



## Pharmacy Residency Annual Newsletter 2018 – 2019



### **Welcome to the 2018 – 2019 edition of the Aurora Health Care Pharmacy Residency Annual Newsletter**

As the weather warms and the flowers bloom, another residency year comes to a close. It is the time of year where we reflect on our experiences as residents. The highlights of conquering clinical forum, presenting year-long projects, and the memories made in the residency office. The lowlights of dropping lunch during clinical forum, utilizing Aurora Urgent Care for ACS rule out (it was musculoskeletal), and explaining to our family and friends that we really do work twelve days in a row! However, the juice was definitely worth the squeeze. With the help and support of our preceptors and program directors, we have made the transition from doe-eyed new graduates to independent practitioners. With that, we are honored to join you all as Aurora Pharmacy Resident Alumni! We invite you to read the newsletter for an update of the program, and a glimpse into the class of 2018-2019's experiences as residents.

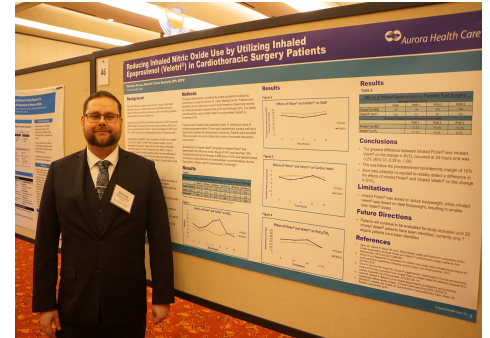
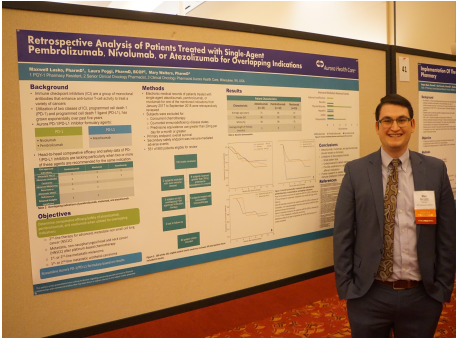
# Residency Program Overview

It has been an exciting year for the program as the first class after the merger with Advocate Health Care. Many of the Resident Year Long Projects focused on integration and process improvement as the health system doubles in size to become the 10th largest not-for-profit, integrated health system in the United States. However, there are minimal changes to the structure of the individual legacy residency programs. We are using our multi-hospital system structure to promote consistent branding across each program, with each program maintaining its own accreditation, application, and interview process. The state of our programs has never been stronger and the future looks bright with all 51 ASHP accredited PGY1 and PGY2 positions being filled in the Phase 1 of The Match. Combined with one program offered outside The Match, the Advocate Aurora Pharmacy Residency fill rate was 100%!!! Below are the current programs and number of positions offered.

- PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc. (2)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Advocate Christ Medical Center and Children’s Hospital (2)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center (4)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Advocate Lutheran General Hospital (6)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora BayCare Medical Center (3)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro Inc. (18)
- PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora West Allis Medical Center (3)
- PGY1/2 Pharmacy Informatics – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc. (1)
- PGY1/2 Health System Pharmacy Administration and Leadership – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc. (2)
- PGY2 Cardiology Pharmacy – Aurora St. Luke’s Medical Center (1)
- PGY2 Critical Care Pharmacy – Advocate Lutheran General Hospital (1)
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- PGY2 Emergency Medicine Pharmacy – Advocate Christ Medical Center and Advocate Children’s (1)
- PGY2 Infectious Diseases Pharmacy – Advocate Lutheran General Hospital (2)
- PGY2 Infectious Diseases Pharmacy – Advocate Christ Medical Center and Advocate Children’s (1)
- PGY2 Infectious Diseases Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc. (1)
- PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc. (3)

There are also several exciting updates within the Legacy Aurora Programs. The oncology and critical care programs are both entering their **10th year**. The infectious disease program, now in its second year, received an 8-year accreditation from ASHP. The community-based program added two new elective rotations, population health and clinical teaching. The BayCare program has fully introduced a layered learning model in their rotations, added rotations in med-surg, oncology, and cardiology, and welcomes David Reeb as the new program director. Finally, the PGY1 Pharmacy – Metro, Inc. program is celebrating **25 years** of residency training.

# Suit Coats and White Coats

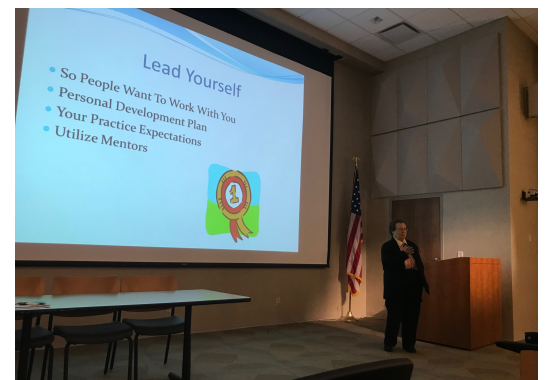


Max Lasko, Jade Gilbride, and Nick Darrow proudly show-off their Year Long Project posters at WPRC



