



## PGY1-PHARMACY RESIDENCY

The University of Virginia Health System (UVAHS) offers an American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)-accredited PGY1-Pharmacy Residency. During this 12-month program, residents are involved in high-quality patient-centered care, medication use policy, leadership and practice management, project management, education of health care providers and trainees, and participation in medical emergencies. The purpose of the PGY1-Pharmacy Residency is to build on Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) education and outcomes to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists responsible for medication-related care of patients with a wide range of conditions, eligible for board certification, and eligible for postgraduate year two (PGY2) pharmacy residency training.

### Residency Benefits

Current resident benefits include:

- Stipend of \$50,265
- Twelve days paid vacation
- Eight days paid holidays
- Allotment of sick and interview days
- Premium medical/dental insurance
- Professional leave and travel stipend to attend meetings (ASHP Midyear and the regional residency conference)

### Application Requirements

Applicants must:

- Be enrolled in or a graduate of an ACPE-accredited PharmD program
- Be a licensed pharmacist in the Commonwealth of Virginia by September 1.

**Completed application materials must be uploaded into PhORCAS by January 2.**

**Residency match #: 177913**

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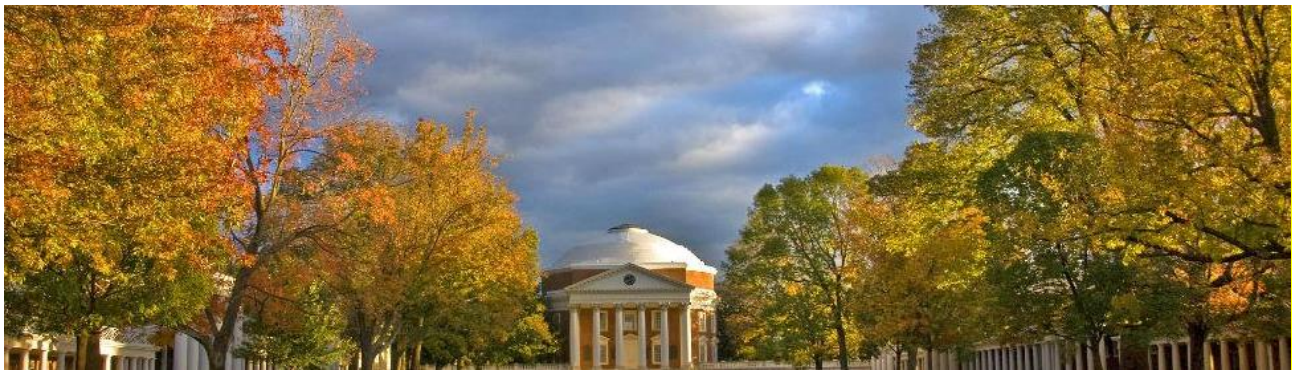
Dr. McCarthy is the Pharmacy Education and Graduate Programs Coordinator and the residency program director for both the PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Drug Information residency programs at the University of Virginia (UVA) Health System. Additionally, she serves as the residency coordinator for UVA's 9 other pharmacy residency programs and is the Director of the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy-UVA Division. She previously managed UVA's drug information/ medication use policy service, Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, infusion pump library and practices, investigational drug service, and the benign hematology and antimicrobial stewardship/ infectious diseases clinical pharmacy teams. Michelle earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Mercer University and completed an ASHP-accredited Drug Information Practice Residency at the University of Pittsburgh. Prior to joining UVA, she was a faculty member at Samford University School of Pharmacy. Awards include 1997 Samford University School of Pharmacy Teacher of the Year, 2003 Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists (VSHP) Pharmacist of the Year, 2008 Louis P. Jeffrey Preceptor of the Year, and 2015 recipient of the Distinguished Drug Information Practitioner Award by the American College of Clinical Pharmacy DI PRN. She has been the Education Committee Chair, Continuing Education Administrator, and President of VSHP. She served on the ASHP Commission on Credentialing from 2008-2013 including serving as the Chair in 2012 and has been a guest surveyor for many residency accreditation surveys.

## University of Virginia Health System

The University of Virginia (UVA) Health System, located in Charlottesville, Virginia, embodies the leadership and inventiveness personified by its founder, Thomas Jefferson. Two centuries ago in 1819, Jefferson established the nation's 10<sup>th</sup> medical school, which has since grown into a nationally renowned academic medical center committed to providing outstanding patient care, educating tomorrow's health care leaders and discovering better ways to treat disease.

