



# Practitioner Recognition Program

## 2018 Fellows of ASHP

*Sixteen members of ASHP have been awarded “Fellow” of ASHP for 2018 in recognition of the excellence they have achieved in pharmacy practice and their service to ASHP. Members who have achieved FASHP status have successfully demonstrated sustained commitment or contributions to excellence in pharmacy practice for at least 10 years, contributed to the total body of knowledge in the field, demonstrated active involvement and leadership in ASHP, and have been actively involved in and committed to educating practitioners and others.*

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**Jill S. Bates, Pharm.D., M.S., BCOP, CPP**

University of North Carolina (UNC) Medical Center  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina

**Education:** M.S. in biochemistry and biophysics, Northern Illinois University, 2002; Pharm.D., University of Illinois at Chicago, 2006; Pharmacy Practice and Oncology Pharmacy Residencies, Duke University Medical Center, 2008

**Current positions:** Oncology Precision Medicine Pharmacist and PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy Residency Program Director, UNC Medical Center; Associate Professor of Clinical Education, UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Bates is a leader in clinical pharmacy practice, oncology pharmacy practice, and residency training. She has served ASHP in a variety of leadership capacities, including as Vice Chair and Chair of the Council on Therapeutics, Chair of the Section of Clinical Specialists and Scientists Executive Committee, and a member of the Women in Pharmacy Leadership Steering Committee. Dr. Bates is also an active member of the Hematology Oncology Pharmacist Association (HOPA), for which she has served on multiple committees, is part of a task force evaluating the scope of practice for oncology pharmacists, and is principle investigator for a study evaluating pharmacist led consultative services for first cycle chemotherapy education and medication management. Dr. Bates has a passion for advancing pharmacy practice through education that is rooted in the belief that learning improves lives. A pioneer of the layered learning practice model, she has led four pilot studies on layered learning at the UNC Medical Center (of which two have been published) and has presented on this work locally as well as at the ASHP National Pharmacy Preceptor Conference. Dr. Bates is dedicated to the education of new pharmacy practitioners and serves as teacher and mentor to four oncology pharmacy residents annually as part of her residency program director role. Dr. Bates was recognized for her achievements and contributions to pharmacy practice when she was selected as the inaugural recipient of the Milton W. Skolaut Leadership Award bestowed by Duke University Medical Center.

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**Sylvia M. Belford, Pharm.D., M.S., CPHIMS**

Mayo Clinic  
Rochester, Minnesota

**Education:** Pharm.D., University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2002; M.S. in Health System Pharmacy Administration, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2004; Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency, University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics, 2004

**Current Positions:** Operations Administrator and Director, Continuum of Care, Mayo Clinic

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Belford is dedicated to providing safe and optimal patient care through maximizing health information technology and educating others on overcoming challenges with their implementations. She is the clinical director for Mayo Clinic's implementation of the Epic electronic health record. While advancing all areas of practice with HIT, Dr. Belford has retained focus in pharmacy informatics and was the inaugural director for the Mayo Clinic's PGY2 pharmacy informatics residency program. She has actively contributed to the ASHP Section of Pharmacy Informatics and Technology (SOPIT) since its inception in 2007, having served as both Director-at-Large and Chair for the SOPIT Executive Committee as well as on multiple Section Advisory Groups. She was also instrumental in the formation of the ASHP Pharmacy Informatics Certificate, which provides focused education to enhance the skills and resources of pharmacy informaticists. Dr. Belford is active in the Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS) and has been recognized with the CPHIMS credential. She previously served on the Board of Directors for the South Dakota HIMSS chapter and received their Chapter Achievement Award in 2013. In 2006, Dr. Belford was recognized as the Young Pharmacist of the Year by the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin.

