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Name	Year	Education	Residency Project	Current Position
Haley Huddleston	25-26	• PharmD: Butler University • PGY1: University of Colorado Community-based, Aurora, CO	Evaluation of Pharmacist Billing and Revenue in Hospital-Based Primary Care Clinics *J Am Pharm Assoc* (2003). 2026 Sep 21:103527.	Assistant Professor; Regis University; Denver, CO
Samantha Whitcomb		• PharmD: University of Iowa • PGY1: Parkland Health; Dallas, TX	Identification of Gaps in Continuous Glucose Monitoring Technology Use	Assistant Professor; University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Alice Voell-White		• PharmD: University of Buffalo • PGY1: UCHealth Univeristy of Colorado Hospital, Aurora, CO	Improving Hypertension Assessment Through a Home Blood Pressure Monitor Validation Protocol in Primary Care	Clinical Pharmacist at UCHealth (Rheumatology Clinic); Aurora, CO
Kaitlyn Haas	24-25	• PharmD: University of Georgia • PGY1: UCHealth University of Colorado Hospital; Aurora, CO	Blood pressure control among adherent vs nonadherent Medicare Patients with hypertension *Am J Manag Care.* 2026 Jul1;32(7):e228-e233.	Clinical Pharmacist at UCHealth (Solid Organ Transplant Clinic); Aurora, CO
Ghenella Salanio		• PharmD: Purdue University • PGY1: Ascension St. Vincents; Jacksonville, FL	Qualitative Assessment of Provider Perceptions of Medicare Annual Wellness Visits *Am J Health Promot.* 2026 Nov;40(8):1018-1024.	Clinical Pharmacist at UF Health (Ambulatory Care); Jacksonville, FL
Alexis Simons	23-24	• PharmD: University of Kansas • PGY1: Aurora Health Care Metro, Inc; Milwaukee, WI	Impact of medications on the incidence of urinary tract infections (UTIs) in patients with type 2 diabetes.*Ther Adv Drug Saf.* 2025 Dec 16:16:20420986251401515.	Clinical Pharmacist at the University of Kansas Health System (Endocrinology); Kansas City, Kansas
Natasha Virrueta		• PharmD: University of Wisconsin-Madison • PGY1: Froedtert and the Medical College of Wisconsin	Pharmacist-supported electronic outreach to address medication nonadherence for Medicare Advantage enrollees. *J Manag Care Spec Pharm*. 2025 Jan;31(1):33-41.	Clinical Pharmacist at Froedtert Health (Primary Care); Menomonee Falls, WI
Elisa Worledge		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Denver Health; Denver, CO	Achievement of low-density lipoprotein cholesterol (LDL-C) thresholds in very high-risk atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD) patients. *J Clin Lipidol.* 2025 Jul-Aug;19(4):860-868.	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist at VA Medical Center; Eugene, OR
Katelyn Currier	22-23	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center; Vancouver, WA	Evaluation of apixaban anti-xa activity, efficacy, and safety post-bariatric surgery.	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist; Associates in Family Medicine; Fort Collins, CO
Kelly Koon		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Penobscot Community Health Care; Bangor, ME	Identification of Social Determinants of Education Among Pharmacy Students *Am J Pharm Educ*. 2024 May;88(5):100691.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Kristin Potthast		• PharmD: University of Health Sciences & Pharmacy in St. Louis • PGY1: University of Missouri Health Care; Columbia, MO	Evaluation of aspirin prescribing and gastrointestinal bleeding in adults 60 years and older in a large academic health system *Sr Care Pharm*. 2024 Jun 1;39(6):218-227.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO

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Madison Auten	21-22	• PharmD: University of Kansas • PGY1: University of Colorado Community-based	Proportion of Patients Initiated on Xanthine Oxidase Inhibitors that Undergo Up-titration to Achieve Serum Urate Target of < 6 mg/dL Within a 12 Month Time-frame. *J Manag Care Spec Pharm*. 2025 Sep;31(9):922-927.	Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacist: St. Luke's East; Lee-Summit, MO
Trevor Beutel		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: VAMC; Spokane, WA	Characteristics of Patients Treated with Romosozumab as Compared to Parathyroid Hormone Analogs within the UCHealth System: A Cross-Sectional Analysis.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Armen Fstkchian		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Loma Linda University	Comparison of statin prescribing practices in ASCVD patients with or without CKD. *J Am Pharm Assoc*. 2025 Jul-Aug;65(4):102395.	Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: Adventist Health White Memorial; Los Angeles, CA
Anushka Tandon		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: VAMC; Aurora, CO	Primary care versus infectious disease prescriber adherence to human immunodeficiency virus pre-exposure prophylaxis monitoring and prescribing recommendations. *AIDS Behav*. 2024 Apr;28(4):1270-1275.	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: VA Medical Center; Chicago, IL
