

LICENSE SUMMARY**Period 12/1/23 – 2/29/24****PHARMACISTS**

2144 Current Total

11 New Licensees for period

License #	Last Name	First Name	City	State
R-7134	Sawlani	Aneesh	Schaumburg	IL
7133	Lewis	Ashley	Sioux Falls	SD
R-7132	Stewart	Debra	New Braunfels	TX
R-7131	Olsen	Katelyn	Lincoln	NE
R-7130	LE	TRAM	San Antonio	TX
R-7129	Myers	Kelli	Bethel Park	PA
R-7128	Morris	Phillip	Flatonina	TX
R-7127	Rada	Alexander	Charleston	SC
R-7126	Tiernan	Heather	Garden City	ID
R-7125	Cook	Donna	Morgantown	WV
R-7124	Imre	Nathan	Green Cove Springs	FL

FULL-TIME PHARMACY PERMITS

243 Current Total

0 New FT Permits for period

PART-TIME PHARMACY PERMITS

81 Current Total

1 New PT Permits for period

PHARMACY INTERNS

218 Current Total

5 New Registrations for period

TECHNICIAN REGISTRATIONS

1486 Current Total

88 New Registrations for period

NON-RESIDENT PERMITS

847 Current Total

16 New NR Permits for period

WHOLESALE PERMITS

1280 Current Total

18 New WH Permits for period

Activity Report	New	Renewal	Feb	Feb	YTD	YTD	
			2024	2023			This Year
Pharmacy Permits							
Full Time (SD)	0	0	0	0	4	4	
Part Time (SD)	0	0	0	0	2	6	
Non-Resident	6	3	9	4	78	60	

Pharmacist Licenses							
South Dakota	1	0	1	1	1316	1338	
Non-Resident	1	0	1	3	840	783	

Technician Registration	38	4	42	29	955	1739
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Pharmacy Interns	1	1	2	2	217	257
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Wholesale Permits							
South Dakota	0	1	1	0	43	45	
Non-Resident	7	9	16	15	1256	1289	

Inspections							
Pharmacy Inspections			27	16	177	229	
Wholesale Inspections			2	6	15	11	
Other Pharmacy Visits/Meetings			40	56	363	310	
Controlled Drug Destruction			0	0	0	0	
PDMP Visits			14	11	129	124	

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FY Remaining: 33.2 %

09209 Board of Pharmacy - Info						PCT
Subobject	Operating	Expenditures	Encumbrances	Commitments	Remaining	AVL
EMPLOYEE SALARIES						
5101010 F-t Emp Sal & Wages	633,577	308,454	0	0	325,123	51.3
5101020 P-t/temp Emp Sal & Wages	201,928	107,290	0	0	94,638	46.9
5101030 Board & Comm Mbrs Fees	2,310	840	0	0	1,470	63.6
Subtotal	837,815	416,584	0	0	421,231	50.3
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS						
5102010 Oasi-employer's Share	64,012	30,041	0	0	33,971	53.1
5102020 Retirement-er Share	21,877	23,185	0	0	-1,308	0.0
5102060 Health Insurance-er Share	87,659	54,983	0	0	32,676	37.3
5102080 Worker's Compensation	1,180	519	0	0	661	56.0
5102090 Unemployment Compensation	352	108	0	0	244	69.3
Subtotal	175,080	108,836	0	0	66,244	37.8
51 Personal Services						
Subtotal	1,012,895	525,420	0	0	487,475	48.1
TRAVEL						
5203010 Auto-state Owned-in State	3,229	2,486	0	0	743	23.0
5203020 Auto Priv (in-st.) L/rte	2,600	501	0	0	2,099	80.7
5203030 Auto-priv (in-st.) H/rte	6,000	4,365	0	0	1,635	27.3
5203040 Air-state Owned-in State	3,000	0	0	0	3,000	100.0
5203100 Lodging/in-state	7,479	1,836	0	0	5,643	75.5
5203140 Meals/taxable/in-state	1,679	476	0	0	1,203	71.6
5203150 Non-taxable Meals/in-st	2,000	1,186	0	0	814	40.7
5203220 Auto-priv.(out-state) L/r	200	114	0	0	86	43.0
5203230 Auto-priv.(out-state) H/r	1,600	0	0	0	1,600	100.0
5203260 Air-comm-out-of-state	10,000	0	0	0	10,000	100.0
5203280 Other-public-out-of-state	100	0	0	0	100	100.0
5203300 Lodging/out-state	9,900	2,602	0	0	7,298	73.7
5203320 Incidentals-out-of-state	652	246	0	0	406	62.3
5203350 Non-taxable Meals/out-st	900	560	0	0	340	37.8
Subtotal	49,339	14,372	0	0	34,967	70.9
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES						
5204010 Subscriptions	250	198	0	0	52	20.8
5204020 Dues & Membership Fees	500	175	0	0	325	65.0
5204050 Computer Consultant	258,067	341,660	26,501	0	-110,094	0.0
5204080 Legal Consultant	4,278	0	0	0	4,278	100.0

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5204140	Contract Pymts To St Agen	15,200	0	0	0	15,200	100.0
5204160	Workshop Registration Fee	6,500	3,148	0	0	3,352	51.6
5204180	Computer Services-state	15,622	24,743	0	0	-9,121	0.0
5204181	Computer Services-state	3,919	2,120	0	0	1,799	45.9
5204200	Central Services	6,951	5,297	0	0	1,654	23.8
5204202	Central Services	103	0	0	0	103	100.0
5204203	Central Services	103	0	0	0	103	100.0
5204204	Central Services	418	270	0	0	148	35.4
5204207	Central Services	3,638	4,396	0	0	-758	0.0
5204220	Equipment Serv & Maint	600	288	0	0	312	52.0
5204320	Audit Services-private	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	100.0
5204330	Computer Software Lease	500	285	0	0	215	43.0
5204360	Advertising-newspaper	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	100.0
5204430	Publishing	1,000	310	0	0	690	69.0
5204460	Equipment Rental	2,100	902	0	0	1,198	57.0
5204510	Rents-other	250	0	0	0	250	100.0
5204521	Revenue Bond Lease Payment	600	335	0	0	265	44.2
5204525		42,277	26,954	0	0	15,323	36.2
5204530	Telecommunications Srvc	5,200	3,596	0	0	1,604	30.8
5204550	Garbage & Sewer	400	0	0	0	400	100.0
5204590	Ins Premiums & Surety Bds	2,450	0	0	0	2,450	100.0
5204620	Taxes & License Fees	206,708	0	0	0	206,708	100.0
5204960	Other Contractual Service	392,878	74,282	0	0	318,596	81.1
Subtotal		972,512	488,959	26,501	0	457,052	47.0

SUPPLIES & MATERIALS

5205020	Office Supplies	4,300	8	0	0	4,292	99.8
5205040	Educ & Instruc Supplies	300	0	0	0	300	100.0
5205310	Printing-state	1,100	0	0	0	1,100	100.0
5205320	Printing-commercial	400	129	0	0	271	67.8
5205330	Supp. Public & Ref Mat	50	0	0	0	50	100.0
5205350	Postage	2,780	605	0	0	2,175	78.2
5205390	Food Stuffs	20	0	0	0	20	100.0
5205980	Procurement Card Purchase	100	0	0	0	100	100.0
Subtotal		9,050	742	0	0	8,308	91.8

CAPITAL OUTLAY

5207901	Computer Hardware	5,764	0	0	0	5,764	100.0
5207960	Computer Software	30,000	0	0	0	30,000	100.0

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Subtotal	35,764	0	0	0	35,764	100.0
52 Operating Subtotal	1,066,665	504,073	26,501	0	536,091	50.3
Total	2,079,560	1,029,493	26,501	0	1,023,566	49.2



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Approvals, Variances, and Pharmacy Changes for April 4, 2024 Board Meeting

Approvals

December 2023 – Rehabilitation and Critical Care Hospital of the Black Hills addition of AMDD

Variances/Waivers

1. February 2024 – Prairie Lakes Campus Pharmacy – approval of two remote pick up sites
2. April 2024 – Correct Rx Pharmacy Variance renewal for Pennington County Jail locations

New Pharmacies/Closed Pharmacies and New/Closed Wholesale Distributors

1. Closed - Joerns Wholesale, Elk Point 600-2565
2. NEW - Pharmerica Avantara St. Cloud, Rapid City, 200-1763
3. NEW - Sanford Rapid City Remote Pharmacy, Rapid City, 100-2097

