

Critical Care



Julie Baldassarra, PharmD, BCPS

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Critical Care

Rotations:

AICU I and II

Education:

Doctor of Pharmacy: Drake University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Residency: PGY1: NorthShore University HealthSystem - Glenbrook Hospital

Practice Interests: Antimicrobial stewardship, neuroscience critical care



Arzo Hamidi, PharmD, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Critical Care

Rotations:

MICU I and II

Education:

Doctor of Pharmacy: VCU School of Pharmacy

Residency:

PGY1: Massachusetts General Hospital
PGY2 Critical Care: Duke University Hospital

Publications:

DOI: 10.1016/j.jcrc.2020.08.025
DOI: 10.1093/ajhp/zxab202
DOI: 10.1097/CCE.0000000000000367

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

Society of Critical Care Medicine

Practice Interests: Sepsis/septic shock, analgesia/sedation



Nick Hunt, PharmD, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Critical Care

Rotations: Cardiac ICU, Medical ICU, Neuroscience ICU, Surgical ICU

Education:

Doctor of Pharmacy: University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy, Twin Cities

Residency:

PGY1: Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

PGY2 Critical Care: Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

Publications:

DOI: 10.1177/1060028020988734

DOI: 10.1177/1060028020943569

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership: SCCM

Practice Interests: Neurocritical care, ECMO, sedation (particularly antipsychotic agents)



Monica Jandura, PharmD, BCPS

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Critical Care

Rotations:

NSICU I and II

Education:

PharmD: University of Iowa College of Pharmacy

Residency:

PGY1: Northshore University HealthSystem - Evanston Hospital

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership: ASHP, ICHP, NCS, SCCM

Practice Interests: Neurocritical care, surgical critical care



Bryan Menich, PharmD, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Cardiac Surgery ICU

Rotations: Cardiosciences ICU

Education:

PharmD: The Ohio State University, College of Pharmacy

Residency:

PGY1: Loyola University Medical Center

PGY2 Critical Care: Rush University Medical Center

Publications:

DOI: 10.1177/1060028019843664

DOI: 10.1177/0885066619843279

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

Society of Critical Care Medicine

Practice Interests: Cardiology (specifically heart failure, anticoagulation, and antiplatelet therapy following cardiac surgeries), ECMO



Paul O'Donnell, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Medical Intensive Care Unit

Rotations:

MICU I and II

Education:

University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy

Residency:

PGY1: Northwestern Memorial Hospital

PGY2 Infectious Diseases: Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Publications:

<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=HYEJLhEAAAJ&hl=en>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

SCCM – Vice Chair of Diversity & Inclusion Committee

Board of Pharmacy Specialties Critical Care Pharmacy Specialty Council –
Council Member & Chair

Practice Interests: Critical care, infectious disease, PK, HIV



Nicholas G. Panos, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP

Clinical Lead, Critical Care

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Neurosciences Intensive Care

Rotations:

NSICU I and II

Education:

PharmD: University of Illinois at Chicago

Residency:

PGY1: University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences Systems

Publications:

[Panos, Nicholas\[Author\] - Search Results - PubMed \(nih.gov\)](#)

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

Neurocritical Care Society, Society of Critical Care Medicine, American Society of Health System Pharmacists

Practice Interests: Neurocritical care, delirium, anticoagulation reversal, sedation and analgesia, multi-modal analgesia



Gigi Rechner-Neven, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Medical Intensive Care

Rotations: MICU I and II

Education:

PharmD: University of Illinois at Chicago

Residency:

PGY1: Rush University Medical Center

PGY2 Critical Care: Rush University Medical Center

Publications:

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/?term=georgeanna+rechner&sort=date&size=50>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership: SCCM, ACCP, ASHP

Practice Interests: Shock states and vasoactive agents, analgesia and sedation, ARDS, ACLS, emergency response



Alissa Shega, PharmD, BCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Cardiology

Rotations: Cardiac ICU

Education:

Doctor of Pharmacy: Ohio State University

Residency:

