Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center Department of Pharmacy

Residency Program Faculty Biographies

PGY -1	Pharmacy Residency
PGY -2	Critical Care Pharmacotherapy Residency
PGY -2	Geriatric Pharmacotherapy Residency
PGY -2	Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency





Pharmacy Residency Programs at The Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center

The Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center offers the following one-year ASHP-accredited pharmacy residency programs:

- PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency
- PGY-2 Critical Care Pharmacy Residency
- PGY-2 Geriatrics Pharmacy Residency
- PGY-2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency

Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center Residency Programs Faculty

4	Henry Cohen B.S., M.S., Pharm.D., FCCM, BCPP, CGP	Chief Pharmacy Officer Director of Pharmacy Residency Programs (PGY-1 and PGY-2)
6	Ron Levy B.S., R.Ph.	Director of Pharmacy
7	Michael Biglow B.S., Pharm.D., BCPS, BCPP	Assistant Director of Pharmacotherapy
8	Rachel Sarehkhatoun Pharm.D.	Assistant Director of Operations
9	Salvatore Cannizzaro B.S., R.Ph.	Lead Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Sterile Products
10	Vincent Peyko Pharm.D., BCPS	Clinical Coordinator Infectious Diseases Pharmacotherapy
11	Darko Todorov B.S., Pharm.D., BCPS	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Internal Medicine Director of Internal Medicine Phar- macy Residency program (PGY-2)
12	Kristin Bohnenberger Pharm.D	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Emergency Medicine
13	Chanie Wassner Pharm.D.	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Critical Care
14	Marian James Pharm.D., BCPS, CGP, FASCP	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Geriatrics
15	April Von Allmen B.S., Pharm.D.	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Ambulatory Care
16	Megan Flinchum Pharm.D., BCPS	Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Psychiatry
17	Michelle Friedman B.S., Pharm.D.	Clinical Pharmacist Internal Medicine Assistant Professor Touro University

HENRY COHEN, B.S., M.S., Pharm.D., FCCM, BCPP, CGP

Chief Pharmacy Officer
Director of Pharmacy Residency
Programs (PGY-1 and PGY-2)



EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health
Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, NY

Master of Science with a Specialty in Pharmacotherapeutics The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, NY

Post-baccalaureate Doctor of Pharmacy Degree

St. John's University College of Pharmacy, Jamaica, NY

Thesis and dissertation: Feasibility and Pharmacokinetics of

Oral Carbamazepine Loading Doses

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and
Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, NY

Chief Pharmacy Officer
Director of Pharmacy Residency Programs,
Departments of Pharmacy and Medicine
Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

Director of PGY-1 and PGY-2 Critical Care Pharmacy Residency Programs Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Fellow in Critical Care Medicine (FCCM)
 American College of Critical Care Medicine
- Board Certified Psychiatric Pharmacist (BCPP)
- Certified Geriatric Pharmacist (CGPY)

HENRY COHEN, B.S., M.S., Pharm.D., FCCM, BCPP, CGP Chief Pharmacy Officer Director of Pharmacy Residency Programs (PGY-1 and PGY-2)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Cohen is the editor-in-chief of *The Journal of Pharmacy Practice*. He also is a well-published author with over 175 peer-reviewed articles, abstracts, and book chapters. Dr. Cohen has presented over 500 invited lectures on pharmacotherapeutic topics throughout the United States. Dr. Cohen is the author of the *Casebook in Pharmacokinetics and Drug Dosing* published by McGraw-Hill.

Dr. Cohen chairs the American College of Critical Care Medicine's (ACCM) Gastrointestinal Task Force for Stress Ulcer Prophylaxis and is a member of the Medication use Safety Task Force. Dr. Cohen was the pharmacist member of the ACCM's Post-Intensive Care Syndrome Task Force through the completion of its work in 2013, and an author in the sentinel publication entitled "Improving long-term outcomes after discharge from the intensive care unit" in *Critical Care Medicine*. Dr. Cohen has received 6 Society of Critical Care Medicine Presidential Citations for outstanding contributions to the society.

