

# NCPDP 2023 Annual Technology & Business Conference

## CPE Details

Tuesday, May 9, 2023

<p>9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Leveraging Immunization Information Systems to Improve Data Quality in Pharmacy &amp; Close Gaps in Care</b> Dr. Kyle Freese, PhD, MPH, Chief Scientific Officer, STCHealth</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Describe immunization information systems (IIS) and their role in patient care</li><li>2. List common strengths and limitations of IIS</li><li>3. Describe how pharmacies currently use and interact with IIS</li><li>4. Explain how machine learning can provide inferences from incomplete data in IIS at the pharmacy level</li><li>5. Discuss how state-level data can be used to identify at-risk clusters in a pharmacy population using an example case</li></ol> <p>0107-9999-23-075-L06-P 0107-9999-23-075-L06-T 0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>
	<p><b>The Value of High Touch Specialty Pharmacy Medical Benefit (J-code) and PBM Carve Out - The Evolution of the TPA-Employer SpecialtyRx</b> Michael Baldzicki, CRCM, AscellaHealth</p> <p>CE is not available for this session.</p>
<p>10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Assessing &amp; Overcoming Barriers to Real-time Benefit Check Adoption in the Real-World</b> Rick Jennejahn, Director, Pharmacy Innovation Programs, Excellus Health Plan, Inc. Michael Burger, Senior Consultant, Point-of-Care Partners</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. List at least one key provider barrier to real-time benefit check (RTBC) adoption</li><li>2. Name at least one internal barrier payers face when offering RTBC tools to providers</li><li>3. Recognize effective value propositions for RTBC to providers</li><li>4. Describe provider educational approaches that positively impacted RTBC tool adoption</li><li>5. Explain internal education approaches that resulted in better support of RTBC adoption</li></ol> <p>0107-9999-23-070-L04-P 0107-9999-23-070-L04-T 0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>
	<p><b>Multi-stakeholder Initiatives Striving to Create Real-World Tools to Bridge Administrative &amp; Policy Data to Support Better Clinical Care</b> Kim Boyd, Principal Consultant, Boyd Consulting Group, LLC Kyle Tucker, Senior Manager, Evernorth</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Discuss the relationship of policy making and NCPDP standards development and testing</li><li>2. Describe examples of policy coordination between Health and Human Services (HHS) agencies.</li></ol>

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Identify the standards across NCPDP and Health Level 7 (HL7) that can be implemented to support electronic prior authorization</li> <li>4. Describe key HL7 CodeX use cases that align with NCPDP standards efforts</li> <li>5. List which federal agencies and other multi-stakeholder collaboratives are involved in HL7 CodeX.</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-071-L03-P 0107-9999-23-071-L03-T 0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>	
<p>1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.</p>	<p><b>NCPDP Foundation Investments in Advancing Standards</b> Annette Gabel, Grant and Association Development Director, NCPDP Foundation and President, ACAG Consulting, LLC</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discuss the NCPDP Foundation's three Core strategic initiatives</li> <li>2. Explain how each of the eight active NCPDP Grant projects support NCPDP's strategic initiatives</li> <li>3. Describe future plans for the NCPDP Foundation</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-079-L04-P 0107-9999-23-079-L04-T 0.05 CEU/0.5 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>	<p><b>So Many Discount Cards, So Little Time. How Technology Can Help.</b> Kristina Crockett, CoverMyMeds</p> <p>CE is not available for this session.</p>
<p>2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Service Billing: Lessons learned from the Public Health Emergency and How the S1 Transaction Can Reshape Pharmacy Billing</b> Hannah Cardosi, Senior Manager, Express Scripts OmHaraiSriRam Gangaikondan-Iyer (Harry Ram), Senior Director of PBM Resiliency and Reliability, EverNorth</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Review the handling of pharmacist service billing during the COVID-19 public health emergency</li> <li>2. Discuss expanded pharmacist roles in patient health care</li> <li>3. Describe the S1 billing transaction and the patient care services it can support</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-080-L04-P 0107-9999-23-080-L04-T 0.05 CEU/0.5 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>	<p><b>Using New Standards, Processes, and Tools to Make Specialty ePrescribing Less "Special"</b> Lathe Bigler, Vice President, Clinical Network Services, FDB Vela</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Recognize the many ways specialty prescribing works and where workflow hurdles exist in today's processes</li> <li>2. Describe how ePrescribing standards have changed since the last NCPDP Annual and what the changes mean for the industry</li> <li>3. Discuss how the process of prescribing and fulfilling specialty medications is evolving through better connectivity, accuracy, and efficiencies for both the prescriber and the patient</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-077-L04-P 0107-9999-23-077-L04-T 0.05 CEU/0.5 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>