Lindsay Courtney	20-21	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: University of Pittsburg Medical Center	Incidence of VTE among COVID-19 positive patients following hospital discharge. *Ann Pharmacother*. 2022;56(9):981-987.	Assistant Professor: Texas Tech University; Amarillo, TX
Brooke Trudeau		• PharmD: University of Michigan • PGY1: Detroit Medical Center	Characterizing changes in diuretic therapy in patients with heart failure after implementation of an SGLT2 inhibitor. *J Pharm Practice* 2022 (In press)	Clinical Pharmacist: Denver Health Medical Center; Denver, CO
Ben Hill		• PharmD: West Virginia University • PGY1: Boulder Community Hospital	Medications associated with increased occurrence of urinary tract infections in patients with diabetes and/or heart failure *Current Drug Safety*. 2022 (in press)	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Briana Williams		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Denver Health Medical Center	Direct oral anticoagulants versus warfarin in patients with single or double antibody-positive antiphospholipid syndrome *J Thromb Thrombolysis*. 2022;54:67-73.	Assistant Professor: University of the Incarnate Word; San Antonio, TX
Vivian Cheng	19-20	• PharmD: University of North Carolina • PGY1: VAMC, Denver	Prescribing practices of migraine-specific pharmacotherapy associated with emergency department use for migraine *Headache*. 2021;61:455–461.	Primary Care Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: Valley Medical Center; Reston, WA
Joseph Nardolillo		• PharmD: University of Rhode Island • PGY1: Indian Health Service Albuquerque	Retrospective cohort study of statin prescribing for primary prevention among people living with HIV. *JSRM Cardio Dis* 2021;10:1-10.	Assistant Professor: University of Rhode Island; Providence, RI
Jennifer Tunoa		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: VAMC, Seattle, WA	Early impact of 2018 AHA/ACC/Multisociety Cholesterol Guideline on lipid monitoring after statin initiation. *J Clin Lipidol*. 2020;14:784-790.	Geriatric Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: VA Puget Sound Healthcare System; Seattle, WA

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Navya Varshney		• PharmD: University of Michigan • PGY1: University of California San Francisco	Sodium-glucose cotransporter-2 inhibitors and risk for genitourinary infections in older adults with type 2 diabetes. *Ther Adv Drug Saf*. 2021;12:1-8	Internal Medicine/Geriatrics Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center; Baltimore, MD
Marina Maes	18-19	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: University of Michigan	Evaluation of acute gout prophylaxis prescribing when initiating a xanthine oxidase inhibitor therapy for gout *Clin Rheumatol*. 2020;40(3):1017-1026.	Assistant Professor: University of Wisconsin; Madison, WI
Natalie Rosario		• PharmD: University of Kentucky • PGY1: Palm Beach Atlantic University	Hispanic patients' perceptions of mental health disorders among a FQHC clinic population.	Assistant Professor: University of Houston; Houston, TX
Marina Stampoulos (Snellings)		• PharmD: University of North Carolina • PGY2: VAMC, Denver	Effectiveness of methenamine for UTI prevention in older adults with varying degrees of kidney function. *Ann Pharmacother*. 2020;54(4):356-363.	Clinical Pharmacist: University of North Carolina Medical Center; Chapel Hill, NC
Kyle Troksa		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: University of Montana	Effectiveness of a pharmacist-led population health approach to implementing statin therapy in primary prevention patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus. *J Am Coll Clin Pharm*. 2020;3:723-728.	Ambulatory Care Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: Banner Health, Northern Colorado; Boulder, CO
Ian Hatlee	17-18	• PharmD: LECOM School of Pharmacy • PGY1: Millcreek Community Hospital	Can pharmacists reduce inappropriate ED utilization? *Am J Health-Syst Pharm*. 2020;77(14):1153–1157.	Clinical Pharmacist – Digital Medicine Ochsner Health System; New Orleans, LA
Emanuela Mooney		• PharmD: Idaho State University • PGY1: Regis University/Safeway Community	Comparison of clinical pharmacist management of type 2 diabetes versus usual care in a federally qualified health center. *Pharm Pract* (Granada). 2019;17(4):1618.	Clinical Pharmacist: University of Colorado Health; Colorado Springs, CO
Scott Pearson		• PharmD: University of Wisconsin • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Assessment of chronic disease management among patients with diabetes and coronary artery disease receiving care in a cardiology clinic. *J Am Coll Clin Pharm* 2018;1:89-94.	Pharmacist Clinical Specialist: Northwestern General Medicine Associates; Edina, MN