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**Philip W. Brummond, Pharm.D., M.S.**

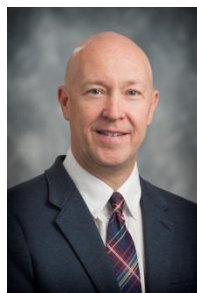
Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

**Education:** Pharm.D., University of Minnesota, 2007; M.S. in Health System Pharmacy Administration, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2009; Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency, University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics, 2009

**Current positions:** Director of Pharmacy, Froedtert Hospital; Clinical Assistant Professor, The Medical College of Wisconsin School of Pharmacy

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Brummond has been active as a leader in advancing pharmacy practice at the local, state, and national levels. He has a passion for advancing clinical pharmacy practice, improving business operations, developing practice leadership, and training future pharmacy practice leaders. An active member in ASHP, he currently serves as Director-at-Large of the Section of Pharmacy Practice Managers (SPPM) Executive Committee. Prior to this role, he completed terms on the ASHP Council on Education and Workforce Development, SPPM Educational Steering Committee, SPPM Advisory Group on Leadership Development, and SPPM Advisory Group on Business Management. Other national leadership includes serving as Director-at-Large for the Vizient University Healthsystem Consortium Pharmacy Network and as a member of the Pharmacy Practice Advancement Committee. On the state level, he serves as the Director Lead for the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin (PSW) Practice Advancement Leadership Team. Dr. Brummond has published and presented nationally on a variety of topics, including strategic planning, workload and productivity, leadership development, and process improvement in healthcare. In 2016, he was awarded both the PSW Innovation in Excellence Award and the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee College of Health Sciences Community Partnership Award.

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**Gregory P. Burger, Pharm.D., CPPS**

Stormont Vail Health  
Topeka, Kansas

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, University of Kansas, 1990; Pharm.D., University of Kansas, 1991

**Current Positions:** Medication Safety Coordinator, Stormont Vail Health; Adjunct Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, University of Kansas

School of Pharmacy

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Burger is a leader in medication safety at the local, state, and national levels. He has served as a delegate to the ASHP House of Delegates, has been appointed to the ASHP Section of Inpatient Care Practitioners Advisory Group on Medication Safety, and has twice participated as an expert panelist for the Great Safety Debate, an educational session presented during the Medication Safety Collaborative at the ASHP Summer Meetings and Exhibition. An active member of the Kansas Council of Health System Pharmacy (KCHP), he is a Past-President of KCHP and the current Treasurer for the KCHP Foundation. Dr. Burger has a passion for teaching, having created the first medication safety elective class at the University of Kansas School of Pharmacy and the first Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience rotation on medication safety in Kansas. He is also actively involved in precepting pharmacy residents who are completing their residency training at Stormont Vail. He received the Kansas Pharmacists Association (KPhA) Champion of Pharmacy Award in 2016 and the KCHP Volunteer of the Year Award in 2017 in recognition of his statewide advocacy work which led to the passage of the Pharmacy Technician Certification and the Pharmacist Collaborative Practice laws in Kansas.

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**Lisa L. Deal, Pharm.D., B.S.N., R.N., BCPS**

Christiana Care Health System

Lewes, Delaware

**Education:** B.S.N., Johns Hopkins University, 2002; Pharm.D., University of Maryland, Baltimore, 2007; Pharmacy Practice Residency, Martha Jefferson Hospital, 2008; M.B.A., University of Delaware, 2018

**Current positions:** Ambulatory Care Pharmacist - Population Health, Christiana Care Health System; Emergency Medicine Clinical Specialist, Beebe Medical Center

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Deal has been practicing in Emergency Medicine for over 16 years as both a nurse and pharmacist. In 2017, she transitioned to a new role in population health at Christiana Care Health System. During her career, she has been actively involved in ASHP and served in numerous leadership roles, including Chair of the Council on Education and Workforce Development, member of the Council on Public Policy, member of the Women in Pharmacy Leadership Steering Committee, and delegate to the ASHP House of Delegates. She is also a Past-President of the Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists. Dr. Deal has published several articles related to emergency medicine, leadership, and toxicology and has presented nationally on these topics as well. Her areas of interest include medication safety, resident and student teaching, and population health. She has received numerous accolades throughout her career including being named preceptor and educator of the year by her peers and students.

