THE TEAM-BASED CARE APPROACH:

The Role of the Pharmacist
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WHAT WE'LL COVER

The Surgeon General's Call to Action to Control HTN
Team-Based Care Approach & the Pharmacist's Impact
Challenges and Opportunities
The U.S. spends as much money correcting the problems caused by medications as we do on the drugs themselves.
What are the real problems?

Patient involvement & access

Provider time and reimbursement

Education, and not just for the patient

Navigating the system
SURGEON GENERAL'S

Call to Action to Control Hypertension

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Where could a pharmacist have an impact?

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Did you know?

Education: Doctorate of Pharmacy

Health Care Settings:
• Community
• Health System
• Ambulatory Care Clinics
• Long-Term Care
• Industry & Research

Collaborative Practice Agreements & Clinical Service Agreements
Pharmacist Patient-Centered Care Process

RELATION TO TEAM-BASED CARE

- Hub of patient health information.
- Multiple patient touch-points per year
- Collaboration with other Health Care Professionals
Complex patients see their community pharmacist on average **35x** per year.

These same patients see their PCP an average of **2 to 4x** per year.
Opportunities

- Chronic Care Management, Remote Physiological Monitoring, Transitions of Care Management
- Diabetes Education, Self-Monitored Blood Pressure, & Smoking Cessation Counseling
- Medication Optimization & Comprehensive Medication Review (Medication Therapy Management)
- Adherence Counseling, Packaging, & Interventions
Barriers to Pharmacy Services

CONTRACTING & CREDENTIALLING

BILLING & REIMBURSEMENT

SUSTAINABILITY & PROVIDER STATUS
How to Make an Impact

Is a pharmacist on your care team?
If not, let's start there.

Medication-related problem?
Think pharmacy.

Advocate.
Pharmacists need health care leadership champions.

Need more patient care time?
Add a pharmacist.
Questions

Let's Chat:

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