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Carol Smith

Date	Destination	City	Purpose	PDMP/ Narc
1/2/24	RSV in Older Adults	Groton	Training	
1/3/24	Clearly State the Problem; Writing Effective Emails	Groton	Training	
1/4/24	Naloxone for SD Employees	Groton	Training	
1/5/24	History of Sterile Compounding	Groton	Training	
1/8/24	Use of Equip & Tech; Staging - Transport; PEC	Groton	Training	
1/9/24	State Address; Hand Hygiene; Envr monitor	Groton	Training	
1/10/24	Cleaning PEC; Cleaning SEC	Groton	Training	
1/11/24	Lori's Pharmacy	Groton	Inspection	PDMP
1/12/24	Material Handling; Use of Supplies, Components	Groton	Training	
1/16/24	Bacterial Endotoxin Test; Steam & Dry Heat Steril	Groton	Training	
1/17/24	Sterilization by Filtration, Math Modules	Groton	Training	
1/18/24	Understanding OUD, It's Tx & Related Stigmas	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
2/2/24	MPJE Writing Webinar	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
2/9/24	Lewis Family Drug #43	Aberdeen	Inspection	PDMP
2/9/24	Lewis Family Drug #32	Aberdeen	Inspection	PDMP
2/13/24	Avera Plaza Pharmacy	Aberdeen	Inspection	PDMP
2/14/24	Avera State Street Pharmacy	Aberdeen	NABP Non Sterile Cpd Inspection	PDMP
2/21/24	DOH All Staff Meeting	Groton	Meeting	
2/22/24	NADDI	Groton	Meeting	
2/26/24	Avera St. Luke's Hospital Pharmacy	Aberdeen	Inspection	
2/26/24	Sanford Medical Center Aberdeen	Aberdeen	Inspection	
2/29/24	Sanford Hospital Webster	Webster	Inspection	
2/29/24	Cornwell Drug	Webster	Inspection	PDMP
3/5/24	FDA Med Health Fraud & Avoiding Scams	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
3/6/24	DOH Strategic Planning	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
3/7/24	FDA DSCSA Webinar for State Regulators	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
3/21/24	Genoa Pharmacy	Huron	Inspection	PDMP
3/21/24	Coburn's Pharmacy	Huron	Inspection	PDMP
3/26/24	Navigating FDA's Drug Resources	Groton	Virtual Meeting	
3/27/24	Avantara Clark Continued Care LTC	Clark	Inspection	
3/27/24	Lewis Family Drug #57	Clark	Inspection	PDMP
3/28/24	Dosch Family Pharmacy	Eureka	Inspection	PDMP
3/28/24	Eureka Community Hospital Pharmacy	Eureka	Inspection	

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Lee Cordell

Date	Destination	City	Purpose	PDMP/ Narc
1/3/24	Cybersecurity Awareness	Mobridge	Training	
1/18/24	A&B Welding	Rapid City	Inspection	
1/18/24	Apria Health	Rapid City	Inspection	
1/18/24	Matheson Tri-Gas	Rapid City	Inspection	
1/18/24	Understanding OUD	Rapid City	Training	
1/25/24	Walgreens Bakken Park	Rapid City	Inspection	PDMP
1/25/24	Monument Ortho and Specialty Hospital	Rapid City	Inspection	
1/25/24	Monument Home + Specialty	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/2/24	Lakota Enterprises Wholesale	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/2/24	Plasic Surg Center RC	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/2/24	SD Human Services Center	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/8/24	Naloxone Training SD Learn	Mobridge	Training	
2/8/24	Meeting with Inspectors / Wholesale /Airgas	Mobridge	Training	
2/16/24	Monument Home Infusion	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/16/24	Monument Hospice AMDD	Rapid City	Inspection	
2/16/24	Family Fare Pharmacy	Rapid City	Inspection	PDMP

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Tyler Laetsch

Date	Destination	City	Purpose	PDMP/ Narc
1/3/24	SDSU Intern Call	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
1/8/24	NABP Pulse Update	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
1/9/24	HHS Cannabis Webinar	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
1/10/24	Lewis Southwest	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/16/24	Lewis MB2	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/18/24	Lewis Ellis Rd	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/18/24	NABP OUD Webinar	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
1/22/24	Sam's Club	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/23/24	Lewis Meeting on Donated Drug Program	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/25/24	Pharmerica	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/26/24	Lewis 600 S Cliff	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/29/24	Walgreen's Minn Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/30/24	Walgreen's Cliff Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/31/24	Lewis Phillips Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
1/31/24	NASCA Webinar	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
2/1/24	Sanford Canton-Inwood	Canton	Inspection	
2/1/24	Haisch Pharmacy	Canton	Inspection	PDMP
2/2/24	NABP MPJE Writing Webinar	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
2/6/24	Lewis	Brandon	Inspection	PDMP
2/6/24	Brandon Pharmacy	Brandon	Inspection	PDMP
2/7/24	Helget Gas	Sioux Falls	Wholesale Inspection	
2/7/24	Walgreen's Sertoma Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
2/8/24	Encompass	Sioux Falls	Inspection	
2/9/24	Animal Health	Sioux Falls	Inspection	
2/9/24	Complaint Call with British Columbia Insp.	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
2/12/24	NABP Pulse Update	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
2/12/24	SDBOP call with BFM	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
2/12/24	Hy-Vee Cliff Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
2/13/24	SDPhA Legislative Days Meeting	Pierre	Meeting	
2/14/24	SDPhA Legislative Days Meeting	Pierre	Meeting	
2/21/24	Lewis Madison St.	Sioux Falls	Opening Inspection	PDMP
2/22/24	Hy-Vee	Hartford	Inspection	PDMP
2/22/24	Salem Drug	Salem	Inspection	PDMP
2/23/24	Continued Care Pharmacy	Sioux Falls	Inspection	
2/27/24	PDG DSCSA Workshop	Washington, D.C.	Meeting	
2/28/24	PDG DSCSA Workshop	Washington, D.C.	Meeting	
2/29/24	Siouxland Surgical Center #1	Dakota Dunes	Inspection	
2/29/24	Siouxland Surgical Center #2	Dakota Dunes	Inspection	
2/29/24	Lewis Family Drug	Elkpoint	Inspection	PDMP
3/1/24	Hy-Vee Central Fill	Sioux Falls	Inspection	
3/4/24	CVS Highline	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/4/24	Lewis Madison St.	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/5/24	Lewis Family Drug	Tea	Inspection	PDMP
3/6/24	DOH Contracting Webinar	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
3/6/24	NABP DSCSA for States	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
3/12/24	Scotland Pharmacy	Scotland	Inspection	PDMP
3/12/24	Landman-Jungman Memorial Hospital	Scotland	Inspection	
3/12/24	Norm's Thrifty White	Freeman	Inspection	PDMP
3/13/24	Lewis Westgate	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/13/24	Select Specialty Hospital	Sioux Falls	Inspection	
3/19/24	SD Drug Shortage Steering Committee	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
3/19/24	Avera Specialty	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/20/24	Avera St. Benedict Hospital	Parkston	Inspection	
3/20/24	Parkston Drug	Parkston	Inspection	PDMP
3/21/24	Lewis	Watertown	Inspection	PDMP
3/21/24	Hy-Vee	Watertown	Inspection	PDMP
3/25/24	DOH Meeting for Dispensing in Clinics	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
3/25/24	NABP Pulse Update	Sioux Falls	Virtual Meeting	
3/27/24	Sanford Oncology Clinic Pharmacy	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP

3/27/24	Walgreens Kiwanis Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/28/24	Avera Dermatology	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP
3/28/24	Walmart Louise Ave	Sioux Falls	Inspection	PDMP

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Melissa DeNoon

Date	Destination	City	Purpose	PDMP/ NARC
1/3/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Sioux Falls	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
1/3/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/4/24	Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee	Sioux Falls	Biannual Meeting	PDMP Update Presentation
1/4/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Co-Chairs Meeting	
1/9/24	NASCSA	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
1/10/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/11/24	PMIX Executive Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/16/24	NASCSA Data Integrity Subcommittee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/17/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Sioux Falls	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
1/17/24	NASCSA Finance Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/18/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/18/24	DOH OD2A-S Grant Teams	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/22/24	Rural OUD Advisory Board	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/24/24	NASCSA & Affected State PDMPs	Sioux Falls	BJA HR Grant Issues Meeting	
1/24/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/25/24	DSS SOR DTB	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/25/24	SD Naloxone SSO - DSS, Indivior, BOP	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
1/30/24	NADDI	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
1/30/24	TTAC	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
1/31/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Sioux Falls	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
1/31/24	NASCSA	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
2/7/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/8/24	PMIX Executive Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/12/24	PDMP Masked Extracts Analysis - Susan P	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/12/24	NASCSA Finance Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/14/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Sioux Falls	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
2/15/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Co-Chairs Meeting	
2/15/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/21/24	DOH All Staff	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/21/24	PMIX Technical Architecture Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/21/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/23/24	Bamboo Health Tableau Team	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
2/26/24	Rural OUD Advisory Board	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
2/27/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Greenville, SC	Mid-Year Meeting	
2/28/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Greenville, SC	Mid-Year Meeting	
2/28/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Greenville, SC	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
2/29/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Greenville, SC	Mid-Year Meeting	
3/1/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Greenville, SC	Mid-Year Meeting	
3/4/24	NASCSA Finance Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/6/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/7/24	SDSU COP P2 Law Class	Brookings	PDMP Presentation	PDMP Presentation
3/8/24	Bamboo Health	Sioux Falls	All-Client Meeting	
3/12/24	NASCSA Website Team	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/12/24	NASCSA	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
3/13/24	Bamboo Health & PDMP Staff	Sioux Falls	Bimonthly CRM Meeting	
3/13/24	DOH Contract Attorney	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
3/13/24	NASCSA & Affected State PDMPs	Sioux Falls	BJA HR Grant Issues Meeting	
3/13/24	NASCSA Executive Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/14/24	PMIX Executive Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/14/24	RxCheck Governance Board	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/19/24	DEA - Tiffany Lilla	Sioux Falls	Office Introduction Visit	
3/19/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Co-Chairs Meeting	
3/19/24	NASCSA Data Integrity Subcommittee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/20/24	PMIX Technical Architecture Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/20/24	PDMP FHIR Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/21/24	NASCSA PMP Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/21/24	DOH OD2A-S Grant Teams	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
3/21/24	PDMP TTAC Compliance Group	Sioux Falls	Meeting	

