



PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Residents' Major Projects

Class	Resident	Major Project
2017-18	Shiela McCollam	Pneumocystis pneumonia prophylaxis with intravenous pentamidine in adult allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplant patients
2017-18	Kerry Moore	Safety of early prophylactic anticoagulation in blunt liver and splenic injuries grade 3 and above: does early prophylaxis deliver better results?
2017-18	Nikki Mulligan	Tobramycin AUC monitoring in pediatric and adult patients with cystic fibrosis
2017-18	Jerika Nguyen	Incidence of neurobehavioral side effects associated with levetiracetam and phenytoin in traumatic brain injury patients
2017-18	Emmanuel Njigha	Integration of Computerized Provider Order Entry with a Parenteral Nutrition Automated Compounding System: A prospective, single center study
2016-17	Asha Birmingham	Intranasal tranexamic acid for the treatment of acute nosebleed
2016-17	Linda Blake	Intermittent versus continuous infusion of tacrolimus for the prevention of graft-versus-host disease in hematopoietic stem cell transplant patients with acute leukemia
2016-17	Calvin Diep	Effect of high vs low intensity heparin drip anticoagulation for bridging in atrial fibrillation/flutter
2016-17	Amanda Kurtti	Assessment of current practice and development of a guideline for ECG monitoring in hospitalized oncology patients at risk for drug induced prolonged QTc intervals.
2016-17	Jenny Shroba	Secondary Prophylaxis with Oral Vancomycin to Prevent Recurrence of <i>Clostridium Difficile</i> infections among Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant Patients Receiving Systemic Antimicrobial Agents
2015-16	Brian Buss	Evaluation of the need for <i>Candida spp.</i> coverage in upper gastrointestinal perforation
2015-16	T. Mark Egbuka	Ambulatory Pharmacy Billing
2015-16	Megan Feeney	Achieving ventricular rate control using intravenous metoprolol compared to intravenous diltiazem in patients taking chronic beta-blocker therapy.
2015-16	Marissa Hom	Proton Pump Inhibitor Use in Cardiothoracic Surgery Patients
2015-16	Jordan Miller	Current practice in managing febrile neutropenic patients with cefepime intolerance
2014-15	Alex Heyliger	Assessment and optimization of current dosing practice for tacrolimus and cyclosporine for prevention of graft-versus-host disease in obese patients
2014-15	Christina Kowalewska	Frequency and Characteristics of Patients Receiving Anticoagulation Therapy on Discharge to Hospice Care
2014-15	Patricia Kuang	Achieving ventricular rate control using intravenous metoprolol in beta-blocker naïve patients versus patients on chronic beta-blocker therapy
2014-15	Gary Lau	Prospective characterization of CINV/severe nausea in oncology patients receiving chemotherapy
2014-15	Jake McFarland	Unfractionated heparin infusion dosing in obese patients
2014-15	Eleni Shenk	The Incidence of Respiratory Depression in Trauma Patients with an elevated ETOH level Receiving Pain Management
2013-14	Mary Lou Cheng	Impact of emergency department pharmacists on clinical interventions and time to antibiotic administration in the pediatric emergency department
2013-14	Jamie Dozier	Evaluation of Factors Associated with Non-Therapeutic International Normalized Ratios (INR) in Patients who have Undergone Left Ventricular Assist Device (LVAD) Placement (FAST INR)
2013-14	Melika Jafari	Inhaled aztreonam versus inhaled tobramycin on exacerbation rates in Cystic Fibrosis Patients
2013-14	Aaron Pham	Methotrexate Monitoring in the Neuro-Oncology Patients
2013-14	Amber Streifel	Risk factors for nephrotoxicity in patients treated with vancomycin through an outpatient parenteral antimicrobial therapy (OPAT) program
2013-14	Audrey Wagner	Antiretroviral Medication Safety in a Large Teaching Hospital
2012-13	Christopher Adams	<i>Coagulase-negative staphylococcus</i> vancomycin minimum inhibitory concentrations: a metric for patient outcomes
2012-13	Ryan Markham	Developing a sustainable, proactive model for pharmacy inventory management
2012-13	Sara McFarland	HIV Antiretroviral Error Reduction at an Academic Medical Center
2012-13	Anuj Thirwani	<i>Clostridium difficile</i> infection at an academic medical center - development of a treatment algorithm
2011-12	Shannon Buxell	Medication Reconciliation in Pre-Surgery Clinic
2011-12	Tammy Chan	Development and Implement a Patient Counseling Program
2011-12	Robert Osten	Measuring Pharmacist Impact in Transition of Care Model from Inpatient visit to Outpatient/Clinic Visit
2011-12	Joshua Pecoraro	Bone Marrow Transplant Discharge Counseling
2011-12	Natalie Vuylsteke	Assess the Need for an Antimicrobial Stewardship Program in Pediatrics and Develop the Program
2010-11	Evelyn Handel	Optimizing Pharmacist Intervention Documentation, Tracking, and Reporting within an Electronic Medical Record
2010-11	Tess Nishida	A Comparative Study of Intravenous versus Oral N-acetylcysteine for Prevention of Contrast-Induced Nephropathy