Dr. Cohen serves as a reviewer for the journals *Critical Care Medicine*, *Clinical Therapeutics*, *The American Journal of Health-System Pharmacists*, and *The Journal of Clinical Pharmacology*.

Dr. Cohen is the Past President of the New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists (2012). He is a member of the national PharMerica Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee.

Dr. Cohen's areas of specialty and interest include critical care medicine, geriatrics, neuropsychiatry, adverse drug events, leadership, and pharmacy technology/medication safety.



RON LEVY, B.S., R.Ph. Director of Pharmacy

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Director of Pharmacy
Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Associate Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. Levy is the Chairman of the Medication Error Subcommittee and a member of the Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee at KJMC. He is also the Team Leader of the Emergency Medication Point of Dispensation Influenza Vaccination Team. In addition, Mr. Levy is a member of the following committees at KJMC: Environmental Care, Infection Control, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation, Special Events, Terrorist Response, Patient Safety, Performance Improvement and the Joint Commission Readiness Committee. He precepts Doctor of Pharmacy Candidates and Pharmacy Residents for the Pharmacy Administration rotation at KJMC.

Mr. Levy has served on the Board of Directors for the Royal Counties Society of Health-system Pharmacists (RCSHP). He is a member of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists, and RCSHP.

Mr. Levy's areas of interest include hospital pharmacy administration and oncology.

MICHAEL BIGLOW, B.S., Pharm.D., BCPS, BCPP





EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Chemistry

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia

Doctor of Pharmacy University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Grady Health System, Atlanta, Georgia

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Psychiatric Pharmacy Residency
Parkland Health & Hospital System/Texas Tech University, Dallas, Texas

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Assistant Director of Pharmacotherapy
Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of
Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)
- Board Certified Psychiatric Pharmacist (BCPP)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Biglow manages pharmacotherapy issues for the traumatic brain injury unit and works with the rehabilitation and neuropsychology departments. He is the Chair of the Adverse Drug Event committee and a member of the Falls Risk and Pain Management Committees at KJMC. Dr. Biglow precepts PGY-1 and PGY-2 pharmacy residents for the rehabilitation medicine rotation. He is member of the editorial board for *The Journal of Pharmacy Practice*, presented multiple posters at professional conferences, and provided a number of lectures on psychopharmacology.

Dr. Biglow is a member of the College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists (CPNP), American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP), American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP), and the New York Society of Health Systems Pharmacists (NYSCHP).

Dr. Biglow's areas of interest include traumatic brain injury, psychiatric complications in HIV-infected populations, and substance abuse.



RACHEL SAREHKHATOUN, Pharm.D. Assistant Director Pharmacy Operations

EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy degree The Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Assistant Director of Pharmacy Operations Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island
University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)
- Residency teaching certificate

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Sarehkhatoun leads in ensuring that KJMC provides high level pharmacy operations including oversight of medication dispensing and management systems. She is integrally involved in pharmacy technology, quality assurance and performance improvement, policy and procedure adherence and development, and medication safety. Dr. Sarehkhatoun serves on several hospital- wide committees such as Adverse Drug Event, Environmental Care, Infection Control, Terrorist Response, Patient Safety, Performance Improvement and the Joint Commission Readiness Committee. She precepts Doctor of Pharmacy Candidates and Pharmacy Residents for the Pharmacy Administration rotation at KJMC.

Dr. Sarehkhatoun is a member of American Society of Health Systems Pharmacist (ASHP), American College of Clinical Pharmacist (ACCP), New York State Council of Health System Pharmacist (NYSCHP), and Royal Counties Society of Health System Pharmacists (RCHSP).

Dr. Sarehkhatoun's areas of interest include hospital pharmacy administration, education and internal medicine.





EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of
Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Lead Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Sterile Products Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of
Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. Cannizzaro has over 20 years experience in critical care pharmacotherapy. He is the lead clinical pharmacist specialist of KJMC's state-of-the-art USP <797> compliant intravenous admixture program. Mr. Cannizzaro precepts Doctor of Pharmacy candidates for Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience in IV admixture. He is a member of the Pneumonia and Acute Myocardial Infarction Core Measures Committee at KJMC.

