

Educational Program & Events Schedule (as of 6/28/24)
2024 NPPA Conference, August 19-22
Horseshoe Las Vegas hotel, Nevada

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Locations for all Events

CE Lectures:	Platinum Grand Ballroom, on Ground Floor of Resort Tower Convention Area
Meals for Attendees:	Gold Grand Ballroom, on Ground Floor of Resort Tower Convention Area
Opening Reception:	SkyView Rooms 5-6, on 26th Floor of Resort Tower Convention Area
340B University:	Gold & Silver Grand Ballrooms, Ground Floor Resort Tower Convention Area
GPO Breakouts:	Silver & Bronze Grand Ballrooms, Ground Floor Resort Tower Convention Area
Vendor-Exhibit Hall:	Event Center, on Ground Floor of Resort Tower Convention Area

Monday August 19

Attendee Check-In: 5:00pm to 7:00pm (foyer of SkyView Rooms 5/6); and Tuesday, August 20, from 7:15am to 8:15am (Grand Salon).

340B University event: 8:00am to 4:45pm, sponsored and hosted by the HRSA 340B Prime Vendor Program (PVP), managed by Apexus—one of NPPA's vendor-exhibitors. See link to register directly with Apexus on NPPA's home page of their website.

Opening Reception for Attendees: 5:00pm to 7:30pm, for dinner & dessert buffet with open bar and prize giveaways.

* Co-Sponsored by NPPA & Turbare Manufacturing (one of the vendor-exhibitors)

Tuesday August 20

Breakfast Provided (& Attendee Check-In): 7:00am to 8:15am.

Educational CE morning sessions: 8:20am to approximately 12:20pm.

Lunch Provided by NPPA: approximately 12:20pm to 12:50pm (TBD).

Vendor-Exhibit Hall: 1:00pm to 4:00pm.

Educational CE afternoon sessions: 4:10pm to approximately 6:10pm.

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Wednesday August 21

Breakfast Provided: 7:00am to 8:15am.

Educational CE morning sessions: 8:20am to approximately 11:15pm.

GPO Breakout Sessions: approximately 11:20am to 12:20pm.

Lunch Provided by NPPA: approximately 12:25pm to 12:55pm (TBD).

Vendor-Exhibit Hall: 1:00pm to 3:30pm

Educational CE afternoon sessions: 3:40pm to approximately 5:40pm (TBD).

Thursday August 22

Breakfast Provided: approximately 8:00am to 8:45am (exact start time still TBD).

Educational Sessions: approximately 8:45am to 12:15pm (TBD).

NPPA Closing Session: approximately 12:20pm to 12:45pm

Lunch Provided by NPPA: approximately 12:45pm to 1:30pm (TBD).

End of NPPA Conference: approximately 1:30pm (TBD).

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Timeslots for Educational Sessions are currently still TBD.

Pandemic Effects & Repercussions In Hospital Pharmacies

Dana Berryhill, DPh, BS, Pharmacy Director, Duncan Regional Hospital, Duncan, Oklahoma
Krista Reyes, LPN, Pharmacy Technician & Clinic Vaccine Coordinator, Duncan Regional Hospital, Duncan, Oklahoma

Hidden Dangers: Counterfeit Products Revealed In The Pharmacy Supply Chain

Ashley Moore, MBA, CPhT-Adv, 340B ACE, Senior Consultant for Spend Insights & Services, Vizient, Inc., Irving, Texas

◆ *Qualifies for Pharmacy “Law” CE requirement*

“Let’s Build a Pharmacy” – How Quality Improvement In Purchasing Saves Lives, Costs & Time!

Ashley Franzen, CPhT, Pharmacy Purchasing Coordinator, Mayo Clinic-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Sara Grieves, CPhT, Pharmacy Purchasing Coordinator, Mayo Clinic-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Susan Ramsdell, CPhT, Pharmacy Purchasing Coordinator, Mayo Clinic-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Opioid Reversal Agents & The Pharmacy Buyer’s Role In Preventing Overdose

Sarah Davis, CPhT, BS, MS Ed, 340B ACE, Consulting Director for Spend Insights & Services, Vizient, Inc., Irving, Texas

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Managing High-Cost Pharmacy Inventory While Staying 340B Compliant

Elizabeth Faust, MHA, 340B Purchasing Compliance & Optimization Specialist, Apexus, Irving, Texas

Mary Pollock, CPhT, Pharmacy Technician Specialist, Intermountain Health system, Salt Lake City, Utah

Compliance & Safety Requirements for USP Chapters 797 & 800 in Pharmacy

Kevin Dang, PharmD, MBA, Pharmacy Director, Arizona General Hospital (AZGH) in the Dignity Health system, Laveen, Arizona

♦ *Qualifies for Pharmacy "Law" CE requirement*

Pharmacy Technology & Automation

Angela Westdorp, CPhT, RPT, Pharmacy Technician Distribution Specialist, Sarasota Memorial Hospital, North Venice, Florida

Utilizing Attachment Theory To Manage Conflict & Improve Relationships Within Your Hospital Team

Margon Dillard, CPhT, Consultant, Linzer-Dillard Consulting, Richmond, Texas

Joshua Ward, PharmD, MBA, BCPS, Jozara LLC, Houston, Texas

Addiction In The Pharmacy Community

Sarah Davis, CPhT, BS, MS Ed, 340B ACE, Consulting Director for Spend Insights & Services, Vizient, Inc., Irving, Texas

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Cyber Security In Pharmacy

Fatimah Muhammad, DrPH (Doctor of Public Health), MPH, FHFMA, CRCR, CSBI, CSPR, Director of 340B Pharmaceutical Services & Drug Replacement, Saint Peter's University Hospital, New Brunswick, New Jersey

Reducing Drug Inventory Costs While Improving Patient Safety & Outcomes:

A Team Approach

Kelly Kline, CPhT-Adv, Inpatient Pharmacy Purchasing Agent, Atlantic General Hospital, Berlin, Maryland

◆ *Qualifies for Pharmacy "Patient Safety" CE requirement*

Streamlining Procurement: The Power of Centralized Pharmacy Purchasing

Mary Gilmer, PharmD, MHA, BCPS, DPLA, Director of Pharmacy Purchasing, Mayo Clinic Hospital-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Becca Jacobson, CPhT, Inpatient Pharmacy Purchasing Manager, Mayo Clinic Hospital-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Kim Simons, CPhT, Outpatient Pharmacy Purchasing Manager, Mayo Clinic Hospital-Midwest, Rochester, Minnesota

Little-Known Pharmacy Operational Issues Buyers Can Assist With To Make A Difference

Lyle Matthews, PharmD, MAM, former hospital Pharmacy Director & PIC (pharmacist-in-charge), Redlands, California

The Role of Certifications & Degrees for Pharmacy Technicians

Josie Quick, CPhT-Adv, CSPT, Senior Pharmacy Technician/Inventory Specialist, Sanford South University Medical Center, Fargo, North Dakota