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Kari Shanard-Koenders

Date	Destination	City	Purpose	PDMP/Narc
01/03/24	Meeting with Howard Palotta on Open Records Request	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/03/24	Meeting with Dr. Heinz SDSU on International Students	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/03/24	Touch Base with Exec Dir/Secy - Secy Magsadt	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/04/24	Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/08/24	NABP Pulse Champions Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/09/24	Gov Noem State of the State	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/09/24	HHS' Cannabis Rescheduling Recommendation: A Long Strange Trip with Potholes	Sioux Falls	Moderate Webinar	
01/16/24	NASCSA Education Committee	Sioux Falls	Chair	
01/22/24	Rural OUD Advisory Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/23/24	The State of the Anti-Vaccine Movement	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
01/23/24	Meeting With Lewis Staff on Drug Donation Program	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/24/24	BJA PDMP Grant Discussion	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/25/24	Meet with DSS Team and Indivior on Opvee addition to standing order	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/26/24	NABP Monthly Executive Officers Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
01/31/24	Controlled Substance Management in Veterinary Medicine 101	Sioux Falls	Moderate Webinar	
02/02/24	MPJE Item Development Training	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/07/24	NABP Regulatory Affairs Staff Meeting re Funding	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/07/24	Touch Base with Board Exec Dir/Secy	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/08/24	Guest Lecture at P2 Law Class with Dr. Klompenburg	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/09/24	Meeting with British Columbia, Canada Investigators re: Marks Marine Pharmacy in BC	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/12/24	NABP Pulse Champions Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/12/24	Meeting with BFM on Rules	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/13/24	Meet with NABP Regulatory Affairs staff	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/13/24	Legislative Days Pierre	Pierre	Meeting	
02/14/24	Legislative Days Pierre	Pierre	Meeting	
02/14/24	Meet with Jim Stephens, view telepharmacy operation	Pierre	Meeting	
02/15/24	NABP Monthly Executive Officers Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/20/24	Jodi Heins, Tyler, meeting on foreign students APPE Info	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/21/24	DOH All Staff Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/21/24	NASCSA Education Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/26/24	Rural OUD Advisory Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/26/24	Maria Piacento HPAP Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
02/27/24	NASCSA Webinar "Everything you wanted to Know about E-Prescribing but were afraid to Ask"	Sioux Falls	Webinar and Moderate	
02/27/24	Linda Young, Meg Hanson Review Board Manual Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/12/24	Tianeptine and Other "Gas Station" Substances of Concern	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
03/13/24	Contracts 100 by Howard Palotta	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
03/13/24	BJA PDMP Grant Discussion	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
03/14/24	BFM Meeting on Fiscal Note	Sioux Falls	Webinar	
03/18/24	Andrew Funk NABP Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/19/24	South Dakota Drug Shortage Jurisdictional Risk Assessment Steering Committee Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/19/24	Tiffany Lilla DEA Diversion meeting with Melissa, Tyler, Me	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/25/24	NABP Pulse Champions Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/25/24	Rural OUD Advisory Committee	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/27/24	USGLC America's Global Leadership: What's It Worth to South Dakota?	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/27/24	Board Touch Base	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
03/29/24	Monthly NABP Executive Officer Call	Sioux Falls	Meeting	
04/04/24	Board of Pharmacy Meeting	Sioux Falls	Meeting	

South Dakota Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Update

April 4, 2024

What's New at the SD PDMP?

- SD's BJA FY 21 Harold Rogers PDMP Grant – budget resubmission in progress
- PharmaDrop Drug Take-Back Program – Lewis Drug #17 in Sioux Falls on order and Jackrabbit Pharmacy on SDSU's campus has requested a receptacle – with these two new sites, the total number of participating SD pharmacies will increase to 96

Presentations Given/Events Attended

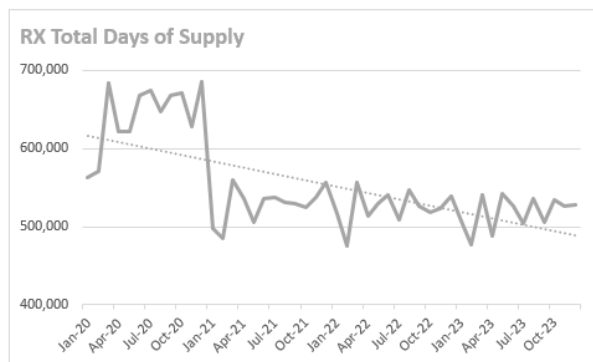
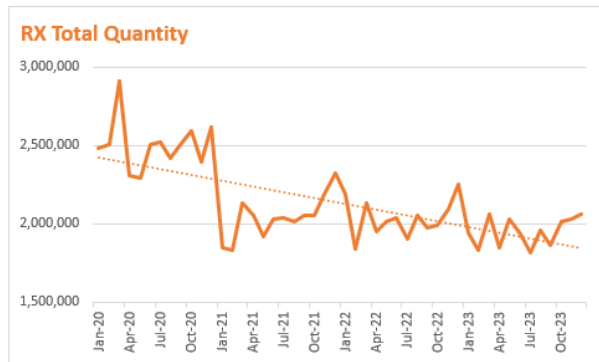
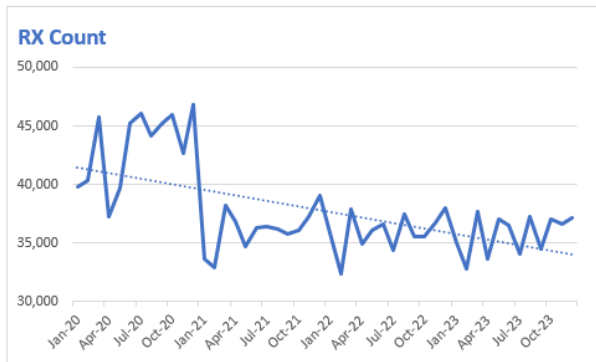
- Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee – SD PDMP Update
- NASCSA Executive Committee Mid-Year Meeting – Greenville, SC
- SDSU College of Pharmacy P2 Law Class – Brookings – SD PDMP Presentation

Upcoming Events

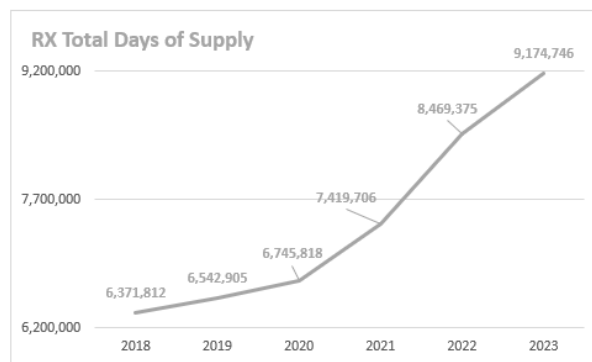
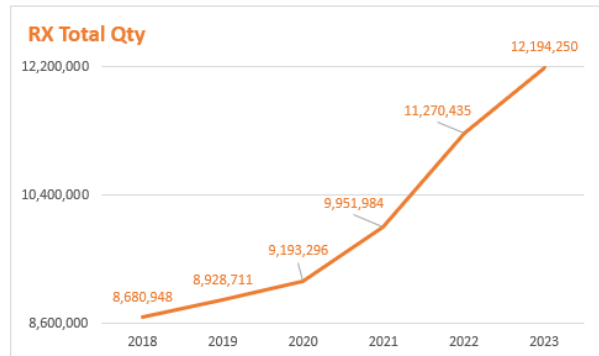
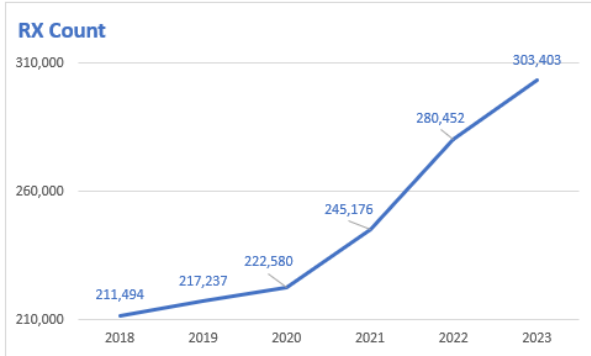
- SDSHP Annual Conference – April 5 – Sioux Falls
- TTAC PDMP Administrators' National Meeting – May 7-9 – San Antonio, TX

PDMP Stats

Opioid RXs to SD Patients



Stimulant RXs to SD Patients



SOUTH DAKOTA PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION REPORT

*Presented to the South Dakota Board OF Pharmacy
Submitted March 26, 2024*



2024 LEGISLATIVE SESSION AND POLICY INITIATIVES

99TH LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Both chambers have now adjourned sine die for the 99th Legislative Session. It was a busy one for the South Dakota Pharmacists Association and the Commercial and Legislative Branch (the legislative arm of SDPhA), but not always in the traditional sense. Much of our work this legislative session focused on what the future might look like as a whole for the association, as well as our lobbying branch. However, we of course monitored several bills of consequence to the profession and engaged where appropriate. You can find all the bills we monitored and took a position on in the [Action Center](#) on our [website](#). Select the [“Bills” tab](#) for the complete list.

HB 1168 – MANDATED DISPENSING

SDPHA C&L Branch led the charge in opposition to this unnecessary, mandated dispensing bill. On Tues., Feb. 6 the House Health and Human Services Committee heard [HB 1168 – An Act to Require the Dispensing of Drugs Prescribed for an Off-Label use During a Public Health Emergency](#). We strongly opposed this dispensing mandate which not only undermined our ability to practice pharmacy but could have also resulted in significant patient harm. You can listen to SDPhA President [Jessica Stobl’s opposition testimony here](#). The committee voted unanimously to send the bill to the 41st legislative day, which effectively kills the bill. Thank you to all those who reached out to members of the House Health Committee. It matters when they hear from you.