Mr. Cannizzaro has served as the elected Treasurer of the Royal Counties Society of Health-system Pharmacists (RCSHP). He is a member of the New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists (NYSCHP) and RCSHP.

Mr. Cannizzaro's areas of interest include emergency medicine and critical care medicine.



VINCENT PEYKO, Pharm.D., BCPS Clinical Coordinator Infectious Diseases Pharmacotherapy

EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy Northeast Ohio Medical University (NEOMED), Rootstown, Ohio

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Infectious Diseases Pharmacy Residency James J Peters VA Medical Center, Bronx, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Coordinator of Infectious Diseases Pharmacotherapy Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice

The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)
- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- New York State Certified Immunizer

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Peyko provides patient care daily on multiple acute care floors at Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, optimizing infectious diseases management through antimicrobial stewardship. He serves as co-chair of the infectious diseases subcommittee at Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, helping to create and implement infectious diseases policy at the hospital. Dr. Peyko precepts residents on their infectious diseases rotation and provides insight on the process of research through projects and case reports. He has published an article in the American Journal for Health Systems Pharmacists in addition to peer reviewing for the journals: *The Annals of Pharmacotherapy, The Journal of Pharmacy Practice, and The American Journal of Health-Systems Pharmacy Residents*.

Dr. Peyko's areas of interest include Antibiotic Stewardship, Multidrug Resistant Organisms, and Clinical Research.

DARKO TODOROV, B.S., Pharm.D., BCPS

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Internal Medicine



EDUCATION

Bachelor of Sciences in Pharmaceutical Sciences College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences The University of Toledo College of Pharmacy, Toledo, Oho

Doctor of Pharmacy College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences The University of Toledo College of Pharmacy, Toledo, Ohio

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency UC Health - University Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Internal Medicine Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Director of PGY-2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency Program Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of
Long Island University, Brooklyn, NY

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)
- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Todorov participates in multidisciplinary clinical rounds in the Internal Medicine units and is responsible for overseeing and reviewing chemotherapy orders for the outpatient oncology infusion center. He is co-chair of the Chemotherapy Committee and a member of the Pain Management Committee, Fall Risk Committee, and Infectious Diseases Subcommittee at KJMC. Dr. Todorov is the program director for the PGY-2 Internal Medicine Program and precepts PGY-1 and PGY-2 pharmacy residents for the Internal Medicine rotation at KJMC. Dr. Todorov is a member of the American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP), New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists (NYSCHP), and Royal Counties Society of Health-System Pharmacists (RCSHP).

Dr. Todorov's areas of interests include cardiology, infectious diseases, oncology, and pharmacy education.



KRISITIN BOHNENBERGER, Pharm.D., Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Emergency Medicine

EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy Wilkes University; Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency University of Pittsburgh Medical Center- Presbyterian-Shadyside; Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Clinical Toxicology/Emergency Medicine Two-Year Fellowship Florida/USVI Poison Information Center at University of Florida Health Jacksonville; Jacksonville, Florida

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Emergency Medicine Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC); Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University; Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (BLS)
- Advanced Hazardous Materials Life Support (AHLS)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Bohnenberger provides pharmacotherapy services from the state-of-the-art pharmacy satellite in KJMC's Emergency Department. She is a member of the CPR Committee and precepts PGY-1 and PGY-2 pharmacy residents on their Emergency Medicine rotation at KJMC. Dr. Bohnenberger is a member of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP), American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP), and the American Academy of Clinical Toxicology (AACT).

Her areas of interest include toxicology, emergency medicine and critical care.

