

Highlights from AMCP Summit on Health Disparities Placing Patient Voices Front and Center

Last week, AMCP conducted its first AMCP Summit on addressing health disparities. AMCP Foundation was honored to welcome three experts to share their expertise from the patient perspective:

- John M. Allen, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP, FCCM, FCCP**
 Associate Dean for Diversity, Inclusion, and Health Equity & Clinical Associate Professor, University of Florida College of Pharmacy
- Hala Durrah, MTA**
 Patient Family Engagement Consultant & Advocate
- Kevin Wake, MS, CHW**
 President, Uriel E. Owens Sickle Cell Disease Association of the Midwest

Our panel discussed the true meaning of equitable access, as well as social and environmental factors influencing patients' health. Thanks to all for bringing their expertise to the virtual stage! Stay tuned for a detailed overview of key learnings from the session.

Meet the Experts

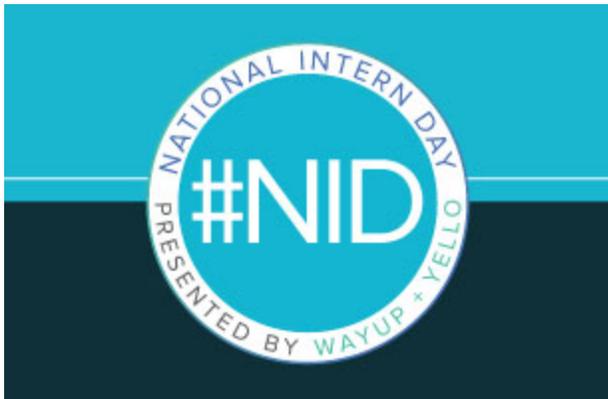
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Meet AMCP Foundation's 2022 Summer Interns

We are pleased to welcome the 2022 class of summer interns. These rising pharmacists are gaining real-world experience through internships at host sites including health plans, PBMs, industry and AMCP Foundation. Special thanks go out to our funding partners: AbbVie, Inc., Genentech, Inc., and Pfizer, Inc. We are also grateful to AMCP for collaborating upon a new themed internship on health disparities. Get to know all the interns today and follow their learning experience through Nexus 2022!

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Gain a Resident Perspective with Imke Scheepers

Prior to becoming a PGY1 Managed Care Resident at Premera Blue Cross, Imke Scheepers thought she knew what it would be like to be a resident. She learned way more than she ever thought she would upon starting her residency.

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Get to Know Doug Beeman: P&T Competition Alumnus

From P&T Competition finalist to P&T Judge, Doug Beeman has experienced the full impact the competition can make to an individual's career journey. Beeman says, "I absolutely recommend all pharmacy students participate in the P&T competition." He continues, "It requires a lot of effort, but it is far and away one of the best learning experiences you can leverage during school, and for many students. It's instrumental in helping many students explore and evaluate post-graduate career paths."

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Volunteer Spotlight: Joe Couto

Volunteering for AMCP Foundation is a great way to help shape the future of the profession. Joe Couto knows this first-hand as a volunteer for the AMCP/AMCP Foundation Joint Research Committee where he served as member, vice chair, and chair for a total of six years. He says his experience "was a great way to convene research experience from health plans, PBMs, academia, and pharmaceutical manufacturers and to identify areas of alignment and mutual interest."

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