UVA Health System received national recognition in the latest *U.S. News & World Report* "Best Hospitals" guide with 10 adult and 4 pediatric medical specialties recognized in 2017. For the second consecutive year UVA Medical Center is ranked as the number one hospital in Virginia. UVA Medical Center has received Magnet® recognition from the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) for its quality patient care, excellence in nursing care and innovative nursing practices.

The University of Virginia Health System integrates patient care, health education, research, and public service. The Health System consists of the following five entities: the University of Virginia Medical Center, the University of Virginia School of Medicine, the University of Virginia School of Nursing, the Claude Moore Health Sciences Library, and the UVA Physicians Group.



## The University Community

Charlottesville is a modern, progressive city, filled with old-world elegance and charm, nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Charlottesville is famous for its colorful history, distinctive architecture, southern hospitality, and small city sophistication, with an estimated population of 201,599 residing in the greater Charlottesville metro area. Charlottesville has received extensive recognition including: One of America's Best Small Cities for Foodies (Travelocity, 2016), 15 Best Places to Live in the U.S. (#3) (NY Post, 2016), Healthiest Small Town in the U.S. (Health Line, 2016), 50 Best College Towns (#7) (College Rank, 2016), Top 100 Best Places to Live (#21) (Livability.com, 2016), #1 Most Beautiful College campus in America (Best College Reviews, 2015), top 12 cutest small towns in America (The Huffington Post, 2015), one of the USA's 12 best places for book lovers (The Culture Trip, 2015), top 7 amazing destination bike roads (Bikewagon, 2015), top 10 brightest fall foliage destinations in the country (USA Today, 2014), Top-five new American foodie cities (Wine Enthusiast Magazine, 2014), Best College Town (Travelers Today, 2014), 4th Best Place to Live in the Country (Kiplinger's Magazine, 2009), and the Happiest City in America (Good Housekeeping, 2014).

## **The Department of Pharmacy**

The Department of Pharmacy has a progressive practice model with clinical coordinators and clinical pharmacists that provide extensive, decentralized clinical services throughout the health system. These efforts are supported by computerized prescriber order entry, extensive automation services, a state-of-the-art IV room, barcode medication administration, and an integrated electronic health record. Additionally, UVA Health System includes a Medication Use Policy Service, Investigational Drug Services, Outpatient Infusion Centers, a Children's Hospital, as well as ambulatory oncology clinics, and several outpatient retail pharmacies.

### ***Mission***

The UVA Health System Department of Pharmacy Services will provide superlative patient-centered care focused on safe medication practices and innovative education and training.

### ***Vision***

The UVA Health System Pharmacy Department is a vital member of the patient care team dedicated to expanding patient care services and leading initiatives to maximize patient safety and improve outcomes. We are a collaborative group focused on providing superlative patient care in the setting of ongoing professional development by all employees, a productive, innovative work environment in which staff are engaged and motivated, and nationally-recognized clinical services and educational/ training programs.

## **Awards**

The UVA PGY1 Pharmacy Residency program has been recognized with the following awards:

- 2017 ASHP Foundation Residency Excellence Program Award
- 2015 ASHP Foundation Residency Expansion Grant (\$40,000)

## PGY1-Pharmacy Residency Application Requirements

Applicants must:

- Be enrolled in or a graduate of an ACPE-accredited advanced pharmacy program
- Be eligible for licensure in the Commonwealth of Virginia and licensed by September 1

Applicants must upload the following to PhORCAS by the specified deadline:

- Curriculum vitae
  - Include completed and anticipated advanced pharmacy practice experience rotations
  - Include leadership and organizational involvement
- Letter of intent
- Official college of pharmacy transcript
- **THREE** references/ letters of recommendation
  - **ALL** references **MUST** be from preceptors able to speak to clinical problem-solving in direct patient care experiences (not classroom)
  - References must comment on the following characteristics:
    - Ability to organize and manage time
    - Ability to work with peers and communicate
    - Clinical problem solving skills
    - Independence and resourcefulness
    - Willingness to accept constructive criticism
    - Professionalism

**Please note:** The UVA Health System Pharmacy Residency Program does not sponsor work visas.



## PGY1-Pharmacy Residency Program Overview

The 2018-19 UVA Health System PGY1-Pharmacy Residency will begin on July 1, 2018 and end on June 30, 2019. Mandatory resident orientation will take place for two business days in the middle of June.