PGY1: Rush University Medical Center

PGY2 Cardiology: University of Chicago Medicine

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership: ACCP, ACC, ASHP

Practice Interests: advanced heart failure, mechanical circulatory support, acute coronary syndromes, cardiogenic shock/hemodynamics



Mary Jane Sullivan, PharmD, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Surgical Intensive Care

Director, PGY2 Critical Care Pharmacy Residency

Rotations:

SICU I and II

Education:

PharmD: Midwestern University Chicago College of Pharmacy

Residency:

PGY1: University of Chicago Medicine

PGY2 Critical Care: University of Chicago Medicine

Publications:

<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=Ev00YcsAAAAJ&hl=en&oi=sra>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership: SCCM, ASHP

Practice Interests: shock syndromes, anticoagulation, surgery and cardiovascular surgery, advancement of pharmacy residency programs



Carol DesLauriers, PharmD, DABAT

Assistant Vice President, Illinois Poison Center, Illinois Health and Hospital Association

Rotations:

Toxicology/Poison Center

Education:

PharmD: University of Illinois at Chicago

Residency: N/A

Publications:

https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/?term=DesLauriers+C&cauthor_id=31797705

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

American Association of Poison Control Centers (President-Elect)

American Academy of Clinical Toxicology

Illinois Council of Health Systems Pharmacists

Faculty, Toxikon Consortium Medical Toxicology Fellowship Program

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice, Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science

Adjunct Clinical Assistant Professor, College of Pharmacy

Affiliate Clinical Faculty, Southern Illinois University

Practice Interests: Pediatric unintentional ingestions, Emergency Response, Public Health, Poison Center Administration

Emergency Medicine



Stephany Nuñez Cruz, PharmD, BCPS

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Emergency Medicine

Rotations:

Emergency Medicine

Education:

Doctor of Pharmacy: University of Florida, Jacksonville, FL

Residency:

PGY1: Piedmont Columbus Regional, Columbus, GA

PGY2 Emergency Medicine: Rush University Medical Center, Chicago, IL

Publications:

<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=o4hKsmYAAAAJ&hl=en>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP)

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)

Practice Interests:

Emergency Medicine, resuscitation, neurology, arrhythmia, alcohol

withdrawal syndrome



Giles W. Slocum, PharmD, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Emergency Medicine

Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, Rush Medical College

PGY-2 Emergency Medicine Residency Program Director

Factor Stewardship Pharmacist

Rotations:

Emergency Medicine

Education:

Biology (BS): Iowa State University, Ames, IA

PharmD: University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

Residency:

PGY1: Swedish American Hospital, Rockford, IL

PGY2 Emergency Medicine: University of Rochester Medical Center,
Rochester, NY

Publications:

https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=0qwyllsAAAAJ&view_op=list_works&sortby=pubdate

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP)

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)

Practice Interests: Emergency medicine, hemophilia, toxicology

Pediatrics



Jessica L. Jacobson, PharmD, BCPS, BCPPS

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Pediatrics

PGY-2 Pediatric Residency Program Director

Rotations:

Pediatric Intensive Care Unit

Education:

PharmD: University of Illinois at Chicago

Residency:

PGY1: University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences System

PGY2 Pediatrics: University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences System

Publications:

<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=TTPx4HkAAAAJ&hl=en&oi=ao>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

Pediatric Pharmacy Association (PPA): member

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP): member

Practice Interests: Pediatric critical care, pediatric cardiology, pediatric sedation/analgesia, pediatric medication safety

Trauma



Kara Fifer, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP

Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Emergency Medicine

Rotations:

Trauma

Education:

PharmD: Butler University, Indianapolis, IN

Residency:

PGY1: St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ

PGY2 Emergency Medicine: Grady Health System, Atlanta, GA

Publications:

<https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=x8R9VXcAAAAJ>

Professional Organization Affiliations and Leadership:

American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP)

American Society of Health-System Pharmacist (ASHP)

Illinois Council of Health-System Pharmacists (ILHP)

Practice Interests: Emergency Medicine, Trauma, Stroke

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