharmacy program and has been recognized as both State and National Preceptor of the Year.

Jimmy maintains a private consultant practice specializing in Medication Therapy Management with offices in Corinth, Mississippi and Bozeman, Montana. He is a faculty member of the Johnson and Johnson World Wide Diabetes Institute where he is active in presenting diabetes education programs to health care professionals across the country.

David Campana, RPh

David Campana, RPh has served as the Health Resources Medicaid Pharmacist with the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services since 2011. Prior to this, he held a variety of pharmacy positions in Anchorage, Alaska, including serving as the Medicaid Pharmacy Program Manager. He has been active in professional pharmacy organizations throughout his career and presented to these organizations on numerous occasions.

Pam Darrow, PharmD, BCPS

Pam Darrow completed her Doctor of Pharmacy degree at the University of Wyoming in 2013. She then moved to Morgantown, West Virginia and completed a Post Graduate Year 1 Pharmacy residency at WVU Healthcare. Pam currently works as a clinical pharmacist in Transitions of Care at Billings Clinic

Stuart Doggett

Stuart is a native of White Sulphur Springs, Montana where he grew up on the family's cattle ranch and attended local schools. He moved to Helena in 1983 after graduating from the University of Montana with a degree in Political Science. Since 1983 Stuart has been an association manager and/or lobbyist for a variety of groups including the Montana Stockgrowers and the Montana Chamber of Commerce. From 1987 to 1990 Stuart worked as the Executive Assistant for the State Auditor where he dealt with a variety of issues involving the regulation of insurance and securities.

In 1991 Stuart returned to association management work and in 1994 established his own firm, Association Management Plus, Inc. His firm currently manages and provides governmental services for various statewide associations including the Montana Pharmacy Association. Stuart is currently the Executive Director/Lobbyist for the Montana Pharmacy Association a position he has held since January 1 of 2008.

Charlotta Eaton, MD

Charlotta Eaton, MD was born and raised in eastern Montana. She has a passion for medicine, especially chronic disease and palliative care. She practiced nephrology for over 20 years and retired while practicing palliative medicine in the long term care setting. Her volunteer role with the Montana Chapter of Alzheimer's Association allows her to continue with that passion while educating medical professionals and the public about this deadly disease.

Shanna Frank

Shanna Frank is a Montana Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI) Narcotics Agent. Agent Frank is the Tactical Medic for the DCI Narcotics Bureau Tactical Team and has been an emergency medical technician (EMT) for approximately 12 years and a law enforcement officer for approximately 14 years in Colorado and Montana.

Emery Jones, MA, LCPC, LAC

Emery Jones has been a licensed mental health and substance abuse professional for over 25 years. He practiced for 15 years as clinical director and then executive director of Western Montana Addiction Services, a State licensed outpatient treatment facility operating through Western Montana. He has been a recognized consultant for the State of Montana serving on the Governor's Criminal Justice Task Force and for the Addictive and Mental Disorders Division's Task Force on Co-Occurring disorders.

Throughout his career, he has maintained an independent private therapy practice specializing in the intervention and treatment for health professionals with mental health and substance use disorders. He began working with the Montana Assistance Program in 1996 and became the program director in 2006. The Montana Assistance Program monitors licensed professionals on behalf of the licensing boards, specifically the Boards of Nursing and Pharmacy.

Ian McGrane, PharmD, BCPS, PCPP

Dr. McGrane received his Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Montana in 2011. He completed residency at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center and at the Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center in North Chicago, Illinois. Following work at Shodair Children's Hospital, he is now an assistant professor of pharmacy practice at the University of Montana.

Stacey Pascoe, PharmD, AE-C

Stacey was born and raised in Butte, Montana. Stacey is employed at the Montana State Hospital, a facility which provides inpatient psychiatric treatment for adults with serious mental illness. Stacey is a Certified Asthma Educator and manages the hospital's Asthma and COPD Program. Stacey currently serves on the Montana Pharmacy Association's Board of Directors.

Shannon Puckett, PharmD, BCACP

Shannon Puckett completed her BA in chemistry at Carroll College in 2007 then her PharmD from the University of Montana in 2012. She completed a Post-Graduate Year 1 Pharmacy Residency through University of Washington School of Pharmacy at Providence Medical Group in Monroe, Washington. Shannon currently works as a clinical pharmacist practitioner at Billings Clinic Internal and Family Medicine.

Tom Richardson, PharmD, BCPS (AQ-ID)

Tom Richardson completed his post graduate year one pharmacy practice residency at St. Joseph Medical Center in Bellingham, Washington where he trained with a focus on infectious disease. He was then hired by the Billings Clinic to help establish an antimicrobial stewardship program. Tom earned his added qualification in infectious disease by the board of pharmacy specialties in 2013. Tom is currently the clinical coordinator, residency program director, and one of the antimicrobial stewardship pharmacists for St. Peter's Hospital in Helena, Montana.

Heidi Simons, PharmD, BCPS

Heidi Simons graduated from the University of Montana Skaggs School of Pharmacy in 2008. She completed PGY1 and PGY2 residencies at the University of Utah Hospital in 2009 and 2010, specializing in Critical Care. Following residency, Heidi practiced for 5 years in the Cardiovascular and Surgical ICUs at the University of Utah Hospital. Heidi is currently in her first year as the Antimicrobial Stewardship Pharmacist at St. Peter's Hospital in Helena, Montana

Robert Stenger, MD, MPH

Dr. Stenger is a faculty member with the Family Medicine Residency of Western Montana in Missoula, Montana. He also serves as current President of the Montana Academy of Family Physicians. He completed his residency training in Family Medicine and Preventive Medicine at Oregon Health and Sciences University in Portland, Oregon. Dr. Stenger has professional interests in primary care transformation and the Patient Centered Medical Home, and in particular, the use of health care teams to deliver more effective patient-centered primary care.

Logan Tinsen, PharmD

Logan is a 2013 graduate of the University of Montana. Throughout his time at the University, Logan was an active participant in programs such as HCOP, IPHARM, and campus-wide immunization clinics. After graduating Logan completed a PGY1 residency with Benefis Health System while working to establish a full-time pharmacist presence in the Emergency Department, this became a reality in 2015. As an at-large member of the MPA Health-Systems Academy, Logan has worked diligently with other executive committee members to increase involvement in the MPA. Logan takes great pride in helping mold the future generation of pharmacists and has become a leader and teacher to students.