Julianna Kluemper (Rivich)		• PharmD: Purdue University • PGY1: VAMC, Denver, CO	Social and Psychosocial Determinants of Health Associated with Uncontrolled Diabetes in a FQHC Population. *Diabetes Spectrum* 2019;32(2):145-151.	Clinical Pharmacist: University of Colorado Health; Denver, CO
Beth Zeleznikar (Carter)	16-17	• PharmD: NEOCOM • PGY1: University of Colorado Community-based	Focused evaluation of provider usability and preferences with the aspirin guide app.	Primary Care Clinical Pharmacist: Cleveland Clinic; Strongsville, OH
Ashley Daffron (Huntsberry)		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: University of Nebraska Medical Center	Effects of chronic proton pump inhibitor use on kidney function in older adults. *Sr Care Pharm* 2019;34:325-33.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO

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Morgan Stewart (Payne)		• PharmD: University of Houston • PGY1: The Ohio State University	Changes in pharmacy students' perceptions of underserved populations after a 6-week clinical rotation in a FQHC clinic. *Curr Pharm Teaching Learning* 2018;10:1149-1153.	Clinical Assistant Professor: University of Texas; Austin, TX
Natalia Pucinelli (Uzal)		• PharmD: Shenandoah University • PGY1: Lancaster General Hospital	Monitoring of recommended metabolic laboratory parameters among Medicaid recipients on second-generation antipsychotics in FQHCs. *Ann Pharmacother* 2018;52(2):160-165.	Clinical Pharmacist: Community Health Centers of Lane County; Eugene, OR
Michael Kelly	15-16	• PharmD: Virginal Commonwealth University • PGY1: Virginal Commonwealth University	BP goals and treatment in patients 60-79 (without DM or CKD) before and after new JNC8/ASH-ISH recommendations. *Ther Adv Cardiovasc Dis* 2017;11(2):63-71.	Assistant Professor: Thomas Jefferson University; Philadelphia, PA
Jessica Norman		• PharmD: University of Wisconsin • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	The effect of the FDA required label changes on zolpidem prescribing practices based on gender. *SAGE Open Medicine* 2017;5:1-5.	Primary Care Clinical Pharmacist: University of Wisconsin Health; Madison, WI
Alvin Oung		• PharmD: Massachusetts College of Pharmacy • PGY1: Cone Health	Evaluation of medication adherence in a federally qualified health center. *Ther Adv Chronic Dis* 2017;8:113-120.	Assistant Professor: University of Wyoming; Denver, CO
Sara Wettergreen		• PharmD: South Dakota State University • PGY1: VAMC, Houston, TX	Comparison of Faculty Assessment and Students' Self-Assessment of Performance during Clinical Case Discussions in a Capstone Course. *Medical Teacher* 2018;40(2):193-198	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Cy Fixen	14-15	• PharmD. South Dakota State University • PGY1: University of North Carolina	Retrospective assessment of mean blood pressure in adults aged 60-79 before and after the publication of 2013 ASH/ISH and JNC8 hypertension guidelines. *Ther Adv Cardiovasc Dis* 2016 Apr;10(2):67-73.	Tele-health Clinical Pharmacy Practitioner - Primary Care: VA Medical Center; Boise, ID
Danielle Fixen (Rhyne)		• PharmD: Wingate University • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	The effect of medical marijuana on the frequency of migraine headache in an adult population. *Pharmacotherapy* 2016 May;36(5):505-10.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Jason Zupec		• PharmD: University of Cincinnati • PGY1: Akron General Medical Center	Evaluation of statin prescribing for secondary prevention in primary care following new guideline recommendations. *Ann Pharmacother* 2016 Jan;50(1):17-21.	Assistant Professor: University of the Sciences; Philadelphia, PA
Liza Claus (Wilson)	13-14	• PharmD: University of Missouri • PGY1: University of Mississippi	Comparison of New-Onset Gout Incidence in Adults Prescribed Hydrochlorothiazide vs. Chlorthalidone. *J Clin Hypertens* 2014;16(12):864-868.	Associate Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Rhianna Fink (Tuchscherer)		• PharmD. South Dakota State University • PGY1: Beaumont Health System	Simvastatin and CCBs: A Comparison of Prescribing Practices before and after the U.S. FDA Updates to the 2011 Simvastatin Dosing Standards. *Am J Cardiovasc Drugs* 2015;15:27-34.	Associate Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
William King IV		• PharmD: South Carolina College of Pharmacy • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Characterization of diabetes risk factors in patients prescribed chronic statin therapy. *Ther Adv Chronic Dis* 2014;4(4):206-211.	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: New Hanover Regional Medical Center; Wilmington, NC

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Matthew Kostoff	12-13	• PharmD: University of Toledo • PGY1: Akron General Medical Center	Description of long-term bisphosphonate therapy in postmenopausal women in a primary care setting. *Int J Women's Health* 2014;6:423-428.	Clinical Pharmacist: NewHealth Collaborative; Akron, Ohio