Rotations are 5 weeks in duration (except for orientation). Required rotations include: orientation, internal medicine, ambulatory care, medication use policy, critical care, acute care specialty, and practice management.

Pharmacy residency policies can be referenced on the UVA pharmacy website at: [http://www.medicalcenter.virginia.edu/pharmacy/residency\\_info](http://www.medicalcenter.virginia.edu/pharmacy/residency_info)

### I. PGY1-Pharmacy Residency Rotations

#### Required Rotations

**Orientation-** Rotation through various Pharmacy Department areas to understand the various services provided and includes code 12, aseptic technique, and electronic health record training

**Acute Care Specialty-** Rotation in one Acute Care Specialty area (see choices below)

**Critical Care-** Rotation in one of the Critical Care areas (see choices below)

**Medication Use Policy-** Rotation in the Medication Use Policy Center

**General Medicine-** Rotation within in one of the medicine services listed below

**Ambulatory Care-** Rotation within the pharmacist-driven ambulatory care clinics

**Practice Management-** Rotation with the Pharmacy Services Administrator/Directors/Managers

<p><b>Acute Care Specialty</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Benign Hematology</li> <li>• Emergency Department</li> <li>• Hematology/Oncology</li> <li>• Infectious Diseases</li> <li>• Pediatrics</li> <li>• Solid Organ Transplantation</li> <li>• Stem Cell Transplantation</li> </ul>	<p><b>Critical Care Rotations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coronary Care Unit (CCU)</li> <li>• Medical Intensive Care Unit (MICU)</li> <li>• Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)</li> <li>• Nerancy Neuro Intensive Care Unit (NNICU)</li> <li>• Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)</li> <li>• Surgical Trauma Intensive Care Unit (STICU)</li> <li>• Thoracic/Cardiovascular Surgery Post-Op (TCVPO)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Other Electives</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acute Care Operations</li> <li>• Informatics</li> <li>• Medication Safety</li> </ul>	<p><b>General Medicine Rotations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acute Care Cardiology</li> <li>• Acute Care Neurology</li> <li>• Adult Internal Medicine</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Ambulatory Care</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adult Cardiology</li> <li>• Adult Internal Medicine, Outpatient</li> <li>• Family Medicine</li> <li>• Infectious Diseases</li> </ul>

Residents will have three rotations (14-15 weeks) available for elective rotations. To maintain compliance with the accreditation standard, no more than 3 rotations can occur in a similar practice area (eg, critical care, pediatrics) and at least two-thirds of the year is spent in direct patient care learning experiences. Additional rotations may be developed based on resident interest and preceptor availability. Between the third and fourth rotation blocks (November and December), residents will have a mixture of research days and mini-rotations.

**Mini-rotations** are abbreviated experiences (3-10 days in duration) held for a total of 10-15 days in November and December. These abbreviated experiences provide residents with exposure to areas in which 1) they do not have a scheduled rotation; 2) they would like repeat experiences beyond their scheduled rotations; or 3) they would like a varied experience beyond their scheduled rotations (ambulatory hematology/ oncology vs. inpatient hematology/ oncology). Additionally, there are select mini-rotations held with services/ departments outside of the pharmacy (ie, nutrition services, toxicology, pharmacogenomics research lab).

## **II. Research Activities**

- a. Completion of a major project is a requirement of the residency. Final reports must be submitted in manuscript style and approved by the Project Advisor and Program Director.
- b. During the first half of the year, each resident will also complete a Medication Use Evaluation or Quality Improvement project. Completed projects will be submitted for poster presentation at the Vizient meeting held in conjunction with the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting.

## **III. Presentation Requirements**

- a. Residents are required to provide a platform presentation on the results of their residency research project at the regional residency conference.
- b. Each resident is responsible for presenting one seminar, one case conference, and one technician talk during the course of the residency year. The seminar is ACPE-accredited to provide continuing education (CE) to pharmacists and the tech talk is ACPE-accredited for technician CE.

## **IV. Professional Leave for Meeting Attendance**

- a. Residents will attend the ASHP Annual Midyear Clinical Meeting and the regional residency conference. A flat travel stipend is provided; expenses incurred beyond the stipend are the responsibility of the resident.

## **V. Longitudinal Service**

- a. Weekend distributive functions provide necessary training for the resident and are a requirement of the ASHP residency accreditation standard.
- b. Residents provide service in the distributive/ clinical areas 16 hours every other weekend. Additionally, residents will work one major holiday (Thanksgiving and the day after, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, or New Year's Eve and New Year's Day) and the associated weekend.
- c. Over the course of the year, residents work in various areas in the department including IV admixtures, unit dose, and decentralized clinical coverage.