HB 1147 – 340B PROTECTIONS

SDPhA C&L Branch joined with the South Dakota Association of Healthcare Organizations (SDAHO), Sanford and Avera in support of [HB 1147 – Address Discriminatory Acts Against Entities Participating in the 340B program](#). HB 1147 was first heard in the House Commerce Committee Wed., Feb. 7. The bill builds upon language we first passed in 2019 and adds actual and consequential damages for violation of the law. The bill sailed through both chambers with only one dissenting vote. Gov. Kristi Noem signed it into law Mon., March 4. Typically bills become effective July 1 of the calendar year they were signed, but this one is effective beginning Jan. 1, 2025 as stated in the language of the bill. You can listen to the testimony, including ours, in both the [House Commerce](#) and [Senate Health and Human Services](#) Committees by clicking the links.

SB 100

[SB 100: Prohibit the Imposition of Additional Immunization Requirements on Children](#) was one of a handful of vaccine related bills this year. We were among several opponents to the legislation which, among other things, would have essentially removed the South Dakota Department of Health from the scheduling process. You can [listen here to all the testimony](#), including ours. SB 100 was deferred to the 41st legislative day in the Senate Health and Human Services Committee by a vote of 5-1.

OTHER KEY BILLS

There were several other bills of consequence we monitored with great interest, including the [annual scheduling bill](#), which had some unusual intrigue this year of including a drug not on the current updated federal schedule – because it was missed some 40 years ago! Also [HB 1028](#) which classifies xylazine as a Schedule III controlled substance (signed into law Tues., Feb. 13), and [HB 1125](#) which addresses chemical modification of industrial hemp (delta-8 tetrahydrocannabinol, delta9 tetrahydrocannabinol, delta-10 tetrahydrocannabinol, or any other tetrahydrocannabinol isomer, analog, or derivative) and the sale or distribution of it. A bill making all that a Class 2 misdemeanor was delivered to Gov. Noem for her signature Mon., March 4. SB 198 was a constituent bill (that means it was brought forward by a legislator at the request of a constituent) that authorizes schools to acquire and administer nasal glucagon. That bill too now awaits the Governor’s signature. SB 76 which modifies provisions pertaining to vacant board provisions was signed into law Tues., March 5. This bill is important for any profession regulated by a board. Finally SB 57, billed as Gov. Noem’s “Second Chance Bill” caused most professional associations (including ours) some heartburn, but in the end was signed into law Wed., Feb 7. We also closely monitored a handful of medical marijuana and appropriations bills. Again, the full list is available [here](#).

LEGISLATIVE DAYS | FEB. 13-14

I’ve said it many times in recent months, but I truly am not sure there has ever been a more pivotal time for all pharmacists, technicians, and students to be involved in the association, and the work we do. At the federal and state level – I’m not sure there has been a more important time in the recent history of this profession for you to be informed, aware, and active in the promoting, protecting, and advancing of it. This holds true no matter your practice setting. It is also true that no matter your practice setting, SDPhA represents you. But to do that to the best of our ability, it is important that you engage with us.

Legislative Days is a prime opportunity to do just that, and we can’t say enough about the incredible crew (30 SDSU student pharmacists!) that brought a lot of excitement and energy to the Capitol this year. The event is a fantastic opportunity to show a much broader range of the great work you all do each day. It’s also a unique chance for students to hone their skills by providing screenings, while also having the option to sit-in on various committees, and venture onto the House and Senate floors to meet their lawmakers.

We can’t stress enough the impact Legislative Days has on our legislators. While the students certainly get people’s attention, Legislative Days is an opportunity for ALL pharmacists to make their presence, and our issues, known. If you haven’t been here to experience it yourself, mark your calendars for next year, Feb. 11-12, and plan to join us in Pierre! We’re putting a new spin on a familiar event, and you don’t want to miss it!

STATE PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES

DRUG SHORTAGE TASK FORCE

The South Dakota Department of Health is currently analyzing the state’s drug shortage situation and has partnered with ASHP Consulting to complete an assessment of the vulnerability of the hazard of drug shortages and recommend best management practices to mitigate risk to the citizens of South Dakota. This project is in response to the Governor’s [Executive Order 2023-07](#). The next step is forming a steering committee to guide planning for the risk assessment, action plan and a one-day summit. Executive Director Amanda Bacon will participate in this process, as will Jessica Strobl,

SDPhA President, and Sarah Andersen, SDPhA At-Large Member. The steering committee met for the first time March 19, and will continue throughout the Spring, culminating in a one-day summit in Pierre in May. Stakeholders include people from various pharmacy practice settings as well as state agencies.

HB 1135 IN ACTION

With HB 1135 now the law in South Dakota, our focus for now is on assessing how it works in practical application for regulating Pharmacy Benefit Managers (PBMs). In the months that followed HB 1135 becoming law, SDPhA went to work with the South Dakota Division of Insurance (SD DOI) on the process and procedure for filing complaints and violations of the new law. We thank the DOI for bringing us to the table early and often in this process. We worked with them to create an intake form that is simple and direct, yet comprehensive.

As a reminder, here are the highlights of the bill:

- **Prohibit direct or indirect retroactive claim adjustments** unless it's the result of a technical billing error, audit, fraudulent or duplicate claim. (Section 13)
- **Prohibit the numerous onerous fees** PBMs charge pharmacies. (Section 14)
- **MAC list regulation** to help ensure pharmacies are paid fairly and transparently. (Sections 15-16)
- **Prohibit a PBM from reimbursing its own pharmacies more** than it does other resident South Dakota pharmacies (Section 17)
- **Strengthens gag clause prohibition** (Section 10)

In addition, the bill strengthens audit (Section 4, 7) and reporting (Section 18) requirements for PBMs (including identifying all instances of spread spicing) and establishes the conditions under which the Division of Insurance may suspend, revoke, or deny a PBM's license (Section 19).

One very important note – it is incumbent upon us to report issues and they occur and provide the proper documentation regarding. Complaints need to be reported **IN WRITING** via the form. A phone call to the DOI is not going to initiate the process. The Division has also hired an investigator and a pharmacist, but the process is new for everyone, and we are committed to taking the time to work through any issues that arise with the process as we go. You can find a link to the complaint form, and a host of other resources on our new webpage devoted exclusively to [PBM and Payer Resources](#).

NATIONAL PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES

PBM INITIATIVES

While we are pleased with the strides we have made here at home on PBM reform, we continue to engage at the national level as well. There are very few issues for which you will find bipartisan support on Capitol Hill, but reining in PBMs has been one of them. Even so – the PBM reform bills we've fought for so hard on the Hill for the past many months may now get pushed to the lame duck session of Congress. Even so, it's important that our delegation hears from you. They need to know, loud and clear, that time for reform is **NOW**, and that the future of (especially independent) pharmacy in South Dakota is truly on the line. Failure to finish the job on these reforms in this Congress is a huge win for the PBMs, and huge loss for South Dakota patients and pharmacies.

We've spent most of our time on this engaging with the office of Sen. John Thune R-SD, on this issue. Sen. Thune has played a particularly important role as a member of the Senate Finance Committee, and we appreciate his strong show

of support for South Dakota pharmacy. When you reach out – especially when you reach out to him, it’s really important to thank him for the leadership and hard work that he’s put in on this issue.

Key provisions include:

- Requirements for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to define reasonable and relevant contract terms under Medicare Part D and create a process for pharmacies to report contract violations.
- Provisions to give CMS the tools to enforce reasonable and relevant contract requirements.
- Boost oversight of pharmacy benefit managers before the bill is implemented, especially regarding DIR hangover issues.

SOUTH DAKOTA ATTORNEY GENERAL JOINS CALL FOR ACTION ON PBMS

South Dakota Attorney General Marty Jackley [recently joined a coalition of 39 Attorneys General](#) in urging Congress to reform the current practices conducted by pharmacy benefit managers (PBMs). The bipartisan coalition of Attorneys General have sent a letter to both the U.S. Senate and the U.S. House seeking legislative action to address potential abuses within the PBM industry and bring transparency to the profession.

"Consumers in South Dakota are being forced to pay higher drug prices because of certain unscrupulous PMBs, and smaller pharmacies across South Dakota are being hurt by these PMBs' actions," said Attorney General Jackley in a press release. "Congress needs to take decisive action to protect the public."

DIR HANGOVER | CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES

The CMS final rule to, “put an end” to PBMs retroactive DIR fees went into effect Jan. 1, 2024. The rule requires DIR fees be reflected in the negotiated price the patient pays at the point of sale. So, the rule does not remove DIR fees, but instead moves them to the point-of-sale negotiated price. The fee reform is a huge cashflow shift that’s having a major impact on pharmacy. We’re helping our national partners track the impact. If you have stories you’re willing to share on this critical issue, please contact the association office.

ADDITIONAL ADVOCACY EFFORTS

SDPhA also remains engaged in a variety of ways in other various additional national efforts on key topics directly impacting our pharmacists such as: TRICARE Pharmacy contracts, COVID-19 advocacy, provider status, reproductive health care, pricing transparency, DSCSA, improvements to Medicare, prescription drug misuse and abuse, biologics and biosimilars, and compounding guidance.

SDPHA GENERAL AND COMMERCIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCH FUNDS

We continue all this work while also working through some major changes at the Association. SDPhA was handed a tough blow at the December 2023 South Dakota Board of Pharmacy (SD BOP) meeting. It was at this meeting the board voted to rescind their vote from June 2023 to send SDPhA the 80% of the pharmacist renewal license fees as per SDCL 36-11-6.