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Annual Conference Wednesday, May 10, 2023			
	<p><b>A Collaborative Approach to Fill Gaps in DTx Integration &amp; Workflow</b>                      Jessica Hauflaire, Chief Operating Officer, Digital Therapeutics Alliance</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Define digital therapeutics (DTx) and its value in healthcare</li> <li>2. Describe the DTx product journey through the healthcare system from diagnosis to treatment and outcomes</li> <li>3. Describe integration workflows that are successful</li> <li>4. Identify gaps in the integration workflow</li> <li>5. Discuss actions needed to fill these gaps and how these efforts can be supported</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-073-L04-P                      0107-9999-23-073-L04-T                      0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs                      Knowledge-based</p>		
<p>11:15 a.m. –                      12:15 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Prior Authorization Automation: Opportunities and Landmines</b>                      Daniel Cawood, Product Manager, Interoperability Solutions, MCG Health</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Recognize the opportunities and pitfalls related to interoperability and automation technology via real-world use cases</li> <li>2. Review the lessons learned from actual implementations of automation technology in both inpatient and outpatient authorization environments</li> <li>3. Identify the areas of the clinical authorization workflow where artificial intelligence and machine learning can successfully be applied and realize the greatest benefits</li> <li>4. Describe the necessary steps to successfully identify, automate, and supply the required clinical documentation criteria (as requested by the payer) to complete an authorization request</li> <li>5. Discuss the areas where the health IT industry needs to evolve to support an "end-to-end" automation process for authorizations</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-072-L04-P                      0107-9999-23-072-L04-T                      0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs                      Knowledge-based</p>		
<p>2:30 p.m. –                      3:00 p.m.</p>	<table border="0"> <tr> <td data-bbox="253 1409 899 1913"> <p><b>Revising the National Drug Code Format and Drug Label Barcode Requirement</b>                              Julian Chun, Pharm.D., MBA, FDA</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify the current National Drug Code (NDC) format and its use as the national identifier for drug products in the US</li> <li>2. Describe the changes in the proposed FDA rule to revise the NDC format and drug label barcode requirements and how they may impact the healthcare industry</li> <li>3. Explain the proposed rule timeline and the necessary action items if adopted</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-081-L04-P                              0107-9999-23-081-L04-T</p> </td> <td data-bbox="899 1409 1529 1913"> <p><b>Use of Pharmacist eCare Plan/EHR Integration to Promote Team-based Care: Early Experiences in Bridging Community Pharmacists and Prescribers for Transitions of Care</b>                              Jason Ausili, Pharm.D., Pharmacy Transformation, EnlivenHealth</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe historically used communication methods to facilitate patient care between medical offices and pharmacies</li> <li>2. List ways that HL7/FHIR technology will increase time for the pharmacist to provide clinical care</li> <li>3. Describe barriers and facilitators to the implementation of a pharmacy software-to-electronic health record (EHR) communication link via HL7/FHIR</li> </ol> </td> </tr> </table>	<p><b>Revising the National Drug Code Format and Drug Label Barcode Requirement</b>                              Julian Chun, Pharm.D., MBA, FDA</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify the current National Drug Code (NDC) format and its use as the national identifier for drug products in the US</li> <li>2. Describe the changes in the proposed FDA rule to revise the NDC format and drug label barcode requirements and how they may impact the healthcare industry</li> <li>3. Explain the proposed rule timeline and the necessary action items if adopted</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-081-L04-P                              0107-9999-23-081-L04-T</p>	<p><b>Use of Pharmacist eCare Plan/EHR Integration to Promote Team-based Care: Early Experiences in Bridging Community Pharmacists and Prescribers for Transitions of Care</b>                              Jason Ausili, Pharm.D., Pharmacy Transformation, EnlivenHealth</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe historically used communication methods to facilitate patient care between medical offices and pharmacies</li> <li>2. List ways that HL7/FHIR technology will increase time for the pharmacist to provide clinical care</li> <li>3. Describe barriers and facilitators to the implementation of a pharmacy software-to-electronic health record (EHR) communication link via HL7/FHIR</li> </ol>
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<p>3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.</p>	<p><b>The Digital Evolution of the Pharmacy Patient Experience</b> Corey Hansen, MBA, CEO, Lumistry Nick Brooke, Head of Revenue, Lumistry</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe the role of automation within a pharmacy and the benefits it can provide</li> <li>2. Review new technology trends for patient care in the pharmacy</li> <li>3. Identify ways to connect with patients using automation in the pharmacy</li> <li>4. Recognize how to maintain personalization in patient care using technology</li> <li>5. Describe how to implement a strategic plan for patient care using today's technology</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-074-L04-P 0107-9999-23-074-L04-T 0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs Knowledge-based</p> <p><b>Closing Gaps in Care: A Legal Update Regarding the Pharmacy Benefit Industry and Emerging Trends</b> Samantha Brown, Esq., Partner, The Phoenix Law Group Cami Agena, Esq., Partner, The Phoenix Law Group</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe new regulatory requirements/changes and how they may impact the PBM industry</li> <li>2. Discuss legislative trends and how they may impact the PBM industry</li> <li>3. Determine the impact of specific legal requirements on various business models</li> <li>4. Recognize the consequences of failing to meet the legal requirements</li> <li>5. Explain strategies for compliance with the legal requirements</li> </ol> <p>0107-9999-23-076-L03-P 0107-9999-23-076-L03-T 0.1 CEU/1.0 Hrs Knowledge-based</p>	

## General CPE Information



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### Target Audience

All CE sessions are accredited for both pharmacists and pharmacy technicians.

### Financial Support

Financial support for all CE sessions was provided by CoverMyMeds.

### Faculty Disclosures

- Kyle Tucker (Multi-stakeholder Initiatives Striving to Create Real-World Tools) and Harry Ram (Service Billing: Lessons Learned from the Public Health Emergency) are employees of Evernorth, a pharmacy benefit management company
- Hannah Cordosi is an employee of Express Scripts, a pharmacy benefit management company.
- Kim Boyd was employed by McKesson until November, 2023.
- Kyle Freese is a researcher for Merck.
- All other faculty members have no relevant financial relationships to report.

All relevant financial relationships have been mitigated.

Off-label medication use will not be discussed.

### Course Fees

Courses and all course materials are included as part of the event registration fees. A list of fees may be found [HERE](#).