## **VI. Certification**

- a. Residents are required to complete ACLS training and certification. This training is offered through the Medical Center at no charge to the resident. Pharmacy residents participate in ACLS training during the orientation period. Residents respond to Code 12 calls during the residency year.
- a. PGY2 Residents have the opportunity to participate in the [Certificate in Public Health Sciences for Resident and Fellow Physicians](#). Those interested in this opportunity must indicate this interest to the Program Director and apply through the GME office in the late spring.

## **VII. Teaching**

The Department of Pharmacy has a partnership with VCU School of Pharmacy to offer a UVA Division Satellite Campus and serves as a rotation site for introductory and advanced pharmacy practice experiences. Residents will have a variety of teaching opportunities that include providing didactic experiences, serving as laboratory teaching assistants, and co-precepting students on clinical rotations. Through a partnership with the Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) School of Pharmacy, UVAHS pharmacy residents have the option to earn a Teaching and Learning Certificate.

### **VIII. Advisors**

- a. Each resident is matched with an advisor for the duration of the residency year. Matches are organized by the program director and are based on the career goals, specialty practice area interests, or other interests of the resident. Advisors serve as resources and mentors to the residents.
- b. Residents will also have a primary preceptor for each of their required presentations as well as their quality improvement and research projects. Residents and the program director identify appropriate preceptors for these requirements based on the topic.

## PGY1-Pharmacy Residency Preceptors

All preceptors may precept: Presentations, Quality Project, and Research Projects based upon resident topic selection

### Amy Adams, PharmD, CCRP

- Current position:
  - Coordinator for Investigational Drug Services
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Campbell University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for the investigational drug service rotation

### Winston Ally, PharmD, BCPS

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Solid Organ Transplantation
  - Director for PGY2-Solid Organ Transplantation Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Rutgers University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Solid Organ Transplantation, Methodist University Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for adult liver/kidney/pancreas transplantation rotation, adult heart/lung transplant rotation, and longitudinal pediatric heart/liver/kidney transplant rotation

### Scott Anderson, PharmD, MS

- Current position:
  - Senior Pharmacy Application Analyst
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Illinois at Chicago
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and Masters of Science in Health System Pharmacy Administration, University of Pittsburgh
  - PGY2-Informatics, University of Virginia (UVA) Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for pharmacy informatics rotation
- Professional awards:
  - Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists New Practitioner Award, 2015

### Lauren Copeland Benusa, PharmD, CCRP

- Current position:
  - Investigational Drug Services Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Virginia Commonwealth University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for PGY2 Oncology investigational drug service rotation

### Patricia-Ann Betts, PharmD

- Current position:
  - Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Rutgers University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general pediatrics rotation

### Kate Bidwell, PharmD, BCPS

- Current position:
  - Medication Use Policy Coordinator
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, VCU
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
  - PGY2-Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for medication use policy rotation

### Kathleen A. Bledsoe, PharmD, BCPS

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Neurosciences
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Albany College of Pharmacy
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for NNICU rotation
  - Pharmacy emergency response coordinator

### Paige Bowers, PharmD, BCPS

- Current position:
  - Hematology/Oncology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, West Virginia University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, West Virginia University Hospitals
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for inpatient hematology/oncology rotation

### Marcia L. Buck, PharmD, FCCP, FPPAG, BCPPS

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Pediatric Pharmacy Service and Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatrics in the Schools of Medicine and Nursing
  - Director for PGY2-Pediatrics Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Purdue University



- Specialized Pediatric residency and fellowship in Pediatric Pharmacotherapy, Medical University of South Carolina
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for PICU and Pediatric Cardiology rotations
- Professional awards:
  - Fall 2006 VCU Preceptor of the Month
  - 2006 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year
  - 2008 McLemore Birdsong Award for Excellence in Teaching, UVA School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics
  - 2009-10 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year

#### **Derek Burden, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Emergency Medicine
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Kentucky
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, Grady Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for emergency department rotation

#### **Lindsey Buscemi, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Infectious Diseases Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Philadelphia College of Pharmacy
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Infectious Diseases, Barnes-Jewish Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for infectious diseases outpatient clinic rotations

#### **Mark Chabot, RPh, MBA, MHA**

- Current position:
  - Manager, Pharmacy Informatics
  - Director for PGY2-Informatics residency
- Education/Training:
  - BS Pharm, Butler University
  - MHA and MBA, Pfeiffer University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for pharmacy informatics rotation