CHANIE WASSNER, Pharm.D. Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Critical Care



EDUCATION

Pre-Pharmacy Curriculum Touro College, Brooklyn, New York

Doctor of Pharmacy – Summa Cum Laude The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Critical Care Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Critical Care Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- APhA Certified Immunizer
- Long Island University Residency Teaching Certificate

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Wassner participates in multidisciplinary patient care rounds and provides pharmacotherapy services in the medical/surgical intensive care and cardiac intensive care units. In addition, she is a member of various hospital subcommittees including the ICU, code, and induced therapeutic hypothermia committees. Dr. Wassner precepts PGY-1 and PGY-2 residents for the critical care and cardiac care rotations.

Dr. Wassner is a member of the Society of Critical Care Medicine (SCCM), American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP), American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP), New York City Society of Health-System Pharmacists (NYSCHP), and Royal Counties Society of Health System Pharmacists (RCSHP).

Dr. Wassner's areas of interest include sedation, analgesia and delirium, diabetic emergencies, and infectious diseases.



MARIAN JAMES, Pharm.D., FASCP, BCPS, CGP,

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Geriatrics

EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy degree St John's University, Jamaica, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical Center, Patchogue, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Pharmacy Residency in Geriatrics Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Geriatrics Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island
University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)
- Certified Geriatric Pharmacist (CGP)
- Fellow of American Society of Consultant Pharmacist (FASCP)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. James manages the pharmacotherapy of residents in Rutland Nursing Home. She participates in daily morning report and assists with medication regimen reviews. Dr. James aided in the implementation and continued practice of expanded pharmacy services in the nursing home including protocol driven medication and lab orders. She currently chairs the Long Term Care P & T committee. Dr. James precepts pharmacy residents for Geriatrics rotation at KJMC.

Dr. James is a member of American Society of Consultant Pharmacist (ASCP) and American College of Clinical Pharmacist (ACCP).

 $\mbox{Dr.}$ James areas of interest include geriatrics, dementia management, and internal medicine.

APRIL VON ALLMEN, B.S., Pharm.D.

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Ambulatory Care



EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in General Science Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

Doctor of Pharmacy
Pacific University, Hillsboro, Oregon

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Providence Health & Services, Portland, Oregon

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Psychiatric Pharmacy Residency Providence Medical Group, Portland, Oregon

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Ambulatory Care Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center (KJMC), Brooklyn, New York

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of
Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- APhA Certified Immunizer

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Von Allmen is developing, expanding, and coordinating the existing ambulatory care services at KJMC, including pharmacy-led anticoagulation, tobacco cessation, and pharmacotherapy services, and the multidisciplinary diabetes and obesity self-management service. She is a member of the Anticoagulation and Diabetes Committees at KJMC, and participates on the Community Advisory Board.

Dr. Von Allmen has presented continuing education lectures for the New York Society of Health System Pharmacy, 1199 SEIU, Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, and the Oregon Society of Health System Pharmacists and is a member of the American Society of Health-system Pharmacists (ASHP) and the American College of Clinical Pharmacists (ACCP).

Dr. Von Allmen's areas of interest include residency program development, obesity management including diabetes, hypertension, and hypercholesterolemia management and education.



MEGAN FLINCHUM, Pharm.D., BCPS Clinical Pharmacist Specialist Psychiatry

EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy degree University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Pharmacy Residency in Psychiatry Parkland Health & Hospital System/Texas Tech School of Pharmacy, Dallas, TX

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Clinical Pharmacist Specialist in Psychiatry Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice
The Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, Brooklyn, NY

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Basic Life Support for Health Providers (BLS)
- Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)
- Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Flinchum participates in multidisciplinary clinical rounds on an acute geriatric psychiatry unit and an acute adult psychiatry unit. She conducts weekly patient medication education groups on both units, and facilitates a multidisciplinary journal club meeting with the adult psychiatry providers and staff. Dr. Flinchum is a member of the Falls Risk and Pain Management Committees at KJMC, and precepts PGY-1 and PGY-2 pharmacy residents for the psychiatry rotation.

Dr. Flinchum is a member of the College of Psychiatry and Neurologic Pharmacists (CPNP) and the New York Society of Health-System Pharmacists (NYSCHP). She has presented continuing education lectures for the New York Society of Health-System Pharmacists Neuropsychiatric Symposium the Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists.