The BOP finds itself in financial difficulty, and this is also now the position we find the Association in as a result.

Via [SDCL 36-11-6](#), pharmacists renewing their license in South Dakota are SDPhA members (you can opt out should you

choose). Here's the history –years ago, the SD BOP and the Association were run out of the same office, by the same executive. When the offices separated, the funding mechanism became essentially what we know now – that a portion of the pharmacist renewal fees may go to the association as detailed in the statute referenced above.

Funds that come to SDPhA through those fees go into the SDPhA General fund and are used in accordance with our obligations as outlined in that statute. Primarily this includes day-to-day operations, continuing education, funding the Health Professionals Assistance Program (HPAP) and other initiatives that advance patient care, enhance public awareness, and serve in the best interest of public health and pharmacy.

These funds are not to be used for lobbying, which is why we maintain a separate Commercial and Legislative Fund. That fund sustains the lobbying arm of SDPhA. The reality is, to ensure the profession has a seat at the table, first and foremost, the Association needs the funds in the general fund to even exist. (While we have some reserves, like you, SDPhA can't operate without its main source of income for very long.) Second, we must have the funds in the C&L Fund to pay for the chair.

We appreciate the BOP's efforts to work toward solutions and hope to find a resolution that allows SDPhA to continue the good work the legislature has tasked us to do.

One more quick note about lobbying: this is an extremely expensive, but necessary function. We have been represented by the same firm for decades, and the executive director also performs many lobbying duties. That has all kept our rate extremely low. Before the past three years, our lobbying expenses typically totaled about \$12,000 per year. Even then, expenses far outpaced contributions.

For the past few years, we have needed additional lobbyists, which means expenses have increased dramatically. We have spent an average of \$33,000/year for the past three years. Those costs will only continue to increase, yet they remain far below the going rate for most lobbyists. As we continue to work through PBM and other significant issues, we foresee the need to move forward with all four lobbyists in an effort to protect the profession.

Thus far (8 months) into the 2023-2024 fiscal year, contributions are minimal. Simply put, we need your help. \$25, \$250, \$2,500 – whatever you can contribute will help ensure the profession continues to have representation at the Capitol. Because without your contributions – it simply won't.

You can support the C&L Fund by [contributing online](#), or sending a check made out to the SDPhA C&L Branch, PO Box 518, Pierre, SD 57501.

SPRING AND ANNUAL MEETINGS

SPRING DISTRICT MEETINGS

Spring District meetings are underway! Please watch your emails, the website and social media for dates and instructions. This spring meeting is the most important district meeting of the year, as the fall meeting is optional. Many important items need to be addressed, including the future of SDPhA, election or re-election of district officers; nominations for the state association board of directors; and the recognition and nomination of worthy pharmacists, reps and technicians to be considered by the Executive Board for the awards presented at our annual meeting. Our district presidents are working hard to ensure these meetings provide quality networking and learning opportunities, in addition to everything mentioned above. Our thanks to our district leaders for all your hard work!

SOUTH DAKOTA PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING | SEPT. 13-14, 2024

Early bird registration opens late Spring for the 138th annual meeting. Plan to join us Sept. 13-14 in Brookings, SD - and be ready for ACTION! We already have several fantastic speakers and continuing education topics on deck, plus we're providing more networking opportunities than ever this year, while of course honoring our colleagues and celebrating pharmacy in South Dakota! We'll have registration information out soon!

NATIONAL COMMUNITY PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION (NCPA) AND NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF STATE PHARMACY ASSOCIATIONS (NASPA)

In October, Amanda Bacon and Jessica Strobl, SDPhA President attended the annual NCPA Meeting in Orlando Florida. This was the first national meeting attended in person for Bacon since before COVID. NCPA provided great learning opportunities, both in terms of CE, and advocacy. This organization was extremely helpful in our efforts the last 2 years to pass PBM legislation. It was great to be able to finally say an in-person thank you to those who worked so hard for us. The NASPA meeting was also time very well spent. While we meet often via Zoom – just like with our state association meeting – it's just different when you are all together in the room. The networking and insight gained about the work in other states is extremely important, especially ahead of our legislative session.

AMERICAN PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION (APHA) ANNUAL MEETING

To conserve funds, SDPhA will have only one representative at the APhA Annual Meeting this year. Jessica Strobl, SDPhA President attended in late March and served as South Dakota's lone delegate in the APhA House of Delegates. NASPA will hold its semi-annual meeting in conjunction with APhA. Unfortunately, there's no virtual option for Amanda Bacon to attend.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE AND AWARENESS

DEA TAKEBACK EVENTS

The Spring DEA Take Back Day is April 27, 2024. There's a wealth of [information available here](#) about this event, including law enforcement information, year round disposal locations, take back day results since 2016 and more! We continue to work to encourage pharmacist and law enforcement participation in these locally held events. We also continue to work with pharmacists and the BOP to promote the year-round pharmaceutical disposal receptacles. If you have a story you'd like to share about either to aid in that promotion, please contact our office.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM

SDPhA has strongly supported the PDMP since its inception and remains a solid supporter of the program. However, we also firmly believe that the Board of Pharmacy, and therefore our pharmacists should not have to bear the entire burden of funding this program. We have committed to the Governor's office, as well as the BOP to help work to find a sustainable funding source for the PDMP that makes sense for all stakeholders.

The Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP) is an excellent resource for practitioners. South Dakota state law mandates PDMP registration for everyone who has a SD Controlled Substance Registration (SD CSR). While the Board of Pharmacy is the entity managing the program, an advisory board was established under the law which consists of at least twelve (12) designees. Jessica Strobl serves on SDPhA's behalf on the advisory board and attended the Oct. 17

meeting. The group makes recommendations to the Board of Pharmacy as to how to best use the program to improve patient care and reduce the misuse, abuse, or diversion of controlled substances. The advisory council also makes recommendations to the Board regarding safeguards for release of information to only persons who are entitled access to maintain the confidentiality of program information.

SOUTH DAKOTA OPIOID ABUSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

This committee met most recently on Jan. 4, 2024. The next meeting should be held this summer. SDPhA Past President Kristen Carter continues to represent SDPhA. The goal of the group is to review opioid use data for the state and develop strategies for preventing prescription opioid misuse and abuse. According to the National Institute on Drug Abuse, researchers have observed increases in substance abuse and drug overdoses since the COVID-19 pandemic was declared a national emergency. Nationwide, pharmacists continue to engage in the work to prevent prescription drug abuse with the knowledge that real solutions must balance the need for patient access to medications for legitimate medical purposes with the need to prevent diversion and abuse. You can learn more about their work here:

<https://doh.sd.gov/news/opioid.aspx>.

HEALTH PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (HPAP)

As part of our obligations under statute as noted above, SDPhA pays the bill for the HPAP program. We do this each year at the beginning of the fiscal year, and after an affirmative Board of Pharmacy vote on SDCL 36-11-6. Therefore, upon receiving the affirmative vote in June of 2023, we paid that bill in July of 2023 (we did see a decrease in the billing for FY 2023-2024 from \$20,000 to \$15,000.) However, in the December vote to rescind the June vote means the money to fund that program had come out of SDPhA reserves.

A pharmacist may access the program by self-referral, board referral, or referral from another person or agency, employer, coworker, or family member.

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN UNIVERSITY (PTU) (UPDATE)

The SDPhA board is committed to strongly supporting pharmacy technicians, including finding them, training them, and keeping them. We know this is becoming an even more pressing issue now than perhaps ever before.

SDPhA is pleased to continue to offer low-cost access to this online training module. We are nearing the end of our current contract, and given the current financial circumstances, the SDPhA Board will have to weigh whether we can continue to offer this program and such a reduced cost.

In the past 5 years, SDPhA has now enrolled roughly 180 participants. We are also thrilled to report a record-tying 15 student participants enrolled in the DIAL Virtual Program for the 2023-2024 school year. The DIAL program works with high schools throughout South Dakota. We have seen a very exciting increase in the number of students enrolled through Oglala Lakota in particular. We appreciate the pharmacists who have stepped up in communities across the state to work with the DIAL program and these students. This is an exceptional opportunity to introduce the profession into the school systems, and we are grateful for everyone working together who makes it happen.

Just a reminder, the Therapeutic Research Center - PTU 101 module we administer qualifies as a PTCB-Recognized Education/Training Program of the CPhT program, and upon completion, allows participants to sit for the certification exam. In addition to PTU 101, we now offer four additional training modules through TRC:

- PTU Elite: Immunizations
- PTU Elite: Math Mastery – Community Pharmacy
- PTU Elite: Compounded Sterile Preparation Technician Program
- PTU Elite: Soft Skills Program.

You can find out more about those on our website. For more details and enrollment information, contact Amanda Bacon.

EDUCATION, COMMUNICATION, PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND PROFESSIONAL RELATIONS

CONTINUING EDUCATION

The Association continues to focus on providing quality continuing education for practitioners, as we are tasked with in statute. SDPhA continues to work with the SDSU College of Pharmacy to bring you interesting continuing education opportunities at the annual convention and throughout the year. We have also been engaged from time to time to assist pharmaceutical companies in getting the word out on local opportunities for informative programs.

REACHING OUT

The Association prepares and delivers Legislative and Association Updates, CE and pharmacy-related information at Fall and Spring district meetings, in addition to delivering a variety of educational programs at each Annual Convention. The Association continues to work with student pharmacists on the American Pharmacists Month campaign, which helps bring awareness to the state about all pharmacists can do, and how patient care is improved with a pharmacist engaged. SDPhA previously provided SDSU students a grant for, and continues to assist with, pieces related to the, “More Than a Count” campaign. This campaign showcases the profession and SDPhA utilizing traditional and social media platforms to engage both pharmacists throughout the state as well as members of the general public.