#### **Emily Chen, PharmD, BCPPS**

- Current position:
  - Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - BS Pharm, PharmD: Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy at Rutgers University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy Practice, Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general pediatrics rotation

#### **Heather Cox Hall, PharmD, BCPS-AQID**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Infectious Diseases and Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine with the Division of Infectious Diseases and International Health
  - Director for PGY2-Infectious Diseases Residency
  - Co-director, Antimicrobial Stewardship
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Nova Southeastern University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Infectious Diseases, Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general infectious diseases rotation
  - Co-chair, resident research workgroup
- Professional awards:
  - 2008-9 and 2013-14 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year
  - 2010 VCU Outstanding Preceptor

#### **Kathlene DeGregory, PharmD, BCOP**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Hematology/Oncology and Stem Cell Transplant
  - Director for PGY2-Oncology Residency
- Education/Training:
  - BS, Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science
  - PharmD, Temple University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for hematology/oncology rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2006-7 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year
  - 2012 VCU Outstanding Preceptor

#### **Bethany Delk, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Georgia
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Co-preceptor for ambulatory care rotation

#### **Lindsay Donohue, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Infectious Diseases/Solid Organ Transplantation Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Virginia Commonwealth University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Infectious Diseases, UVA Health System

- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general infectious diseases rotation

#### **Steven Dunn, PharmD, BCPS (AQ-CV)**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Cardiology
  - Director for PGY2 Cardiology Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Cardiology, University of North Carolina
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for CCU rotation

#### **James Fiebert, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Senior Pharmacy Application Analyst
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, St. John's University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Long Island Jewish Medical Center
  - PGY2-Informatics, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for pharmacy informatics rotation

#### **Jennifer Geyston, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Solid Organ Transplant Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Drake University
  - PGY1, Tampa General Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for solid organ transplant rotation

#### **Svetlana Goldman, PharmD, BCACP**

- Current position:
  - Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Pittsburgh
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Charles George VA Medical Center, Asheville NC
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for ambulatory care rotation

#### **Danielle Griggs, PharmD, MBA, MS, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Pharmacy Manager, Procurement, Utilization Management, and Business Services
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy
  - MBA, University of Kentucky
  - MS, Eschelmann School of Pharmacy, University of North Carolina
  - PGY1/PGY2 Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency UNC Health System

- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for practice management rotation

#### **J. Nate Hedrick, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Emergency Medicine Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of North Carolina
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for emergency medicine rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2015-16 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year
  - UVA Good Catch Award
  - 2nd Quarter 2017 Virginia Hospital & Healthcare Association's Virginians Speak Up for Safety

#### **Rebecca Haynes Hockman, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Critical Care
  - Assistant Director for the PGY2-Critical Care residency program
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for medical ICU rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2007-8 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year

#### **Angela Hillis Holian, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Clinical pharmacist for emergency medicine
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Tennessee Health Science Center
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, University of Tennessee Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for emergency medicine rotation

#### **Matthew T. Jenkins, PharmD, MS**

- Current position:
  - Director, Acute Care
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Auburn University
  - PGY1/PGY2 Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency, UPMC Presbyterian-Shadyside
  - MS, University of Pittsburgh
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for practice management rotation

### **Bruce Jones, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Solid Organ Transplant Services Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - BS, Virginia Commonwealth University
  - PharmD, Virginia Commonwealth University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for solid organ transplant rotation

### **Julie J. Kelsey, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Women's Health and Family Medicine Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of the Pacific
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, University of Utah
  - Specialized Residency in Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Neonatology, The Regional Medical Center at Memphis
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for obstetrics/ family medicine rotation

### **Stephanie Kujawski, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Internal Medicine Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Mission Hospitals Asheville, NC
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for internal medicine rotation

### **Sang-Weon Lee, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Senior Pharmacy Application Analyst
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Thomas Jefferson University
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy, Hahnemann University Hospital
  - PGY-2 Informatics, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for pharmacy informatics rotation

### **Amanda Liszewski, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Critical Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Duquesne University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor/co-preceptor for ICU rotations
- Professional awards:
  - 2016-17 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year

### **Kyle Luedtke, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Investigational Drug Services Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Mercer University, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
  - PGY1 Pharmacy, PGY2 Critical Care, University of Virginia Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for oncology IDS rotation