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**Brenda R. Denson, Pharm.D.**

Children's of Alabama  
Birmingham, Alabama

**Education:** Pharm.D., Samford University, 1998; Pharmacy Practice Residency, Children's Health System of Alabama, 1999

**Current position:** Pharmacy Educator, Children's of Alabama

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Denson has been involved in many pharmacy roles within the hospital pharmacy throughout her career, including serving as the Lead Stem Cell transplant pharmacist who opened a new pharmacy satellite at Children's of Alabama, Clinical Coordinator, Interim Pharmacy Director, Investigational Studies Pharmacist, and Pharmacy Educator. She has been a leader in state and national pharmacy associations. She has served ASHP in a number of capacities, including as a member of the ASHP Council on Public Policy and as a delegate from Alabama to the ASHP House of Delegates for two separate two-year terms. A Past-President of the Alabama Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ALSHP), she currently serves on the Alabama Board of Pharmacy as the institutional representative. She also serves as a preceptor to both student pharmacists from schools of pharmacy within the state as well as pharmacy residents completing training within her institution. Dr. Denson has received several service awards as well as the Outstanding Practitioner Award from ALSHP.

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**Robert P. Granko, Pharm.D., M.B.A.**

Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital, Cone Health  
Greensboro, North Carolina

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, Long Island University, 1996; Pharm.D., University of North Carolina (UNC) Eshelman School of Pharmacy, 2004; M.B.A., Pfeiffer University School of Graduate Studies, 2007

**Current Positions:** Director of Pharmacy, Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital, Cone Health; Combined PGY2/M.S. Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency Program Director, Cone Health Network; Associate Professor, Practice Advancement and Clinical Education, UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Granko is a health-system pharmacy leader committed to the advancement of pharmacy practice and the improvement of patient related medication-use outcomes at the state and national levels. He has worked for over 15 years in leadership development, pharmacy operations management, and clinical benchmarking; publishing several manuscripts in these areas and presenting on related topics. Dr. Granko, along with his outstanding team, initiated ASHP -accredited PGY2 residencies in Cardiology and Infectious Disease as well as a combined M.S./PGY2 residency in pharmacy administration for the Cone Health Network as part of the UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy cohort.

Dr. Granko has served ASHP in many capacities, most recently being elected as Director-at-Large for the Section of Pharmacy Practice Managers (SPPM) Executive Committee. He has also served as a member and Chair for the SPPM Section Advisory Group on Manager Development, an appointed faculty member for the ASHP Managers' Boot Camp, and a delegate and alternate delegate from North Carolina to the ASHP House of Delegates for four years. He is also a current member of the annual ASHP Conference for Pharmacy Leaders Steering Committee and the ASHP Pharmacy Forecast Survey Panel. On the state level, Dr. Granko has been an active member of the North Carolina Association of Pharmacists and has served on the North Carolina Center for Hospital Quality and Patient Safety Board of Trustees since 2010. In 2011, Dr. Granko and his colleagues received an ASHP Best Practices Award for their work in and around comprehensive practice model development and deployment. That same year, he and his team were named Leadership Excellence Awards in Pharmacy (LEAP) Gold awardees. Dr. Granko recently received the ASHP SPPM Distinguished Service Award.

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**Leslie Dotson Jagers, Pharm.D., BCPS**

Piedmont Atlanta Hospital  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, University of Georgia, 1985; Pharm.D., University of Georgia, 1987; Clinical Pharmacy Residency, University of Kentucky Medical Center, 1989

**Current position:** Cardiovascular Clinical Pharmacist, Samsky Advanced Heart Failure Center, Piedmont Atlanta Hospital

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Jagers has been instrumental in driving the appropriate use of cardiovascular drugs throughout her 18 years at Piedmont Atlanta Hospital and has become a recognized expert in antithrombotic therapy and heart failure. She frequently presents on cardiovascular pharmacotherapy at state and local meetings and has served as a preceptor and mentor to numerous pharmacy students and residents. Prior to her time at Piedmont, she was the Clinical Supervisor for Adult Medicine at Shands Hospital at the University of Florida (UF) where she was also the pharmacy practice residency program director and adjunct clinical associate professor at the UF College Of Pharmacy. During her tenure on the staff of ASHP, she helped coordinate the development of ASHP Therapeutic Guidelines and Therapeutic Position Statements. Dr. Jagger's commitment to ASHP has continued as a volunteer leader; she has served as a member of the ASHP Council on Therapeutics and is currently a delegate to the ASHP House of Delegates. Additionally, she has been a presidential officer of both the Georgia Society of Health-System Pharmacists and the Atlanta Academy of Institutional Pharmacy (AAIP). Since 2001, she has been a member of the Dean's Advisory Board for the University Of Georgia College Of Pharmacy. In 2009, Dr. Jagers received the AAIP Pharmacist of the Year award.