THE SOUTH DAKOTA PHARMACIST

Communicating with our members quickly and effectively is extremely critical to the success of the Association. The South Dakota Pharmacist continues a quarterly electronic distribution. You can also find it posted with past issues on our website. It always offers 1.5 hours of CE and provides a source of communication for the association on rules, legislative issues and education that affect pharmacy practice.

WEBSITE UPDATES

The website continues to expand and grow as a resource for the public and those in the profession. Recent changes include and new [PBM and Payer Resource](#) page, and updates to the [Pharmacist Wellbeing](#) resource.

We continue to see even greater utilization of the new and improved [Action Center](#). Last year, we contracted with a new vendor service for this area – half the price of the old, and a product better suited to our website and how our pharmacists communicate with their lawmakers. The new process is clearly a success, and we’re excited about the customization this platform offers, and how it enhances our communication and messaging opportunities! If you have information you think we should consider adding to our pages to make it even more useful for you – please let us know!

SOCIAL MEDIA/EMAIL BLASTS

Enhancing communication will take center stage in 2024. Expect to see more from us in all the areas – as we work to really drill down into the best methods of communication for our pharmacists, technicians, and students. We continue to utilize and expand our social media footprint where appropriate. This presence is something we consider vital to our work of representing the pharmacy profession through advancing patient care, enhancing public awareness, and serving in the best interest of public health and pharmacy.

SCAPP | SDSU APHA – ASP CHAPTER

We continue to work closely with SDSU, and the student pharmacists. The student liaisons do an amazing job keeping us apprised of activities, and the SDPhA board remains committed to supporting the students in every way possible. In fact, this year the board voted to continue the increased dollar amount of SDPhA scholarships to SDSU students. Support also includes activities such as convention attendance (free of charge), rooms for convention and Legislative Days, and support for the Back-to-School Picnic, Pharmacy Days, and American Pharmacists Month activities. We believe these activities are an incredible investment in your association's future. The student pharmacists worked extremely hard to assist us with the 2023 meeting, volunteering for everything from running the registration table to creating slide shows and providing technical support through the conference. We couldn't appreciate them more! We also remain a resource for faculty whenever needed and collaborate on projects whenever possible.

SOUTH DAKOTA SOCIETY OF HEALTH SYSTEM PHARMACISTS (SDSHP)

We are extremely excited about the work we have undertaken with SDSHP of late. For the past several years, the leadership of the Society and SDPhA have found more and better ways to work together and enhance communication. We are extremely pleased to have had Khia Walzer, SDSHP president provide updates at SDPhA board meetings for the past quarter, and likewise, we are honored to participate in the SDSHP board meetings in the same fashion. SDPhA also attends the ASHP advocacy calls.

ASSOCIATION MANAGEMENT APPE

We were pleased to welcome Tara Jorgensen for an APPE in Association Management late this summer. Tara started with us in August and stayed through the convention. We appreciate the opportunity to work with student pharmacists who want to take a deeper dive into this unique field of management, learning the day-to-day operations, the complexities of running an association, and the many aspects unique to associations and legislative work. Tara got a very honest picture of the balancing act of a one-person association office. Rotations prior to convention offer a unique look at how we lay the groundwork for legislation, work through the process of legislative summer studies, and plan conventions—and what happens when it all changes on a dime. As always, we look forward to the opportunity to work with more students in the future.

OFFICE UPDATE

We are at a pivotal point for so much in the profession of pharmacy, and the actual existence of the association. My colleagues around the country agree – in a time where we see waning engagement, there's never actually been a more important time to be informed, aware, and active in the promoting, protecting, and advancing of the profession. It's worth the reminder that no matter your practice setting, SDPhA represents you. But to do that to the best of our ability, it is important that you engage with us. Make time to attend SDPhA district meetings, and the annual one, too. Get involved with us on social media and email your state and federal lawmakers. There is a lot happening, both in our state,

and nationwide, that you need to know, and should have a voice in. We are your voice – so make sure you show up to amplify it, and ensure the message is heard.

Respectfully submitted,
Amanda Bacon,
SDPhA Executive Director

SD Pharmacists Association
Revenue & Expenses Budget vs. Actual
July 1, 2023 through February 12, 2024

	Jul 1, '23 - Feb 12, 24	Budget	% of Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
Unrestricted Grants	1,500.00	0.00	100.0%
Administrative Income	1,114.68	0.00	100.0%
Membership			
SD Board of Pharmacy Transfer	0.00	200,000.00	0.0%
District Dues			
District 7 - Sioux Falls	260.00	0.00	100.0%
District 5 - Mobridge	10.00	0.00	100.0%
District 4 - Mitchell	10.00	0.00	100.0%
District 2 - Black Hills	100.00	0.00	100.0%
District 1 - Aberdeen	100.00	0.00	100.0%
Total District Dues	480.00	0.00	100.0%
Student Membership	1,032.00	1,000.00	103.2%
Total Membership	1,512.00	201,000.00	0.8%
Corp Endorsements			
NASPA-PQC Endorsement	0.00	300.00	0.0%
Career Center Endorsement	222.20	0.00	100.0%
PAAS Endorsement	66.00	200.00	33.0%
PMG Endorsement	10,795.00	14,000.00	77.1%
Total Corp Endorsements	11,083.20	14,500.00	76.4%
Interest/Dividends	16,914.21	2,500.00	676.6%
Convention Income			
PhRMA Education Grant	1,000.00	0.00	100.0%
Convention Sponsor	27,500.00	30,000.00	91.7%
Exhibitors	25,905.00	7,000.00	370.1%
Registrations	9,800.00	14,000.00	70.0%
Student Sponsorship	75.00	0.00	100.0%
Total Convention Income	64,280.00	51,000.00	126.0%
Total Income	96,404.09	269,000.00	35.8%
Gross Profit	96,404.09	269,000.00	35.8%
Expense			
American Pharmacists Month	2,520.00	2,500.00	100.8%
Accounting/Tax Prep	2,405.33	5,000.00	48.1%
Salary & Benefits			
Payroll Taxes	4,347.75	6,770.25	64.2%
Payroll Expense	32.09	50.00	64.2%
Executive Director	44,333.38	76,000.00	58.3%
Executive Director Bonus	12,500.00	12,500.00	100.0%
Insurance	9,208.00	14,472.00	63.6%
Retirement	3,410.00	5,310.00	64.2%
Total Salary & Benefits	73,831.22	115,102.25	64.1%
Advertising	1,744.09	3,000.00	58.1%
Dues/Subscriptions	2,314.88	5,000.00	46.3%
Technology/Net/Software	5,766.92	10,000.00	57.7%
Furniture/Copier/Assets	1,620.22	2,300.00	70.4%
Hlth Professionals Assist Prog	15,000.00	15,000.00	100.0%
Insurance (D&O, Office)	5,152.00	4,500.00	114.5%
Legal/Professional	3,629.39	5,000.00	72.6%
Merchant Card Fees	1,250.71	1,000.00	125.1%
Phone/Internet	2,929.54	5,000.00	58.6%
Postage	160.28	250.00	64.1%
Office Supplies	2,217.63	1,500.00	147.8%
Publications & Printing (Exp)			
Journal	2,222.72	4,000.00	55.6%
Total Publications & Printing (Exp)	2,222.72	4,000.00	55.6%

SD Pharmacists Association
 Revenue & Expenses Budget vs. Actual
 July 1, 2023 through February 12, 2024

	Jul 1, '23 - Feb 12, 24	Budget	% of Budget
Scholarships	2,100.00	2,000.00	105.0%
Rent	2,328.00	4,700.00	49.5%
Board Travel & Meetings	4,505.32	20,000.00	22.5%
Staff Travel			
In-State	1,455.52	5,000.00	29.1%
Out-of-State	3,872.59	6,000.00	64.5%
Total Staff Travel	5,328.11	11,000.00	48.4%
Convention Expense	33,494.80	35,000.00	95.7%
Misc Expense	180.00	500.00	36.0%
Total Expense	170,701.16	252,352.25	67.6%
Net Ordinary Income	-74,297.07	16,647.75	-446.3%
Other Income/Expense			
Other Income			
PTU Pass Thru Income	8,734.00	0.00	100.0%
Total Other Income	8,734.00	0.00	100.0%
Other Expense			
PTU Pass Thru Exp	7,640.38	5,000.00	152.8%
Total Other Expense	7,640.38	5,000.00	152.8%
Net Other Income	1,093.62	-5,000.00	-21.9%
Net Income	-73,203.45	11,647.75	-628.5%

SD Pharmacists Association C & L
Revenue & Expenses Budget vs. Actual
July 1, 2023 through February 12, 2024

	<u>Jul 1, '23 - Feb 12, 24</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
Income			
C & L Income	7,405.25	53,000.00	14.0%
Interest	2,304.68	0.00	100.0%
Total Income	9,709.93	53,000.00	18.3%
Expense			
C & L Expenses	47,870.00	53,000.00	90.3%
Total Expense	47,870.00	53,000.00	90.3%
Net Income	-38,160.07	0.00	100.0%

SDSHP Updates – Khia Walser

1. SDSHP Annual Meeting is April 5-6, 2024, at the Holiday Inn City Centre in Sioux Falls, SD. We will be having a social in the evening on Friday night and encourage all those in the area to join.
2. SDSHP Board of Directors will be working on our strategic plan for upcoming year with key priorities with technicians, organizational finances and member engagement.
3. We are proud to honor Dr. Tom Johnson and Dr. Tadd Hellwig with the recognition of Fellows of SDSHP for all of their positive contributions to our organization, pharmacy within the state of South Dakota. They have donated and worked tirelessly advancing our profession for many years and we appreciate their dedication to the profession!
4. We are proud to recognize Dr. Steffanie Danley with SDSHP Pharmacist of the Year as well as JoAna Flannagan-Zens as the SDSHP Technician of the Year.
5. We are also proud to recognize Dr. Glenn Voss as our Gary Karel Lecture Award winner for his service and commitment to the profession of pharmacy throughout his career!