Dr. Flinchum's areas of interest include post-traumatic stress disorder, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and forensic psychiatry.

MICHELLE FRIEDMAN, B.S., Pharm.D.

Clinical Pharmacist Internal Medicine Assistant Professor Touro University



EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science – Biology Touro College, Brooklyn, New York

Doctor of Pharmacy Touro College of Pharmacy, New York, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

ASHP-accredited PGY-2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice Touro College of Pharmacy, New York, New York Clinical Site: Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS) Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (BLS) Long Island University Residency Teaching Certificate

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Dr. Friedman participates in multidisciplinary patient care rounds in one of the institution's acute care units. She conducts medication reconciliation, pharmacotherapy reviews, and therapeutic drug monitoring for internal medicine patients. As a faculty member for Touro College of Pharmacy and Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center's pharmacy residency program, Dr. Friedman precepts pharmacy students and residents rotating in the internal medicine setting.

Dr. Friedman is a member of the New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists, Royal Counties Society of Health-System Pharmacists, New York City Society of Health-System Pharmacists, and American College of Clinical Pharmacy.

Dr. Friedman's areas of interest include infectious diseases, anticoagulation, and heart failure.

Residency Application Requirements

- Curriculum vitae which includes education history, employment history, list of pharmacy clerkships with preceptors, publications and presentations
- 2. All official college transcripts
- 3. Three letters of recommendation—two from primary preceptors from recent pharmacy clerkships or residency rotations
- 4. A brief letter of intent describing why you want to complete a Pharmacy Practice or specialty residency
- 5. A succinct essay describing three clinical pharmacy scenarios in which you intervened and provided medication therapy management that had impact

Application data should be submitted online via the Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Services (PhORCAS).

An on-site interview at the applicant's expense and participation in the ASHP residency match program is required.

Additional information is available on-line:

 $\frac{http://www.kingsbrook.org/Medical-Education/Pharmacy-Residency-Programs.aspx}{Programs.aspx}$

Pharmacy Services at The Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center

The Department of Pharmacy is fully computerized, provides 24-hour pharmacy services, and utilizes a robotic dispensing system. The Pharmacy Department employs over 40 professional and support personnel. The Pharmacy Department dispenses over 10,000 unit dose medications daily. The hospital has a closed-loop drug distribution and administration system. Prescribers utilize the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) system, where medication orders simultaneously interface into the Pharmacy Computer System, pharmacists validate these orders, the Pharmacy Robot dispenses medications, and nurses administer medications using barcode scanners. Computer terminals are located throughout the hospital and on medication carts. Profiled automated dispensing cabinets are located in every acute care unit and the medication is not accessible for dispensing until a pharmacist verifies the medication order. An Emergency Medicine Satellite Pharmacy and several profiled automated dispensing cabinets supply medications and an Emergency Medicine Clinical Pharmacist provides medication management services to the Emergency Department.

The inpatient clinical pharmacy department provides comprehensive medication assessment and integrated pharmacotherapy specialists in emergency medicine, critical care, internal medicine, infectious diseases, psychiatry, and geriatrics. Pharmacy-led ambulatory care services include anticoagulation, hypertension and diabetes management, smoking cessation as well as general pharmacotherapy management.

Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center

The Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center/David Minkin Rehabilitation Center (KJMC/DMRI) is an 784-bed teaching, medical and pharmacy university-affiliated, non-profit, private community institution. KJMC is comprised of a 318-bed acute care hospital and The Rutland Nursing Home, a 466-bed facility offering skilled nursing, rehabilitation, and post-acute care services. KJMC has a medical/surgical and cardiac intensive care unit, traumatic brain injury and coma recovery unit, geriatric psychiatry unit, ventilator unit, step-down cardiac care telemetry unit, cardiac suite, memory disorders program, pain management and treatment center, wound care and hyperbaric medicine center, renal dialysis unit, vascular laboratory, and a 911-receiving emergency department. The Department of Medicine maintains an independent medical residency program of over 50 physicians and many board-certified faculty.





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