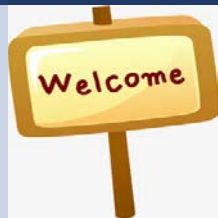
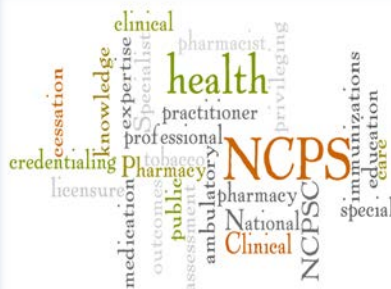


# NCPS NEWS

USPHS National Clinical Pharmacist Specialist

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*Welcome new NCPSC Members*

LCDR Jennifer Franke – IHS Bemidji Area Representative  
LCDR Elliot Klapperich – IHS Great Plains Area Representative  
LCDR Andrew Portier – IHS Portland Area Representative

## NEWEST NCPS Certified Pharmacists!

Congratulations to the following applicants obtaining NCPS certification at the quarterly protocol meeting in August 2021.

Frederick Jaeger, IHS  
Peter Jaeger, IHS  
Emanuel Kahsai, IHS  
Matthew McClung, IHS  
Henry Nettling, BOP  
Nnadozie Onuoha, BOP  
Ryan Pett, IHS  
Katherine Vodovoz, IHS



## CLINICAL SPOTLIGHT

NCPSC is excited to announce the new quarterly NCPS webinar series. Quarterly NCPS will host a webinar spotlighting various areas of expertise or innovative pharmacy practices. Join us on **October 26<sup>th</sup> at 1200EST** for the first webinar in the new quarterly NCPS webinar series. Lcdr Neelam Gazarian will be presenting on “Ending the HIV Epidemic”.

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1600812469?pwd=dDdJOE5scjdx0cWdEZWZQ2c4MTISUT09>

NCPSC is looking for pharmacists willing to present for our quarterly webinar series. Are you passionate about clinical pharmacy and have an area of expertise that can help others broaden their scope of practice? If you are interested in sharing what you are doing and would like an opportunity to present a national presentation to pharmacists please email CDR Kyle Sheffer at [Kyle.Sheffer@ihs.gov](mailto:Kyle.Sheffer@ihs.gov).



**VOLUNTEER**

**REMINDER: OUTCOMES ARE DUE DECEMBER 31ST!**

Outcomes should be submitted by December 31<sup>st</sup> to keep active certification. Please submit your outcomes to [John.Collins@ihs.gov](mailto:John.Collins@ihs.gov).

Coming soon to the NCPS website....New application forms for inpatient pharmacists.

NCPS website: <https://dcp.psc.gov/OSG/pharmacy/ncps.aspx>

# NCPS NEWS

## Sample Patient Encounter Log

Since our transition to a more comprehensive care model, the NCPS Committee has received many questions about the Patient Encounter Log. Here is a sample patient encounter log for your reference. Each practice is different and this log should reflect the vast scope of practice that we are involved in as we innovatively lead pharmacists across the nation.

Encounter	Date	Diagnosis addressed at this encounter
1	x/x/xx	DM2, immunizations, hypothyroidism
2	x/x/xx	DM2, immunizations, CVD, tobacco cessation
3	x/x/xx	Anticoagulation, CVD, immunizations, HTN
4	x/xx/xx	DM2, HTN, immunizations
5	x/xx/xx	DM2, immunizations, CAD, CKD
6	x/xx/xx	Tobacco cessation, DM2, asthma, immunizations
7	x/xx/xx	Anticoagulation, atrial fibrillation, immunizations
8	x/xx/xx	Tobacco cessation, seizures, arthritis

**Note:** All patient encounters must be within 12 months of applicant submission date. Each encounter must include at least two diagnoses, or one diagnosis and one preventative health intervention.



Questions on applying for NCPS certification?

NCPS members rotate every 3 years. If you are interested in serving on the NCPS you should contact your area pharmacy consultant or your NCPS representative for more information.

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New application forms are now available on the NCPS website. These forms should be used for all new applications and renewals.