From: Clemens, Lisa <Lisa.Clemens@SanfordHealth.org>
Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2022 9:49 AM
To: Shanard-Koenders, Kari <Kari.Shanard-Koenders@state.sd.us>
Subject: [EXT] tech check tech at Sanford

Hi Kari,

I hope this finds you well!

In September 2020, we received approval from the SD Board of Pharmacy to implement a technician check technician for only our cefazolin batched syringes. We have not implemented the program in our pharmacy due to staffing issues. I would like to begin implementing if staffing allows and add more to the list for our technicians to check. Do I need approval from the Board again for the cefazolin checking since it was not implemented, and do I need separate approval to add more items to the list?

Thank you so much!

Thank you,

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Re: Board Rule 20:51:29:20

Dear Members of the South Dakota Board of Pharmacy:

We would like to request a continuance of our variance to SD Rule 20:51:29:20 at its Pharmacy Fulfillment Center in Sioux Falls, SD, which would allow us pharmacist verification by-pass. This variance request is in response to the use of automated mechanical distribution devices (AMDD) to provide the labeling, counting, and capping of applicable prescriptions in a fully automated process using Parata Express Robots. Hy-Vee utilizes a pharmacist verification process, canister replenishment/verification by a pharmacist, quality assurance procedures, industry standard safety procedures and an ongoing evaluation process to ensure patient safety while using the MDS. The AMDD used in Hy-Vee's Central Fill Pharmacy is of high quality and extremely accurate to ensure patient safety.

The physical verification for the prescription drug for the AMDD is focused on the replenishment and filling of the individual canisters. To also verify each individual item would greatly decrease the ability of the facility to process prescriptions medications and in turn decrease their ability to service stores in an effective manner. Compliance with SD Rule 20:51:29:20 would remove the efficiencies that render the Central Fill Pharmacy operationally viable. The safety measures laid out further in the application provide an extensive view of the measures already in place to ensure that an individual check of each item is not necessary.

The rule intends to ensure the verification of each product dispensed out of AMDD. Since a similar verification process takes place when the AMDD canisters are replenished and filled, the need for an individual check of each item that is filled from these canisters is not necessary.

There are many safety measures in place for this system. First, the AMDD system interface requires an exact NDC number (or other unique drug identifier) match to select the proper drug, strength, and manufacturer for replenishing in the canister. Without an exact match between the drug requested and drug stocked in the robotic system, the operating software will not allow the canister to be replenished. If the pharmacist or technician would attempt to scan an incorrect bottle during the replenishment process, an error code would lock the station requiring a pharmacist to physically inspect the machine and correct the error before proceeding.

Further, AMDD includes a scale which is precisely calibrated for the identified drug in the related canister. The drugs that are dispensed from the canister are then weighed on the scale. The AMDD will detect a drug that does not meet the weight requirement and such an error would also require pharmacist intervention to correct the problem. Additionally, as an added safety measure, a photograph of the pills that are placed in a canister and every prescription that is filled by the AMDD is taken and recorded. Finally, a pharmacist physically verifies the first prescription filled out of a filled/refilled canister. If the pharmacist detects any errors through this physical verification process, the pharmacist immediately stops the AMDD process to identify the cause of the error, document the error, correct the error, and take measures to prevent the error from occurring in the future.

This variance request was also submitted to the Iowa Board of Pharmacy and was approved for Hy-Vee central fill sites filling prescriptions for Iowa patients. The Nebraska Board of Pharmacy does not require a variance for this at this time.

Thank you for the opportunity and consideration of extension of our variance. I look forward to presenting this information to the board at their April 4th, meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

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March 19th, 2024

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Re: Hy-Vee Pharmacy Fulfillment Center's 2024 Q1 Error Report

Hy-Vee Pharmacy Fulfillment Center (SD License #100-2084) respectfully submits our Quarter One Error Report for 2024. This will encompass dates ranging from January 1st – March 15th. All prescriptions dispensed through our Automatic Distribution Dispensing System (ADDS) from the Hy-Vee Pharmacy Fulfillment Center are monitored through the Pharmacy Quality Commitment Program, which is a platform of APMS. These errors or potential errors are reflected in the error report. The report for this quarter is listed below.

Errors that reached the patient are specifically highlighted as well.

Q1 2024 Errors/Near Misses

Total Scripts filled: 180,899
Logged Events: 295

Q1 2024 Reached Patient

- Three errors in total reached the patient or potentially reached the patient.
 - The first item was a prescription for BD Syringes that was picked for an incorrect quantity and subsequently approved by a pharmacist at verification incorrectly. The remaining quantity was sent to the store the next day.
 - The next item was an order containing two prescriptions. The bag arrived at the pharmacy with the 2 bottles, but was missing a monograph. The store reprinted the monograph and took care of the patient. The pharmacy support staff was re-educated on the potential delays in printing and the importance of waiting until all the monographs have been printed prior to assembly of the package.
 - The last item was for Free-Style Sensors. Our staff dispensed one box when the prescription was written for 3 boxes. The store took care of the patient and the product was replaced to the store on the next delivery.
- All staff directly involved in the errors were directly counseled and retrained where necessary.

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Error Summary/Proactive Training Measures:

Of the total prescriptions filled; on 3 occasions, the store claimed that they did not get the prescription. One of two things could happen here; the store did get the prescription but failed to accurately sort the prescription. The other is that the prescription did get put into another sites tote. In all instances, the store got the prescription ready for the patient locally.

The focus of the Hy-Vee Pharmacy Fulfillment Center in Sioux Falls remains on the three areas of Incorrect Quantity at Unit of Unit, Sortation Errors, and Packing errors. We have retrained staff at sortation; as well as having two support staff employees verify the total quantity of orders going out. There have also been updates made to the software that indicate the product is “COLD” and this is in large, blue font.

There was also a great amount of emphasis put on the staff that every error, even a near miss, must be reported. This would include missed refills in central processing, incorrect provider, wrong directions or days supply, as well as omittance of Med-Guides at packing and sorting.

Hy-Vee continues to remain vigilantly focused on improvements to error reduction within our pharmacies wherever possible. Please let us know if you have any questions on the contents of the quarter’s data. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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[EXT] Hy-Vee Technician Pilot



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To Shanard-Koenders, Kari

Cc Nelson, Angie; Hudek, Charles; Sioux Falls 4 - Pharmacy Manager

Retention Policy 2 Year Delete (Default) (2 years)

Expires 03/22/2026



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Copy of South Dakota Technician Immunization Data Collection Combined 2020.xlsx
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The board approved at the October 2021 Board of Pharmacy meeting a pilot project to allow technicians to provide all types of immunizations in the pharmacy setting, outside of HHS PREP Act guidance. For this purpose, the board approved the variance to the following rules ARSD §§ 20:51:28:02.01, 20:51:29:20, & 20:51:29:21(6) to allow for Technician-Administered Immunizations. This variance was extended for another year at the March 2023 meeting. We are requesting an extension for another year.

Attached are the technician immunization numbers:

- We have 22 technicians trained to administer vaccine and CPR certified at 10 Hy-Vee sites in South Dakota
- Hy-Vee Pharmacies gave a total of 48,598 immunizations with technicians giving 9,959 from March 2022 through February 2023.
- Technicians have given 20 % of the vaccines given at Hy-Vee Pharmacies in South Dakota
- There were no refusals from patients.
- There were no adverse events recorded.

This program provided a great benefit to our pharmacies and pharmacists serving the public during the pandemic and beyond.

- 1) Allowed for an increase in Covid-19 testing
- 2) We continue to administer Covid-19 vaccines.
- 3) We have experienced an increase in demand for other vaccines, such as RSV and Shingrix with new Medicare coverage mandates.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	45	12	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	37	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	120	23	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	115	73	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	95	30	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	34	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	27	10	0	0
Vermillion	47	3	0	0
Watertown	76	15	0	0
Yankton	15	1		
	611	167	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	41	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	30	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	130	37	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	63	12	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	69	30	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	30	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	31	19	0	0
Vermillion	35	2	0	0
Watertown	104	8	0	0
Yankton	85	5		
	618	113	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	52	19	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	42	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	129	32	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	101	31	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	51	15	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	35	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	40	29	0	0
Vermillion	73	22	0	0
Watertown	90	20	0	0
Yankton	70	11		
	683	179	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	48	12	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	78	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	85	33	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	89	15	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	72	30	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	34	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	62	43	0	0
Vermillion	53	0	0	0
Watertown	79	22	0	0
Yankton	83	20		
	683	175	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	31	20	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	31	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	75	5	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	48	5	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	50	25	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	12	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	33	20	0	0
Vermillion	32	0	0	0
Watertown	80	19	0	0
Yankton	68	30		
	460	124	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	34	25	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	30	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	55	19	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	29	8	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	49	21	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	13	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	29	18	0	0
Vermillion	18	0	0	0
Watertown	63	16	0	0
Yankton	54	6		
	374	113	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	39	22	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	65	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	75	23	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	77	12	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	58	12	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	19	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	54	38	0	0
Vermillion	53	0	0	0
Watertown	87	15	0	0
Yankton	60	6		
	587	128	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	679	298	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	905	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	985	386	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	1109	292	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	1089	100	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	398	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	714	503	0	0
Vermillion	328	0	0	0
Watertown	924	107	0	0
Yankton	441	13		
	7572	1699	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	1942	856	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	2570	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	2100	938	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	2311	255	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	2592	200	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	1112	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	1795	997	0	0
Vermillion	1171	0	0	0
Watertown	2703	253	0	0
Yankton	1871	0		
	20167	3499	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	1130	513	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	1482	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	1330	350	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	1242	281	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	1391	340	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	482	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	878	673	0	0
Vermillion	426	0	0	0
Watertown	1435	92	0	0
Yankton	1160	0		
	10956	2249	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	562	370	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	537	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	426	171	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	366	162	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	513	45	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	200	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	288	189	0	0
Vermillion	325	0	0	0
Watertown	612	24	0	0
Yankton	473	0		
	4302	961	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	132	89	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	191	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	144	87	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	178	78	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	195	81	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	110	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	149	103	0	0
Vermillion	67	0	0	0
Watertown	193	52	0	0
Yankton	187	0		
	1546	490	0	0