### **Kevin Lonabaugh, PharmD, AAHIVP, AE-C**

- Current position:
  - Pediatrics Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Shenandoah University
  - PGY1- Pharmacy, UVA Health System
  - PGY2- Ambulatory Care, University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general pediatrics and pediatric ambulatory care rotations

### **Alia Lynch, PharmD, BCOP**

- Current position:
  - Oncology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of North Carolina
  - PGY1- Pharmacy, UVA Health System
  - PGY2- Oncology UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for inpatient hematology/oncology rotation

### **Susan Cogut Mankad, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Medication Use Policy Coordinator
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Medical College of Virginia/Virginia Commonwealth University (MCV/VCU)
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Drug Information UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for medication use policy rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2011-12 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year

### **Michelle McCarthy, PharmD, FASHP**

- Current position:
  - Coordinator, Pharmacy Education and Graduate Programs
  - Director, PGY1 Pharmacy Residency Program
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD: Mercer University School of Pharmacy

- Drug Information Specialized Residency: University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for teaching and learning certificate
- Professional awards:
  - Samford University McWhorter School of Pharmacy Teacher of the Year, 1997
  - Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists Pharmacist of the Year, 2003
  - Eastern States Residency Conference Louis P. Jeffrey Award, 2007
  - ACCP Distinguished Drug Information Practitioner Award, 2015

#### **Jillian McClarky, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Internal Medicine Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, VCU School of Pharmacy
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy, VCU Health System
  - PGY-2 Internal Medicine, VCU Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for internal medicine rotation

#### **Tara Miller, PharmD, BCPPS**

- Current position:
  - Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville School of Pharmacy
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice, University of Mississippi Medical Center
  - PGY-2 Pediatrics, University of Arizona Medical Center, Diamond Children's Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general pediatrics and pediatric pulmonary

#### **Amy Morris, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Hematology/Oncology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Georgia
  - PGY1, University of Virginia Health System
  - PGY2 Oncology; University of Virginia Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for Hematology/Oncology

#### **Matthew Morrisette, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Critical Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Medical University of South Carolina
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy, Carolinas Medical Center
  - PGY-2 Critical Care, UVA Health System

- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for ICU rotations

#### **Michael Palkimas, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Manager, Ambulatory Services
  - Program Director for PGY1-Community Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Worcester Campus
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor practice management rotation

#### **Surabhi Palkimas, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Benign Hematology
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Worcester Campus
  - PGY1- Pharmacy, Hospital of Saint Raphael
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for benign hematology rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2014-15 Pharmacy Residency Preceptor of the Year

#### **Karen Partlow, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Critical Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Maryland
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy, UVA Health System
  - PGY-2 Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for ICU rotations

#### **Stacey B. Pattie, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Medication Use Policy Coordinator
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of North Carolina
  - PGY1- Pharmacy, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for medication use policy rotation
- Professional awards:
  - Fall 2008 VCU Preceptor of the Month

#### **Emily C. Prabhu, PharmD, MS, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Medication Use Policy Coordinator
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Butler University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Saint Joseph Regional Medical Center
  - PGY2-Health-System Pharmacy Administration and Fellowship-Medication Use Policy, UVA Health System

- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for medication use policy rotation

#### **Terran Rice, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Senior Pharmacy Applications Analyst
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of the Pacific
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, York Hospital
  - PGY2-Pharmacy Informatics, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Co-preceptor for pharmacy informatics rotation

#### **Kala Rorabaugh, PharmD, BCPPS**

- Current position:
  - Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD Nesbitt School of Pharmacy at Wilkes University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Upstate University Hospital
  - PGY2-Pediatric Pharmacy, Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for General Pediatrics

#### **Mary Roth, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Cardiovascular Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Cardiology, University of North Carolina Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for acute care cardiology rotation

#### **Rafael Saenz, PharmD, MS, FASHP**

- Current position:
  - Administrator of Pharmacy Services
  - Assistant Dean, VCU School of Pharmacy – UVA Division
  - Program Director, PGY2 Health System Pharmacy Administration Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU School of Pharmacy
  - PGY1- Pharmacy and Masters of Science in Health System Pharmacy Administration, University of Wisconsin
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for practice management rotation
- Professional awards:
  - 2017 VCU Outstanding Preceptor
  - 2017 VSHP R. David Anderson Distinguished Leadership Award

#### **Samantha Say, PharmD, MSHA, BCCCP, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Critical Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Pittsburgh
  - MSHA, Virginia Commonwealth University
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy, Sentara Martha Jefferson Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor/co-preceptor for ICU rotations