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**Rondell C. Jagers, Pharm.D.**

Grady Health System  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, University of Kentucky, 1983; Pharm.D., University of Kentucky, 1985; Hospital Pharmacy Administration Residency, Shands Hospital at The University of Florida, 1993

**Current position:** Executive Director, Pharmacy and Medical Nutrition, Grady Health System

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Jagers is a leader in health-system pharmacy practice. Over the course of his career, he has practiced as a pharmacist, clinical pharmacist, and pharmacy manager in various hospitals and health systems in Kentucky, Virginia, and Georgia. He has worked diligently to advance both clinical and operational pharmacy services and improve services to patients. In his current role, he takes great pride in Grady's commitment to ensuring access to healthcare and pharmacy services to the underserved and disadvantaged citizens of the Atlanta metropolitan area. Dr. Jagers is an advocate for students and post-graduate training and is a former residency program director. He was appointed to the ASHP Commission on Credentialing and has served as a delegate from both Kentucky and Georgia to the ASHP House of Delegates. He is a Past-President of the Georgia Society of Health-System Pharmacists (GSHP) and currently co-chairs the GSHP Legislative Affairs Committee. In 2012, Dr. Jagers was recognized as GSHP Pharmacist of The Year.

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**Karen L. Kier, B.S.Pharm., Ph.D., M.Sc., BCACP, BCPS, CTTS**  
Ohio Northern University (ONU), Raabe College of Pharmacy  
Ada, Ohio

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, ONU, 1982; M.Sc. in Hospital Pharmacy, The Ohio State University (OSU), 1984; Ph.D. in Pharmacy Administration, OSU, 2000

**Current positions:** Professor of Pharmacy Practice, Director of Drug and Health Information, and Director of Assessment, ONU

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Kier is an advocate for the pharmacy profession and an active leader in pharmacy education, ambulatory care, pharmacy practice research, and promoting public health. She is passionate about training students and residents to be innovative and move the profession forward and regularly precepts five PGY1 residents and acts as a research consultant for other residency programs. Dr. Kier has served as a delegate to the ASHP House of Delegate for 18 years and has been a member of various ASHP committees. She is a founding member and Past-President of the West Central Ohio Society of Health-System Pharmacists and has served as a board member for the Ohio Society of Health-System Pharmacists (OSHP). Additionally, she has published or presented over 200 research papers. Dr. Kier has received the OSHP Walter M. Frazier Award for sustained contribution to health-system pharmacy and the OSU Clifton J. Latiolais Award for excellence in health-system pharmacy. She has been recognized by the Ohio Pharmacists Association with the Beal Award for outstanding contribution to the pharmacy profession and the Keys Award for outstanding contribution to professional organizations. In 2016, Dr. Kier was a top 3 national finalist for the Next Generation Pharmacist Lifetime Leadership Award.

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**Donald E. Letendre, Pharm.D.**

University of Iowa College of Pharmacy  
Iowa City, Iowa

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, 1976; Pharm.D., University of Kentucky, 1979

**Current positions:** Dean and Professor, University of Iowa College of Pharmacy

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Letendre has been a relentless change agent and pharmacy advocate for over forty years. As one of the first clinical pharmacists in the state of Kansas, he led an effort to establish one of the nation's first-ever investigational drug units. During his nearly twenty years on the staff of ASHP, he was instrumental in developing and implementing accreditation standards and guidelines that have helped shape pharmacy practice and residency and technician training programs worldwide. Those efforts provided the foundation for many of today's accreditation standards, paved the way for key partnerships with other national pharmacy associations to be forged, and facilitated a substantial increase in residency positions to be realized. Dr. Letendre has led many new initiatives in his role as an Executive Dean for almost two decades, including implementing avant-garde curricula, instituting innovative methods of student mentoring, initiating sweeping organizational structural changes, and spearheading the construction of two new college of pharmacy facilities. He has been an active leader within ASHP, having served as a member of the Board of Directors, Council on Education and Workforce Development, and the Commission on Credentialing. He is also extremely proud to have served countless students and postgraduate residents throughout his career. Among his many awards and special citations, he has received the University of Kentucky's prestigious Paul F. Parker Lecture Award and the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy's Outstanding Alumni Achievement Award.