Location	Total Vaccinations by Pharmacy	Total Vaccinations by Techs	Refusal of Vaccination by Tech from Patient	Total Number of Adverse Events
Brookings	69	54	0	0
Sioux Falls #1	75	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #2	60	46	0	0
Sioux Falls #3	72	45	0	0
Sioux Falls #4	73	30	0	0
Sioux Falls #5	42	0	0	0
Sioux Falls #6	51	43	0	0
Vermillion	54	0	0	0
Watertown	66	11	0	0
Yankton	88	0		
	650	229	0	0



Lewis Family Drug, LLC Long Term Care Pharmacy Technician Product Verification Policy and Procedure

- Purpose

1. Improve patient care by expanding technical roles of certified pharmacy technicians
2. Advance the role of certified pharmacy technicians
3. Reallocate pharmacist time to the provisions of clinical services and participation in direct patient care activities

- Policy

Lewis Family Drug Long Term Care will participate in technician product verification (TPV), by which a certified and properly trained pharmacy technician assists authorized pharmacists by providing technology-assisted medication product verification.

Lewis Family Drug was given a variance by the South Dakota Board of Pharmacy to utilize TPV within its practice on XX/XX/XXXX and authorization will be extended annually after inspection by the South Dakota Board of Pharmacy.

- Definitions

- Product Verification Pharmacy Technician
 - National Certification
 - Technician's National PTCB CPhT Certification shall be current
 - South Dakota Registration
 - Technician's South Dakota license shall be up-to-date and not currently subject to any disciplinary charges or sanctions
 - PTCB TPV Certificate
 - Technician must earn his TPV Certification after completion of PTCB-Recognized Technician Product Verification Education/Training Program
 - Lewis Drug Inc. will reimburse any and all costs associated with training and testing for this certification.
 - Additional Requirements
 - At least 4 years OR 12,000 hours of experience as a certified pharmacy technician, whichever is greater
 - At least 2000 hours of experience related to the practice of long-term care pharmacy
 - Displays interest in administrative and leadership roles at the discretions of chief and staff pharmacists.
- Program Supervisor
 - Registered pharmacist in the state of South Dakota whose license is up-to-date and not currently subject to any disciplinary charges or sanctions
 - Person responsible for upholding and maintaining integrity of program by performing outlined audits and overseeing training program
 - Readily available to answer questions and provide direction when technician is performing product verification
 - Assumes primary responsibility for verifying technician



- Authorized Pharmacist
 - Registered pharmacist in the state of South Dakota whose license is current and unrestricted
 - Assumes responsibility for verifying technician in the absence of program supervisor

Individuals accepting the duty of technician product verification are fully responsible and accountable for the technician's work. If neither Program Supervisor nor an authorized pharmacist are on-duty, the program may not operate.

- Procedure

- Training
 - Technician must obtain a PTCB TPV Certification
 - Practical training must be completed with Program Supervisor
 - Program Supervisor will perform product verification on 1000 prescriptions - ensuring to discuss key verification points, opportunities for error, and commonly occurring errors
 - Completion of "Technician Product Verification Training Checklist"
- Validation
 - Must be completed prior to independent product verification by technician
 - Technician will be responsible for verifying 2000 prescriptions in 10 sessions. Sessions must be completed within a 90-day period.
 - Each session will have artificially introduced errors which are to be tracked by Program Supervisor to ensure removal prior to delivery
 - The number of artificially introduced errors will vary from 10 to 15 to help ensure testing integrity
 - Technician must obtain a 99.8% accuracy rate to pass initial validation
 - Failure of passing initial validation will result in re-initiation of program training
 - Completion of "Technician Product Verification Validation/Re-Validation Form"
- Quality Assurance
 - Monthly audits will be conducted consisting of 150 prescriptions but will be submitted and reviewed with technician each quarter
 - Program Supervisor will verify all products originally checked by technician to access for accuracy during this audit
 - Accuracy rate below 99.8% will result in failure of quality assurance and technician will be subject to re-initiation of program training
 - Completion of "Technician Product Verification Quality Assurance Form"
- Re-Validation
 - Must be completed annually
 - Technician will be responsible for verifying 1000 prescriptions in 5 sessions. Sessions must be completed within a 30-day period.
 - Each session will have artificially introduced errors which are to be tracked by Program Supervisor to ensure removal prior to delivery
 - The number of artificially introduced errors will vary from 5 to 10 to help ensure testing integrity
 - Technician must obtain a 99.8% accuracy rate to pass re-validation



- Failure of passing re-validation will result in re-initiation of program training
- Completion of “Technician Product Verification Validation/Re-Validation Form”

- Medications

- Included Medications
 - Refill Medications - Refills of prescriptions previously verified by a pharmacist are eligible for technician product verification
 - Automated Dispensing Medications - Medications filled through automated dispensing, SynMed, are eligible for technician product verification.
- Excluded Medications
 - Controlled Substances - Scheduled medications, CII-CIV, are not eligible for technician product verification and must be verified by a pharmacist
 - New Prescriptions - First fills of prescriptions, including renewals, are not eligible for technician product verification and must be verified by a pharmacist

The technician has the right to refuse to perform a task if he believes that he is not qualified or additional training is required.

- Safeguards

- Barcode technology
- Inventory Groups
- Refill Numbers
- Controlled Medications
- Pharmacy software limits

- Error Reporting

- Any and all errors resulting from the program will immediately be reviewed by the Program Supervisor and associated technician.
- Errors will be reported to Lewis Drug Inc. by completion of the Medication Incident and Discrepancy Report Form per company policy.
- Errors will be documented on associated quarter’s “Technician Product Verification Quality Assurance Form”

The technician will be subject to re-training in the incidence of more than two errors between quarterly audits.

- Record Retention

- Records of validation, audits, re-validation, and errors will be maintained in the pharmacy and available upon request for inspection by the South Dakota Board of Pharmacy for 5 years.
- All records will be submitted to the South Dakota Board of Pharmacy as instructed.



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Lewis Family Drug, LLC Long Term Care
Pharmacy Technician Product Verification
Policy and Procedure



Technician Product Verification Training Checklist

Pharmacy Technician:

Completion Date:

Re-Validation Date:

Checklist:

- Obtain National PTCB CPhT Certification
- Register with South Dakota Board of Pharmacy as a Certified Pharmacy Technician
- Completion of PTCB-Recognized Technician Product Verification Education/Training Program
- Obtain PTCB TPV Certificate
- Meet Program Eligibility
 - At least 6 years OR 12,000 hours of experience as a certified pharmacy technician, whichever is greater
 - At least 2000 hours of experience related to the practice of long-term care pharmacy
- Complete Practical Training with Program Supervisor
 - Technician will observe Program Supervisor verify 1000 prescriptions
 - Program Supervisor will re-verify 1000 prescriptions initially verified by Technician
- Complete Initial Validation Process with at least 99.8% accuracy
Please see Technician Product Verification Validation/Re-Validation Form

Program Supervisor:

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Authorized Pharmacists:

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Name:

Signature:

Date:



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Technician Product Verification Quality Assurance Form

Pharmacy Technician:

Quarter and Year:

Quarterly Accuracy Rate:

Accuracy rate below 99.8% will result in failure of quality assurance and technician will be subject to re-initiation of program training

Date	Number of Medication Audited	Number of Errors	Monthly Accuracy Rate	Auditing Pharmacist

Comments:

Pharmacy Technician Signature:

Date:

Program Supervisor Signature:

Date:



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Technician Product Verification Quality Assurance Form - Error Reporting

Pharmacy Technician:

Quarter and Year:

Date	RX Number	Introduced Error	Caught By	Error Type	Description of Error

Error Types:

1. Wrong Medication
2. Wrong Strength
3. Wrong Patient
4. Wrong Quantity
5. Data Entry/Typing Errors
6. Other



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Technician Product Verification Validation/Re-Validation Form

Pharmacy Technician:

Initial Validation Date:

Validation Period Accuracy Rate:

Re-Validation Date:

Accuracy rate below 99.8% will result in failure of quality assurance and technician will be subject to re-initiation of program training

Date	Number of Medication Audited	Number of Errors	Session Accuracy Rate	Auditing Pharmacist

Comments:

Pharmacy Technician Signature:

Date:

Program Supervisor Signature:

Date:



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