

## **Current Educational Program Lectures (as of 5/4) 2021 NPPA Conference – August 17-19, Bally’s Las Vegas**

*Page 1 of 2*

**CE Units Available:** approximately 8-11 ACPE-accredited CE units for pharmacy recertification expected to be available, including 1 hour/unit of “Law” CE, for Pharmacy Tech/Buyers (& at least half or more also for Pharmacists).

*Not yet complete as below-additional lectures yet to come, and current listings still subject to change.  
Timeslots for Educational Sessions are currently still TBD.*

---

### **CONFIRMED LECTURES**

**“Back To The World! What Have We Learned?”**

**Lyle Matthews**, PharmD, MAM, Assistant Executive Officer,  
California State Board of Pharmacy, Sacramento, California

**Understanding The Drug Formulary Decision-Making Process**

**Jonathan Cho**, PharmD, MBA, BCIDP, BCPS, Clinical Pharmacy Manager,  
MountainView Hospital, Las Vegas, Nevada

**Using Excel In Pharmacy Purchasing & Mitigation Of Drug Shortages**

**Chris Hutts**, PharmD, MBA, MS, Pharmacy Procurement Manager,  
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Medical Center, Little Rock, AR

**Hazardous Drugs & Waste Update: NIOSH, USP, EPA, PPE**

**Charlotte Smith**, RPh, MS, President, GreatWorks LLC, Wauwatosa, WI  
♦ *Qualifies for Pharmacy “Law” CE requirement*

**Life’s Journey: The Unexpected Career Path for Pharmacy Buyers**

**Elizabeth Brackett**, CPhT, Product Advisor-Pharmacy Analytics, Vizient, Inc.,  
Bloomington, Illinois

**Improving Communication Skills With Pharmacy Staffers**

**Angela Westdorp**, CPhT, RPT, Inventory Control Specialist,  
Sarasota Memorial North Port Hospital North Port, Florida

**Mindfulness Meditation For Healthcare Professionals**

**Christine Cho**, RN, BSN, Certified Yoga Teacher, Las Vegas, Nevada

**CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**

## **Current Educational Program Lectures (as of 5/4) 2021 NPPA Conference – August 17-19, Bally’s Las Vegas**

*Page 2 of 2*

**CE Units Available:** approximately 8-11 ACPE-accredited CE units for pharmacy recertification expected to be available, including 1 hour/unit of “Law” CE, for Pharmacy Tech/Buyers (& at least half or more also for Pharmacists).

*Not yet complete as below-additional lectures yet to come, and current listings still subject to change.  
Timeslots for Educational Sessions are currently still TBD.*

### **TENTATIVE LECTURES (not yet accepted but under serious review)**

#### **Pharmacy Inventory Management & Control - Perpetual Systems & New Vendor Conversions**

**Jennifer Hoff**, CPhT, Pharmacy Purchasing Specialist,  
Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center, La Crosse, Wisconsin

#### **Improving Communication Between GPO’s & Pharmacy Buyers**

**Sarah Davis**, CPhT, B.S., M.A., Apexus Certified 340B Expert,  
Lead Product Advisor-Pharmacy Analytics, Vizient, Inc., Irving, Texas

#### **Injectable Diabetic Medications Throughout Transitions of Care**

**Robin M. Coulter**, PharmD, MBA, BCPS, Senior Product Manager  
& Pharmacy Operations Manager, UPMC Enterprises, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

#### **How To Be A Team Player With Both Pharmacy & Non-Pharmacy Hospital Staff**

**Margon Dillard**, CPhT, CSSBB (Certified Six Sigma Black Belt),  
Linzer-Dillard Consulting, Richmond, Texas  
**Joshua Ward**, PharmD, MBA, BCPS

### **TENTATIVE TOPICS (under initial review)**

- **Managing Shortages of Parenteral Nutrition**
- **Biosimilars In U.S. Hospitals**