Brent Davis (left) accepts the Aurora Star for his work with the Opioid Stewardship Committee

Sara White (right) gives her Keynote speech as part of the ASHP visiting leaders program



The residents spend some “one-on-one” time with Sara White (Left) during her visit to Milwaukee and Sharon Murphy Enright at the ASHP Midyear Leadership Session in Anaheim, CA

# Good Old Fashion Fun



The residents get together to play volleyball and try not to pull any muscles



Cheering for the Brewers in the 2018 playoffs



Showing that you are never too old to dress up for Halloween



The girls are all smiles before a night out in Madison after WPRC, the guys took a more serious approach



# Future Career Plans

## PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc.

Emily Blaski, PharmD	Inpatient Clinical Pharmacist, Aurora St. Luke's Medical Center – Milwaukee, WI
Brittany Brown, PharmD	PGY2 Infectious Disease Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Megan Crombie, PharmD	Pharmacy Integrated Clinical Services Pharmacist Advocate Aurora Health
Nicholas Darrow, PharmD	Inpatient Clinical Pharmacist, Aurora St. Luke's Medical Center – Milwaukee, WI
Emily Gamroth, PharmD	PGY2 Informatics Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Kelsey Gardetto, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Swedish Edmonds – Edmonds, WA
Ryan Hannan, PharmD, MBA	PGY2 Health System Pharmacy Administration and Leadership Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Maxwell Lasko, PharmD	PKPD Infectious Disease Fellow Center of Anti-Infective Research and Development – Hartford, CT
Margaret Lundholm, PharmD, MBA	PGY2 Health System Pharmacy Administration and Leadership Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Evan Mueller, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Allina Health – Regina Medical Center – Hastings, MN
Shreeraj Patel, PharmD, MBA	Pharmacy Integrated Clinical Services Pharmacist Advocate Aurora Health
Riley Poe, PharmD	PGY2 Critical Care Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Anna Suwala, PharmD	PGY2 Oncology Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Hazel Thompson, PharmD	Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice Concordia University of Wisconsin School of Pharmacy – Milwaukee, WI
Stephanie Wensing, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Aspirus Wausau Hospital – Wausau, WI
Kayleigh Whelchel, PharmD	PGY2 Oncology Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI
Max Yang, PharmD	PGY2 Cardiology Resident Aurora Health Care – Milwaukee, WI

# Future Career Plans

## PGY1 Pharmacy – West Allis Medical Center

Marissa Buzzanca, PharmD	Inpatient Pharmacist Mayo Clinic – Rochester, MN
Rebecca Doe, PharmD	Pharmacy Integrated Clinical Services Pharmacist Advocate Aurora Health

## PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora BayCare Medical Center

Megan Baek, PharmD	Pursuing practice opportunities
Amanda Sigl, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Aurora Medical Center Oshkosh – Oshkosh, WI
Hnia Vang, PharmD	Pursuing practice opportunities

## PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy Residents

Brent Davis, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Aurora St Luke’s Outpatient Pharmacy – Milwaukee, WI
Nikita Shah, PharmD	Clinical Pharmacist Aurora Sinai Pharmacy Outpatient Health Center – Milwaukee, WI

## PGY2 Residents

Christina Andros, PharmD, MBA (Administration)	Director of Pharmacy Aurora Sheboygan Memorial Medical Center – Sheboygan, WI
Melissa Shively, PharmD (Administration)	Pursuing practice opportunities in IL
Marian Dobles, PharmD (Cardiology)	Neurology ICU Pharmacist Swedish Medical Center, Cherry Hill – Seattle, WA
Emily Matthews, PharmD (Critical Care)	Inpatient Clinical Pharmacist Aurora St. Luke’s Medical Center – Milwaukee, WI
Stacy Harmon, PharmD (Infectious Diseases)	Antimicrobial Stewardship Clinical Pharmacy Specialist St Mary’s Medical Center – Grand Junction, CO
Tristan Edwards, PharmD (Informatics)	Information Systems Pharmacist Lehigh Valley Health Network – Allentown, PA
Andrew Ackerman, PharmD (Oncology)	Outpatient Oncology Clinical Pharmacist Aurora St. Luke’s Medical Center – Milwaukee, WI
Jade Gilbride, PharmD (Oncology)	Pursuing practice opportunities in CO
Aubrey Johnson, PharmD (Oncology)	Oncology Clinical Pharmacist Yale New Haven Health – New Haven, CT

# Incoming Residents

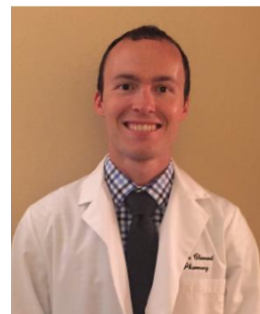
## PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc.