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**Ali McBride, Pharm.D., M.S., BCPS, BCOP, FAzPA**

The University of Arizona Cancer Center  
Tucson, Arizona

**Education:** M.S. in Biology, Purdue University, 1998; Pharm.D., University of Arizona, 2007

**Current position:** Clinical Coordinator, Hematology/Oncology and PGY2 Oncology Pharmacy Residency Program Director, the University of Arizona Cancer Center; Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, University of Arizona College of Pharmacy.

**Practice achievements:** Dr. McBride is an active leader in oncology pharmacy and works to promote and advocate for pharmacy practice and professional development at the state and national levels. An active member of ASHP and the Section of Clinical Specialists and Scientists (SCSS), he has been appointed to the ASHP Council on Therapeutics and several Section Advisory Groups (SAGs), most recently serving as Chair of the SCSS SAG on Emerging Sciences from 2016-2017. Dr. McBride has also been active with the Hematology Oncology Pharmacy Association (HOPA), having served as Chair of the Legislative Affairs Committee. Currently, he serves as Secretary of the Association of Community Cancer Centers Executive Committee and participates as a standing member on the National Quality Forum Cancer Standing Committee.

Furthermore, Dr. McBride has spoken with Congressional staff about oncology drug shortages as part of ASHP's annual Legislative Day. Additionally, he has represented HOPA at the Drug Shortages Summit in 2010 and on a panel discussion at the FDA Drug Shortage Workshop in 2011. He has also advocated on the state level, working with the Arizona Pharmacy Association and a consortium of state-based advocacy groups to address oral chemotherapy parity legislation on behalf of cancer patients.

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**Kathryn Clark McKinney, Pharm.D., M.S., BCPS, FACHE**

UC Health - University of Cincinnati Medical Center  
Cincinnati, Ohio

**Education:** Pharm.D., University of Cincinnati, 2007; Pharmacy Practice and Health System Pharmacy Administration Residencies, Grant Medical Center (OhioHealth), 2009; M.S. in Health-System Pharmacy Administration, The Ohio State University, 2009

**Current Position:** Director of Pharmacy Services, UC Health - University of Cincinnati Medical Center; Adjunct Assistant Instructor of Pharmacy Practice, University of Cincinnati James L. Winkle College of Pharmacy; Clinical Faculty, Ohio Northern University Raabe College of Pharmacy

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. McKinney is a pharmacy practice leader at the local, state, and national levels. An active member of ASHP for 14 years, she has served in a number of appointed leadership positions, including as Chair of the Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee, member of the Council on Education and Workforce Development, and member of the New Practitioners Forum Advisory Group on Leadership and Career Development. Most recently, she was appointed to the Section of Inpatient Care Practitioners Advisory Group on Advancing Pharmacy Practice with Technicians. Dr. McKinney has served the Ohio Society of Health-System Pharmacists (OSHP) for two terms as the elected Director of the Communications Division. She is also active within the Cincinnati pharmacy community, serving as a member of the Board of Directors for the St. Vincent de Paul Charitable Pharmacy, President of the Greater Cincinnati Society of Health-System Pharmacists, and the appointed Chair of the Pharmacy Director's Division of the Greater Cincinnati Health Collaborative. Dr. McKinney is a 2006 recipient of both the OSHP Student of the Year Award and ASHP Student Leadership Award. Additional recognition includes site awards for the 2014 ASHP Residency Expansion Grant and 2017 OSHP Medication Safety Award.