2010-11	Leanne Svoboda	Erythropoietin stimulating agent (ESA) evaluation and use in CKD patients; Development of guidelines and protocol to improve inpatient utilization of ESA
2010-11	Bruce Warden	Pilot Project for a Pharmacy-Managed Heart Failure Medication Education and Discharge Instruction Program
2010-11	Josh Wiegel	Development, Implementation, and Assessment of an Extended-Infusion Piperacillin/Tazobactam Protocol
2009-10	Sarah Adams	Aminoglycoside dosing in neonates
2009-10	Jesse Bierman	Comparing the outcomes and cost of custom-made replacement fluid to pre-made replacement fluid for continuous renal replacement therapy
2009-10	Mallory Heath	Improving pneumococcal vaccination rates through pharmacist intervention
2009-10	Kate Palmer	Analysis of end tidal CO2 monitoring: opportunity to improve safety of patient controlled analgesia
2009-10	Greg Roberti	Decentralization of nutritional support services
2008-09	Roger Clark, Jr.	Appropriate use of antibiotics for postoperative prophylaxis in a university health care system
2008-09	Susie Jiing	Development of a pharmacy driven protocol for monitoring medications commonly used in the hematopoietic stem cell transplant population
2008-09	Nathan Johnson	Development of vancomycin dosing and monitoring guidelines
2008-09	Katherine Miller	Implementation of guidelines and pharmacist competency for renal dose adjustments
2008-09	Colleen Shipman	Implementation of a remote medication checking system
2008-09	Amanda Sweet	Implementation of an inpatient anticoagulation program
2007-08	Danielle Mollet	Development and implementation of a sustainable medication-use evaluation program
2007-08	Nicole Peterson	Implementation of a pharmacist competency assessment and professional development program
2007-08	Jessica Steffl	Development of comprehensive practice standard database
2007-08	Nora Talley	Postoperative ondansetron dosing
2007-08	Jessica Tilley	Development and implementation of a health-system pharmacy intern curriculum toolkit
2006-07	Teresa Anekwe	A prospective evaluation of the use of antifungal therapy in immunocompromised patients at OHSU
2006-07	Bronwyn Dedekind	Pediatric dose standardization
2006-07	Justin Konkol	Implementation of a standard training program for new and current technicians
2006-07	Rebecca Lines	Venous thrombosis prophylaxis protocol implementation and assessment at OHSU
2005-06	Bryan Brock	Continuous feedback-based educational program to improve order writing quality: implementation and outcomes
2005-06	Travis Laselle	Implementing an electronic pharmacist intervention documentation program
2005-06	Karie Van Rens	Standardization of compounding procedures for pediatric oral suspensions
2004-05	Leigh Fleming	Investigational use of daptomycin in neutropenic fever
2004-05	Katarzyna Mazur	Effectiveness and safety of valganciclovir for CMV prophylaxis in liver transplant patients
2004-05	Erin Templin	Achieving a continuous state of JCAHO readiness
2003-04	Gabriel Bartoo	Supplementation of TPN with albumin: effect on fluid management and patient outcome
2003-04	Betsy Bierman	How on earth does OHSU get rid of SPACE organisms?
2003-04	Melissa Yates	Implementation of an interdisciplinary medication safety competency video and exam
2002-03	Marcella Barta	Effect of immunosuppressant regimens on the natural history of hepatitis C in liver transplant recipients
2002-03	Erin Smith	Development of a bone marrow transplant patient database
2001-02	Justin Nicholls	Chemotherapeutic dose-banding standardization
2000-01	Elena Valcarlos	Impact of a pharmacy generated dosing protocol on recombinant epoetin use
1999-2000	Anne Poon	Effect of pharmacy based protocol on filgrastim use in hospitalized patients
1997-98	Alane Nakamura	Assessment of current inpatient anticoagulation practices and need for anticoagulation service
1995-96	Emily Dierker	Implementation of a reduced frequency and toxicity-dosing program for aminoglycosides
1994-95	Mark Jurovich	Cost implications of omeprazole usage versus <i>H. pylori</i> eradication in peptic ulcer disease
1994-95	Shiow Lee	Association of CMV antibody status, CMV infection and acute rejection in liver transplantation: a single center experience
1993-94	Sylvain Casimir	Evaluation of G-CSF as an adjunct to chemotherapy in the treatment of head and neck neoplasms with cisplatin and 5-fluorouracil
1993-94	Ian Doyle	Financial analysis and outcomes evaluation of a nutritional support team
1992-93	Shwu Choong	Evaluation of empiric antibiotic use in nosocomial pneumonia
1992-93	Julie Larson	Evaluation of ceftriaxone use at OHSU: potential for pharmacist impact
1991-92	Stephanie Davis	Increased patient comprehension through the use of the Indian Health Service counseling technique
1991-92	Rachel Moore	Effectiveness of erythromycin versus placebo on non-strep pharyngitis symptoms
1990-91	Kristine Carlson	Vancomycin pharmacokinetics in pediatric oncology patients
1990-91	Joseph Udeaja	Effectiveness of cimetidine on zidovudine (AZT) pharmacokinetics
1989-90	Kathy Johnson	A new educational tool for cost effective antibiotic dosing
1989-90	Eric Stinnett	Non-financial justification of an operating room pharmacy satellite
1988-89	Wendy Force	Development of workload measurement instruments and their utilization in predicting pharmacy staffing requirements
1988-89	Beverly Gee	Development and evaluation of a system to select patients requiring intensive monitoring
1987-88	Lynda Barstow	Improving adverse drug reaction reporting through redefinition and pharmacy quality assurance