#### **Jeremy Sen, PharmD, BCOP**

- Current position:
  - Hematology/Oncology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Oncology, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for inpatient hematology/oncology rotation
- Professional awards:
  - UVA Good Catch Award

#### **Jefferson M. Sesler, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU
  - Pharmacy Residency, MCV/VCU
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for Thoracic/Cardiovascular Surgery Post-Op (TCVPO) rotation

#### **Chrissie Shirley, PharmD, MPH**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Pharmacist for Critical Care
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Georgia College of Pharmacy
  - MPH, Johns Hopkins University
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy and PGY-2 Critical Care, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor/co-preceptor for ICU rotations

#### **Donna M. Shuler, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Pharmacist for Emergency Medicine
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of the Sciences in Philadelphia
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Critical Care, Baystate Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for emergency department rotation

### **Ted Sindlinger, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Neurosciences Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Duquesne University Mylan School of Pharmacy
  - PGY1 Pharmacy, Martha Jefferson Hospital
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for Neurology rotation
- Professional awards:
  - UVA Neurology Excellence in Teaching Award

### **Clara Jane Snipes, RPh**

- Current position:
  - Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for general pediatrics rotation

### **Jeffrey Tingen, PharmD, MBA, BCPS, BCACP, CDE**

- Current position:
  - Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Campbell University
  - MBA, Campbell University
  - PGY1 (Focus in Ambulatory Care/Academia) – Campbell University
  - PGY2 Ambulatory Care – Duke University Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for family medicine rotation

### **Ross Tingen, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Specialty Pharmacy-Ambulatory Care Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Campbell University
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, Henry Ford Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for quality improvement project

### **David Volles, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Surgical/Trauma ICU
  - Director for PGY2-Critical Care Residency
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, MCV/VCU
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for STICU rotation

### **Leslie Ward, PharmD, BCPS, BCOP**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Oncology Pharmacist

- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of North Carolina
  - PGY1-Pharmacy, University of Maryland Medical Center
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for inpatient hematology/oncology rotation

### **Donna M. White, RPh, BCACP, CDE**

- Current position:
  - Clinical Coordinator for Ambulatory Care
- Education/Training:
  - BS Pharm, MCV/VCU
  - Certified Diabetes Educator
  - ASHP/ APHA Immunization Certification
  - ASHP/APHA MTM Certification
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for ambulatory care rotation
- Professional awards:
  - Fall 2007 VCU Preceptor of the Month
  - 2010 VCU Mentor Award

### **Andy Whitman, PharmD**

- Current position:
  - Hematology/Oncology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, VCU
  - PGY-1 Pharmacy and PGY-2 Oncology, UVA Health System
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for inpatient hematology/oncology rotation

### **Jovan Williams, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Investigational Drug Services Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, University of Mississippi
  - Postdoctoral Fellowship: Neuropharmacology, Virginia Commonwealth University
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for longitudinal staffing

### **Margaret Wovkulich, PharmD, BCPS**

- Current position:
  - Acute Care Cardiology Clinical Pharmacist
- Education/Training:
  - PharmD, Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
  - PGY1-Pharmacy and PGY2-Internal Medicine, Buffalo General Medical Center/Kaleida Health
- Residency involvement:
  - Preceptor for acute care cardiology rotation

## 2017-2018 PGY1-Pharmacy Residents

**Ally Stilwell, PharmD**  
PGY1-Pharmacy Resident  
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Dr. Stilwell is a graduate of the UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy, where she earned her PharmD degree in 2017. Her professional interests include infectious diseases and critical care. Dr. Stilwell will complete her quality project on the drug-drug interaction between apixaban and chronic azole antifungal therapy, and her research project on the use of cephalexin for UTI on ED discharge. Upon completion of her PGY-1 pharmacy residency, Dr. Stilwell plans to pursue a PGY-2 in either infectious diseases or critical care. Outside of pharmacy, Dr. Stilwell enjoys being active and loves to watch UNC football/basketball games.

**Andrew Brown, PharmD**  
PGY1-Pharmacy Resident  
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Dr. Brown is a graduate of the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy, where he earned his PharmD degree in 2017. Prior to pharmacy school, he graduated from the College of William & Mary with a BS in Neuroscience. His professional interests include emergency medicine, neurocritical care, and solid organ transplant. Dr. Brown will complete his quality project on the characterization and cost implications of inappropriate immunosuppression levels in solid organ transplant patients. His longitudinal research project will look at the effect of a risk-stratification tool to target pharmacy interventions on the rate of recurrent visits from patients discharged from the Emergency Department. After completion of his PGY-1 residency, Dr. Brown plans to pursue a PGY-2 residency in an area of his choice. Outside of pharmacy, he enjoys watching Liverpool FC, photography, weightlifting, and craft beer.