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**Ranee M. Runnebaum, Pharm.D., M.H.I.**

Children's of New Orleans  
New Orleans, Louisiana

**Education:** Pharm.D., Creighton University School of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professionals, 1996; Masters in Healthcare Informatics and Bioinformatics, University of Missouri at Columbia, 2013

**Current Position:** Medication Safety and Pharmacy Informatics Officer, Children's of New Orleans

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Runnebaum is an active leader in clinical practice, informatics, and medication safety. She has a passion for system improvements across the medication use process that impact patient safety and has actively sought opportunities for multidisciplinary projects that provide significant advances for frontline clinicians to reduce risk of future medication related errors. She has also been instrumental in implementing 'Just Culture' along with medication safety and quality programs in her past roles. Active in ASHP and the Section of Pharmacy Informatics and Technology, Dr. Runnebaum is a past member of the ASHP Board of Directors, the ASHP Council on Organizational Affairs, and the ASHP Committee on Nominations for which she also served as Chair in 2009. She has also been an active leader on the state level, serving as Secretary of the Oregon Society of Health-System Pharmacists (OSHP) and President of the Missouri Society of Health-System Pharmacists. In 2014, Dr. Runnebaum received the OSHP Board of Directors' Award for persistent contributions toward excellence in pharmacy.

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**Kenneth M. Shermock, Pharm.D., Ph.D.**

The Johns Hopkins Health System  
Baltimore, Maryland

**Education:** B.S. in Pharmacy, Rutgers University College of Pharmacy, 1991; Pharmacy Practice Residency, Erie County Medical Center, 1994; Pharm.D., Rutgers University College of Pharmacy, 1996; Fellowship in Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research, University of South Carolina/Janssen Research Foundation, 1998; Ph.D. in Health Services and Outcomes Research, The Johns Hopkins

Bloomberg School of Public Health, 2009

**Current position:** Director, Center for Medication Quality and Outcomes, The Johns Hopkins Hospital

**Practice achievements:** Dr. Shermock is a leader and champion of promoting the use of science to improve clinical practice. He is well-known to his colleagues and trainees for his passion for the subject and his ability to break down the barriers to its use. He has led the resident research program since his arrival at Johns Hopkins 15 years ago. He also instituted a research design and analysis curriculum at the hospital, which has resulted in his department publishing over 100 peer-reviewed papers in the last two years. He has contributed over 60 papers to the peer reviewed literature, and his own research has led to many improvements in clinical practice across many therapeutic areas. Dr. Shermock is active in ASHP and currently serves on the Editorial Advisory Board for *AJHP*. Previously, he served on the ASHP Council on Therapeutics and the ASHP Foundation Pharmacy Forecast Advisory Committee. Additionally, Dr. Shermock is a manuscript reviewer for *AJHP* and several other professional journals as well as a member of the Editorial Board for the current edition of *Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy*. He was named a Fulbright Scholar in 2015 to fund work in medication safety with the University of Helsinki College of Pharmacy.

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**Aaron L. Steffenhagen, Pharm.D., BCPS**

UW Health  
Madison, Wisconsin

**Education:** Pharm.D., University of Wisconsin, 2001; Pharmacy Practice Residency, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, 2002

**Current Position:** Clinical Pharmacy Manager, Patient Care Services and Emergency Preparedness, UW Health

**Practice Achievements:** Dr. Steffenhagen began his professional career focused on establishing emergency medicine clinical pharmacy services and publishing the benefits of direct pharmacist involvement in this practice setting. This transitioned into his current role as a clinical pharmacy manager, where he has achieved 24/7 services in this patient care area. An active leader within ASHP, Dr. Steffenhagen is currently completing his term as Director-at-Large for the Section of Clinical Specialists and Scientists (SCSS) Executive Committee. Other contributions include serving on the SCSS Advisory Groups on Emergency Care and on Clinical Leadership, along with being appointed to the ASHP Practice Advancement Initiative Committee. In 2017, he contributed to the Board of Pharmacy Specialists as a member of the Emergency Medicine Pharmacy Practice Analysis Taskforce for certification development. Dr. Steffenhagen has been involved across pharmacy practice settings at the state level, serving on the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin (PSW) Board of Directors and Editorial Advisory Board for *The Journal*. His recognitions include being selected as an attendee of the PSW Leadership Pharmacy Conference and as a recipient of the 2014 ASHP Foundation Award for Innovation in Pharmacy Practice.

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