

# Amy Tran, PharmD, RPh

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## Education

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### Doctor of Pharmacy

Temple University School of Pharmacy, Philadelphia PA

September 2017-May 2021

### Pharmacology & Toxicology Bachelor of Science

University of the Sciences, Philadelphia PA

September 2012-May 2016

## Certifications

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- California State Registered Pharmacist License April 2022-Present
- Pennsylvania State Board of Pharmacy Intern License September 2017-Present
- Pharmacy Based Immunization Delivery from American Pharmacists Association September 2017-Present
- Basic Life Support from American Heart Association September 2017-Present
- MTM Certification March 2020-Present

## Relevant Experience

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### PerformRx, Philadelphia PA

October 2020-December 2020

#### *Pharmacy Extern*

- Created, proofread, and presented monographs on rare disease states and drug treatments such as spinal muscular atrophy (SMA), primary hyperoxaluria (PH), and Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) under strict timelines
- Participated in the development of formulary management related to specific drug coverage, step therapy protocols, and prior authorization guidelines
- Responsible for communicating data by presenting slide decks and writing scientific content in order to provide clinical judgment regarding medical necessity and cost effectiveness
- Researched and completed drug information reports based on clinical trials for ACEI/ARBs, Epclusa, academic and physician detailing, and essential health benefits
- Led PerformRx guideline update project by reviewing existing clinical policies and incorporating new guidelines, FDA approved drugs, drug indications, and drug dosages to PerformRx system to ensure compliance regulations
- Revised and compiled monthly drug information updates including wholesale acquisition costs (WAC) and maximum allowable cost (MAC) with cross-functional groups under a managed timeline
- Communicated with pharmaceutical companies regarding drug information that was not included in the drug package inserts (PI)

### Independence Blue Cross, Philadelphia PA

August 2020-September 2020

#### *Pharmacy Extern*

- Organized and incorporated clinical data from raw literature into references, tables, graphics, and data listings to present to P&T committee with the intent of adding/removing drugs to/from the formulary
- Interpreted and summarized results from medical and scientific literature, scientific journals, and clinical trials
- Lead systematic literature reviews while participating in post-market surveillance in order to prepare formal reports for cross functional departments
- Research and presented drug monographs and slide decks on rare disease states in order to compare drug treatments cost effectiveness
- Reviewed recent FDA guidances on biosimilar replacements in order recognize and how to handle biosimilars in regards to prior authorizations
- Participated and collaborated with healthcare professionals to provide clinical evaluations on oncology and HIV medication therapy regarding prior authorization requests

**Sunny Pharmacy, Lansdowne PA**

May 2019- October 2021

*Pharmacy Intern*

- Contacted physicians and insurance companies in order to advocate prior authorization approvals by providing clinical judgement regarding medical necessity
- Performed medication reconciliations to ensure medication safety and efficacy and provided patients with medication education to improve patient medication adherence
- Counseled patients for at home COVID-19 tests and COVID-19 vaccination

**CVS Pharmacy, Philadelphia PA**

February 2015-February 2017

*Pharmacy Intern*

- Prepared, maintained, and distributed medication while providing customer service
- Communicated with healthcare professionals regarding patient medication and safety

**University of the Sciences Writing Center, Philadelphia PA**

January 2013-January 2015

*Consultant/Tutor*

- Worked with students individually, providing feedback on academic essays, cover letters, and application materials
- Helped students improve writing skills for courses across the curriculum (ex. English, science, humanities)

**Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences (APPE)****Jeanes Hospital, Philadelphia PA**

May 2020-June 2020

- Assessed patient health and medication regimen through EPIC and completed daily medication reconciliations
- Managed and titrated patient antibiotics and anticoagulation medications in order to prevent adverse effects

**Acme Pharmacy, Philadelphia PA**

June 2020-July 2020

- Counseled patients on prescriptions and home healthcare medical devices
- Completed comprehensive medication reviews (CMR), medication adherence calls, and provided patient care through MTM while preparing for medicare accreditation visit

**J. Edwin Wood Clinic at Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia PA**

September 2020-October 2020

- Led diabetes discussion topic for clinic medical residents and physicians
- Counseled patients on diabetes management including lifestyle, daily routine, and drug regimen
- Provided telemedicine care in order to discuss drug efficacy, adverse effects, and adherence

**Our Lady of Lourdes Health Care Services, Camden NJ**

January 2021-February 2021

- Collaborated with healthcare professionals to monitor and assess the quality and effectiveness of drug regimens
- Dispensed and delivered patient medications while monitoring patients in the critical care satellite pharmacy

**Leadership Experience****POD Pharmacy: Home COVID 19 Test Counseling**

January 2021- October 2021

- Organized and presented a COVID 19 presentation for patients
- Counseled patients on the importance of the COVID 19 vaccine and how to utilize the home COVID 19 tests

**POD Pharmacy: Nicotine Replacement Therapy Counseling**

July 2020

- Organized and presented nicotine replacement therapy for patients
- Counseled patients on different NRT formulations and how to properly utilize each formulation

**POD Pharmacy: Health Awareness Presentation & Counseling**

June 2020

- Organized a health awareness event in which patient specific disease states were discussed
- Provided blood pressure screenings and counseling on the importance of patient medication adherence

**SNPhA Children's Mission Event, Philadelphia PA**

September 2017-May 2020

- Assisted in organizing weekly events and providing transportation
- Provided blood pressure screenings and counseling on hypertension and diabetes

**Skills**

- Languages: proficient in English and Vietnamese
- Compiling and interpreting medical and scientific writing to create comprehensive monographs and slide decks
- Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint

