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EDUCATION

Doctor of Pharmacy September 0000- June 0000
Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute New York, NY

Bachelor of Science in Biology December 0000-March 0000
Hunter College New York, NY

COMPLETED CLERKSHIP ROTATIONS

Fairway Market: Kips Bay December 0000
Preceptor: Bertha Cohen, PharmD New York, NY

Outpatient community pharmacy experience primarily serving a diverse adult population

- Provided counseling for patients receiving new medications and gave recommendations for over the counter products
- Recommended and administered vaccinations
- Communicated with pharmacies and clinics to receive verbal orders and prescription transfers

New York City Pharmacy November 0000
Preceptor: George H. Hitchings, PharmD, James Buchanan, PharmD New York, NY

Outpatient experience in both a retail pharmacy and a primary care clinic serving community members

- Provided counseling for patients receiving new medications and Suboxone
- Developed vaccine, anticoagulation, and weight management recommendations for patients seen at the travel clinic and at the health clinic
- Performed medication reconciliation and assisted pharmacists with refill authorizations at the primary care clinic
- Provided diabetes education and lifestyle counseling to those attending the Men's Health Fair
- Wrote a literature evaluation on new medications for schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and major depressive disorder

Coler-Goldwater Specialty Hospital October 0000
Preceptor: Julian Abele, PharmD New York, NY

Inpatient experience working on an interdisciplinary team comprised of physicians, nurses, social workers, pharmacists, and dieticians to serve adult patients admitted to the general medicine and intensive care units

- Attended daily patient care rounds and assisted the preceptor with developing medication-related recommendations for consideration by the team; attended infectious disease (ID) rounds and developed antibiotic recommendations after review of gram stains, cultures, and lab results and discussion with ID physician
- Screened patients for side effects of warfarin, monitored pertinent labs, and recommended dose adjustments as necessary; monitored renal function and antibiotic serum levels to make dose adjustments as necessary
- Provided medication discharge counseling when appropriate
- Wrote a literature evaluation of plasmapheresis in the setting of Guillain-Barre syndrome

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Preceptor: Thomson Reuters, PharmD

September 0000

New York, NY

Hospital-based outpatient infusion clinic serving adult populations

- Monitored pertinent chemotherapy parameters and worked with the clinical pharmacist to develop treatment-related recommendations for review by the oncologist
- Interviewed patients to assess emetic risk and control to develop medication regimens based on chemotherapy anti-emetic guidelines
- Verified new chemotherapy orders with existing literature and treatment guidelines
- Provided pre-treatment counseling to patients receiving new chemotherapy medications
- Led weekly topic discussions with the resident and preceptor

Metropolitan Hospital Center

Preceptor: Thomas Beecham, Rph, John K. Smith, PharmD, Mahlon Kline, PharmD

August 0000

New York, NY

School of pharmacy faculty practice providing consultations to elderly patients in long-term care facilities

- Assessed appropriate use of medications listed in patient charts to reduce adverse events and addressed medication-related questions from nurses, residents, and families
- Performed medication reconciliation for new residents and those post hospital discharge
- Provided prescribers with recommendations to optimize patient medication regimens
- Led weekly topic discussions with the preceptors
- Wrote a newsletter educating residents on recreational marijuana use

CLERKSHIP ROTATIONS TO BE COMPLETED

Gracie Square Hospital

Preceptor: Andrew Witty, PharmD

May 0000

New York, NY

Lenox Hill

Preceptor: Chris Gent, PharmD

April 0000

New York, NY

Manhattan Psychiatric Center

Preceptor: Philip Hampton, PharmD

March 0000

New York, NY

Manhattan Veterans Administration Hospital

Preceptor: Douglas Lowy, PharmD

February 0000

New York, NY

Mount Sinai West

Preceptor: Harold Varmus, PharmD

January 0000

New York, NY

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

Inpatient Hospital Internship

New York Presbyterian Allen Hospital; Supervisor: Kathryn Zoon, PharmD, BCPS

June 0000 - Present

New York, NY

Four year internship program designed to train students in clinical pharmacy

- Staff pharmacy technician shifts, as necessary
- Monitor pertinent parameters to make medication and parenteral nutrition dose adjustments, as necessary
- Interview patients for pain management and develop medication changes to achieve satisfactory pain control
- Review medication and culture reports to assess medication use and develop recommendations as necessary
- Provide medication counseling prior to hospital discharge

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Oral Presentations

Elion, G. "Bipolar Disorder in Adult Populations: Treatments and Resources." Formal presentation to primary care providers and pharmacists, Coler-Goldwater Specialty Hospital. November 0000.

Elion, G. "Treatment of Nasopharyngeal Cancer: Common Misconceptions." Formal patient case presentation to clinical pharmacists and residents, Metropolitan Hospital Center. September 0000.

Elion, G., Sporn, M., Time, B. "The Effect of Warfarin: What Should We Know?" Formal in-service presentation for nursing staff, Mount Sinai West. August 0000.

Elion, G. "A randomized, placebo-controlled trial of zoledronic acid for the prevention of skeletal complications in patients." Formal journal club presentation to pharmacy faculty at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. August 0000.

Elion, G. "Infective Endocarditis: Utilization of Echocardiographic Findings." Formal presentation to PharmD students, residents and clinical pharmacists, New York City Pharmacy December 0000.

Elion, G., Street B. "Rivaroxaban versus warfarin for prevention of thromboembolism." Formal presentation to faculty and students at Symposium, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. May 0000.

Poster Presentations

Elion, G., Neiderhuber, J., Andrews, E. "Proposed modifications to the Duke criteria for prevention of bacterial endocarditis." Student Poster Session at the American Society of Health System Pharmacists Midyear Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. December 0000.

Elion, G., Flagg, E., Sims, M. "Rivaroxaban versus warfarin for prevention of thromboembolism." Symposium, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. March 0000.

LEADERSHIP INVOLVEMENT

Student Pharmacist Association of Western NY Chapter Leadership Role April 0000 - April 0000

- Chaired the Scholarship Committee
- Helped organize chapter events and fundraisers
- Attended monthly board meetings to plan and discuss upcoming chapter events

Student Pharmacist Association of Western NY Scholarship Committee April 0000- April 0000

- Organized a group of active brothers and advisers to develop selection criteria for local scholarship
- Raised \$500 for the scholarship fund by soliciting local businesses for donations

American Cancer Society Relay for Life Team Leader January 0000- May 0000

- Led a relay team for two consecutive years comprised of friends and family that raised over \$500 in 0000 and over \$1000 in 0000 by recruiting members early and by encouraging them to seek out donations
- Maintained the team's American Cancer Society webpage

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

NYC Heath Fair February 0000

- Provided diabetes education, health care triaging, and brown bag reviews for adults visiting the annual health fair in New York City

New York Presbyterian Cholesterol Education March 0000

- Presented lifestyle recommendations for maintaining healthy cholesterol levels to Asian-Americans visiting and residing at the New York Presbyterian Hospital

Brown Bag Medication Review November 0000

- Measured blood pressure to assess hypertension control and reviewed patients' medications and supplements for errors, duplications, and adverse events at an adult family home in Newark, NJ

New York Presbyterian Hypertension Screening March 0000

- Measured blood pressures and counseled patients on their hypertension medications
- Reviewed patients' medications and supplements for errors, duplications and adverse events

Fairway Market Osteoporosis Screening April 0000

- Assessed T-score results and counseled patients on bone health at the Kips Bay

EXTRACURRICULAR AND COMMITTEE MEMEBERSHIP

<i>Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, Inc. Member</i>	November 0000 - Present
<i>American Society of Consultant Pharmacists Member</i>	November 0000 - June 0000
<i>Student National Pharmaceutical Association Member</i>	September 0000 - June 0000
<i>School of Pharmacy Career Fair Student Committee</i>	March 0000-October 0000

HONORS AND AWARDS

<i>Roosevelt Scholarship Award</i>	October 0000, October 0000
<i>Kappa Psi Brother of the Month</i>	June 0000
<i>Dean's List, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute</i>	March 0000-December 0000

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

Pharmacist Intern Registration May 0000

New York State Department of Health
Renewal Date: May 0000

CPR/AED for Healthcare Provider and First Aid Certification September 0000

American Red Cross
Renewal Date: September 0000

American Pharmacists Association Immunization Certification April 0000

Washington State Pharmacy Association