**Tabitha Bice, PharmD**  
PGY1-Pharmacy Resident  
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Dr. Bice is a graduate of the Auburn University Harrison School of Pharmacy, where she earned her PharmD degree in 2017. Her professional interests include pediatrics and critical care. Dr. Bice will complete her quality project on the evaluation of a new insulin infusion guideline in labor and delivery. Her research project will be a continuation of her quality project by evaluating whether the new insulin guidelines are better at reducing blood glucose faster and maintaining blood glucose in range than previous guidelines and also comparing neonatal outcomes in women who received insulin and those that did not. Upon completion of her PGY-1 pharmacy residency, Dr. Bice plans to pursue a PGY-2 in either pediatrics or critical care. In her free time, Dr. Bice enjoys spending time with family and friends, being outdoors as much as possible, and exploring Charlottesville!

**Michelle Plum, PharmD**  
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Dr. Plum is a 2017 graduate of MCPHS University (formerly known as Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences) in Boston, Massachusetts. Her professional interests include critical care and emergency medicine. Dr. Plum will complete her quality project on the management of the drug-drug interaction between valproic acid and carbapenems. Her research project will evaluate the interference of apixaban or rivaroxaban on anti-Xa Levels based on renal function in patients transitioning to heparin. Upon completion of her PGY1, Dr. Plum hopes to pursue a PGY2 residency in critical care. Outside of pharmacy, Dr. Plum loves being outside, cooking, exploring Virginia, going to the movies, and trying new restaurants.

**Julianne Fallon, PharmD**  
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Dr. Fallon is a graduate of the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy, where she earned her PharmD degree in 2017. Prior to pharmacy school, she attended the University of Oklahoma where she received a B.S. in Microbiology. Dr. Fallon's quality project will evaluate the tolerability and efficacy of amiodarone for prevention of post-operative atrial fibrillation following cardiac surgery utilizing a revised amiodarone protocol. Her research project will assess magnesium repletion in patients with acute decompensated heart failure. Dr. Fallon plans to pursue a PGY-2 residency in cardiology after completing the PGY-1 residency year. Outside of pharmacy, she enjoys spending time with her husband, family, friends, and her cat, Copernicus, as well as exploring Charlottesville and the surrounding areas.

**Meredith Mort, PharmD**  
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Dr. Mort is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy, where she received her PharmD degree in 2017. Her professional interests include primarily hematology and oncology. Dr. Mort will complete a quality improvement project evaluating risk factors for inpatient falls for adult patients with hematologic malignancies. Her longitudinal research project will evaluate the risk of heart failure and reduced LVEF in AML patients treated with anthracyclines. Upon completion of her PGY-1 pharmacy residency, Dr. Mort plans to pursue a PGY-2 residency in oncology. In her free time, she enjoys spending time with her husband, cuddling with her cat Onyx, and exploring local breweries and wineries.

**Kristi Higgins, PharmD**  
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Dr. Higgins is a graduate of Virginia Commonwealth University, where she earned her PharmD degree in 2017. Her professional interests include pediatrics, academia, and ambulatory care. Dr. Higgins will complete her quality project on IVIG infusion reactions in the pediatric population. Her research project will evaluate the ambulatory care clinical pharmacist's role in managing refugee care. Outside of pharmacy, Dr. Higgins enjoys spending time with her spunky dog Maggie, visiting family and friends, and exploring local wineries and restaurants around Charlottesville.



**Robert D'Eramo, PharmD**

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Dr. D'Eramo is a graduate of the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy, where he received his PharmD degree in 2017. Prior to VCU, he obtained his B.S. in Biological Sciences at Virginia Tech. He is currently a PGY-1 Health-System Pharmacy Administration Resident. Robert will complete a quality improvement project involving an "Evaluation on how drug availability and lapse in insurance coverage contributes to multiple sclerosis relapse or disease progression". His longitudinal research project involves evaluation of the concurrent use of Epclusa and proton pump inhibitors and their effect on SVR rates in Hepatitis C patients. Upon completion of his PGY-1 pharmacy residency, he will continue as a PGY-2 Health-System Pharmacy Administration Resident at UVA. Outside of work he enjoys time with his friends and family, traveling, boating, heading to the beach, and exploring Charlottesville.

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