Rachel Lowe	11-12	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: VAMC, Houston, TX	Clinical and economic description of monitoring in patients on chronic statin therapy. *Ther Adv Drug Safety* 2013;4(1):4-12.	Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Angie Thompson		• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Exempla St. Joseph Hospital	Evaluation of type 2 diabetes medication management and diabetes control in patients 65-79 years of age and patients 80-89 years of age at a university health system. *Consult Pharm* 2013;28(5):296-306.	Clinical Assistant Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Julie Guerin (Alford)	10-11	• PharmD: University of Tennessee • PGY1: University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	Patterns of prescribing statin-based combinations that are high risk for myopathy. *Pharmacother* 2012;32(7):623–630.	Clinical Pharmacist: Aledade, Inc.; Burlington, VT
Michele Claibrone (Hanselin)		• PharmD; University of Colorado • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Prescribing trends for the treatment of resistant hypertension. *Hypertension* 2011;58:1008-1013.	Professor and Vice Chair: Regis University; Denver, CO
Chad Martell	09-10	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Providence Health System, Portland, OR	Evaluation of thiazide diuretic use on serum potassium and glucose regulation.	Associate Professor: Regis University; Denver, CO
Jonathan White		• PharmD: Midwestern University • PGY1: St. Alphonsus Hospital, Boise, ID	Evaluation of fibric acid derivative use at a university affiliated health system using a medication appropriateness index.	Clinical Pharmacist – Primary Care: Froedtert/Medical College of Wisconsin; Milwaukee, WI
Sarah Marrs (Anderson)	08-09	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: Denver Health	Determining predictors of response to exenatide in type 2 diabetes. *J Am Pharm Assoc* 2012;52:466–471.	Scientific Director, Clinical Care Options; Denver, CO
Joseph Vande Griend	06-07	• PharmD: University of Iowa • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Characterization and attainment of LDL-cholesterol goals in high risk family medicine patients. *J Clin Lipidology* 2009;3:195-200.	Senior Director, Pharmacy Ambulatory Health Outcomes: University of Colorado Health; Aurora, CO
Joel Marrs	05-06	• PharmD: Butler University • PGY1: Mount Carmel Medical Center, Columbus, OH	Dyslipidemia control in an indigent population with medication assistance compared to an insured population. *Pharmacother* 2008;28(5):562–569.	Ambulatory Pharmacy Clinical Coordinator: Billings Clinic; Billings, MT
Amy Egras (Miller)	04-05	• PharmD: University of Colorado • PGY1: University of California at San Francisco	Comparing a therapeutic statin conversion to a usual care statin conversion. *Pharmacother* 2008;28(5):553–561.	Associate Professor: Thomas Jefferson University; Philadelphia, PA
Donnie Nuzum	03-04	• PharmD: Texas Tech University • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Evaluating sample medication use in primary care: A sub-study of Applied Strategies for Improving Patient Safety. *Joint Comm J Qual & Patient Safety* 2006;32:688-692.	Clinical Pharmacist: Avance Care; Matthews, NC
Megan Bestul	02-03	• PharmD: University of Michigan • PGY1: University of Colorado Hospital	Impact of the Women's Health Initiative trial results on hormone replacement therapy use. *Pharmacother* 2004;24(4):495-499.	Clinical Pharmacist: Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine; Royal Oak, MI
Jessica Milchak (Kill)	01-02	• PharmD: University of Iowa • PGY1: VAMC Tucson, AZ	Development of a core herbal product list and a pharmacist education program within a university-based outpatient pharmacy.	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist: Kaiser Permanente; Longmont, CO

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Sunny Linnebur	00-01	• PharmD: University of Kansas • PGY1: VAMC Denver, CO	Retrospective evaluation of antihypertensive effectiveness in clinical practice.	Professor: University of Colorado; Aurora, CO
Eric MacLaughlin	98-99	• PharmD: Medical University of South Carolina • BS: Albany College of Pharmacy	Selection and costs of antibiotics for patients with a reported beta-lactam allergy. *Arch Fam Med* 2000; 9:722-726.	Professor & Chair: Texas Tech University; Amarillo, TX
Rachana Patel		• PharmD: Butler University • PGY1: VAMC Long Beach, CA	Prospective, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled evaluation of vitamin K1 versus temporary cessation of warfarin therapy in the treatment of excessive anticoagulation. *Pharmacother* 2000;20(10):1159-1166.	Manager, Clinical Pharmacy Services in Primary Care: Permanente Kaiser Permanente; Aurora, CO