Sean Baldwin  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Kathleen Bertsch  
Purdue University



Dan Clement  
Drake University /  
Current RPh at ASLMC



Taylor Ellis  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Kelly Halloran  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Bess Hanrahan  
University of Iowa



Eric Hesselbach  
University of Wisconsin – Madison



Bradley Hettich  
University of Wisconsin – Madison



Dylan Johnson  
Concordia University Wisconsin

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Elena Maloletko  
Drake University



Joshua Miller  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Katherine O'Reilly  
Drake University



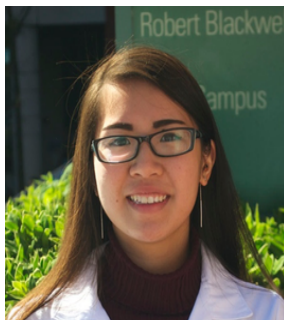
Austin Padilla  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Shannon Stoeckmann  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Anna Vollbrecht-Kappes  
Concordia University Wisconsin



Ann Vo  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
(+ PGY2 Pharmacy Informatics)



Edward Conlin  
Concordia University Wisconsin  
(+ PGY2 Administration)



Kari Ford  
Florida A&M  
(+ PGY2 Administration)



# Incoming Residents

## PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy – Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc.



Julie Schultz  
Drake University



Sarah Misselhorn  
University of Wisconsin – Madison

## PGY1 Pharmacy – Aurora West Allis Medical Center



Bryan Kazmer  
University of Wisconsin – Madison



Layla Shabeeb  
Lebanese American University



Tyler Twardoski  
University of Colorado – Boulder

## PGY1 Pharmacy – BayCare Medical Center



Jacob Ellerbrock  
Virginia Commonwealth University



Syeda Rashid  
Manchester University



Christina Younce  
Concordia University Wisconsin

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## PGY2 Pharmacy Residents



Brittany Brown  
Concordia University Wisconsin  
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PGY2 Infectious Disease Pharmacy



Max Yang  
Purdue University  
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PGY2 Cardiology Pharmacy



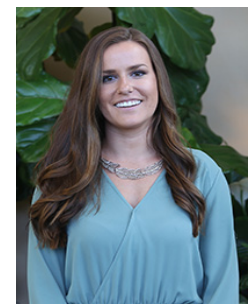
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Ryan Hannan  
Drake University  
PGY1: Metro, Inc.  
PGY2 Pharmacy Administration



Maggie Lundholm  
Drake University  
PGY1: Metro, Inc.  
PGY2 Pharmacy Administration



Christopher Clayton  
St. Louis College of Pharmacy  
PGY1: University of Missouri  
PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy



Anna Suwala  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
PGY1: Metro, Inc.  
PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy



Kaleigh Whelchel  
Oregon State University  
PGY1: Metro, Inc.  
PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy

# Alumni Updates

**Congratulations to all of our Aurora Pharmacy Residency Alumni on your personal and professional achievements!!! Here are a few highlights:**

**Jill Handley (2018)** and **Calley Paulson (2018)** – Presented their Year Long Project, Implementation of a Pharmacist-Led Antibiotic Time-at the ACCP annual meeting.

**Lauren Schmidt (2015)** – Promoted to Senior Clinical Pharmacist at St. Luke's Medical Center.

**Ellen Popov (2010)** – Achieved board certification in oncology (BCOP).

**Kerry Koloske (2001)** – Achieved board certification in critical care (BCCCP).

**Ashley Lorenzen (2013)** – Serving her 2<sup>nd</sup> year in a 3-year term on the PSW Ambulatory Care Advisory Board, is currently on the ballot for APhA Executive Committee at Large, and is expecting a baby girl in August.

**Vinvia Leung (2014)** – Started a new position as the Nuclear Pharmacy Manager within Cardinal Health, and is in the process of becoming an authorized nuclear pharmacist, and enjoys spending time with her one-year old son.

**Stephanie Rawson (2017)** – Achieved board certification in pharmacotherapy (BCPS).

**Jennifer Foti (2015)** – Promoted to Senior Clinical Pharmacist at St. Luke's Medical Center Outpatient Pharmacy and Sinai Medical Center Medication Management Clinic.

**Brittany Jensen (2016)** – Achieved board certification in oncology (BCOP) and got married in February.

**Susan Honzelka (2000)** – is now an Oncology Pharmacist with the Cancer Care Center at Community Memorial Hospital.

**Willie Capers II (2002)** – Became the interim Assistant of Student Services at Texas Southern University College of Pharmacy.

**Julie Dagam (2000)** – Recognized as FASHP in June, is completing her original 3-year appointment on the ASHP Commission on Credentialing and has been reappointed to continue to serve on the commission.

**Laura (Clark) Holyoke (2016/2017)** – Married in May of 2019. Published a journal article in Therapeutic Drug Monitoring with former resident Ryan Servais and the infectious disease RPD Tom Dilworth.

We know there are MANY alumni that deserve recognition because Aurora Alumni are awesome! If you have any personal or profession updates/accomplishments you'd like to share in future residency newsletters, send them to Julie Dagam ([Julie.Dagam@aurora.org](mailto:Julie.Dagam@aurora.org)). Also, don't forget to update Julie with any changes in your jobs or contact information throughout the year