

# Courtney E. Lambertsen, PharmD, BCPS

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## Education

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June 2008 – June 2009

### **Pharmacy Practice Residency (PGY-1)**

ASHP Accredited Post-Graduate Year One Residency

Norton Children's Hospital

August 2004 – May 2008

### **Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy**

#### **Doctor of Pharmacy**

August 2002 - May 2004

### **Virginia Commonwealth University**

Pre-pharmacy curriculum

## Professional Experience

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January 2020 - Present

### **Specialty Pharmacy Accreditation Coordinator**

Montgomery Cancer Center

MCC Apothecary Specialty Pharmacy

Montgomery, Alabama

Supervisor: Carrie Webb, PharmD

- Collaborated with Pharmacy Director, pharmacists and technicians to maintain both URAC® and ACHC® Specialty Pharmacy Certification for one pharmacy in the hospital system via coordinating quarterly call updates, meeting national goal metrics as well as ensuring compliance with all federal and state regulations
- Developed a Risk Stratification Tool to identify High-Risk Patients to improve patient adherence and outcomes while on therapy
- Strengthened the Patient Monitoring Program for Oral Oncology patients by increasing calls by 500%
- Performed medication profile reconciliation for ten oral oncology patients per day
- Performed drug-drug interaction screenings for ten oral Oncology patients per day
- Developed interdisciplinary dosing protocols for oral and intravenous chemotherapy regimens alongside nursing, physicians and infusion pharmacy
- Consulted with physicians, patients and insurance companies on medication dosage, drug interactions, disease management and potential and realized side effects and adverse events of specialty medications

July 2018 – January 2020

**Clinical Pharmacist**

Montgomery Cancer Center  
MCC Apothecary Specialty Pharmacy  
Montgomery, Alabama  
Supervisor: Carrie Webb, PharmD

- Collaborated with Pharmacy Director and staff to obtain dual URAC® and ACHC® Specialty Pharmacy Certification for one pharmacy in the system via monthly meetings, staff training and interviews as well as weekly communication with both certifying organizations
- Developed a Risk Stratification Tool to identify High-Risk Patients to improve patient adherence and outcomes while on therapy
- Strengthened the Patient Monitoring Program for Oral Oncology patients by increasing calls by 250%
- Performed medication profile reconciliation for 5 oral oncology patients per day
- Performed drug-drug interaction screenings for 5 oral Oncology patients per day
- Developed interdisciplinary dosing protocols for oral and intravenous chemotherapy regimens alongside nursing, physicians and infusion pharmacy
- Consulted with physicians, patients and insurance companies on medication dosage, drug interactions, disease management and potential and realized side effects and adverse events of specialty medications

January 2017 - June 2018

**Clinical Pharmacist**

Robinson Health Clinic  
Womack Army Medical Center  
Fort Bragg, North Carolina  
Supervisor: Colonel Jorge D. Carillo, PharmD, MPH, BCPS

- Collaborated with nursing and providers on medication dosage, drug information questions, drug interactions, potential side effects, and disease management (specifically diabetes and hypertension) as credential provider using CHCS and AHLTA
- Addressed consults for poly-pharmacy patients referrals from practitioners for patients with more than 8 medications or multiple high-risk medications
- Counseled patients on various medications and devices including insulin, glucometers, and Narcan nasal spray
- Conducted medication profile reconciliation for highly complex patients with more than 12 medications and/or specific disease states

November 2015 - December 2016

**Pharmacist**

Cape Fear Valley Health System  
Fayetteville, North Carolina  
Supervisor: Thomas Nicholson, RPh

- Verified inpatient orders for a 200 bed rural hospital for dosage, appropriateness, safety and efficacy sent from providers to the pharmacy within the Cerner EHR
- Actively participated in antibiotic stewardship activities including analyzing laboratory results and response to therapy data necessary for pharmacokinetic monitoring (peaks/troughs for vancomycin, aminoglycosides) and adjusted doses per protocol
- Conducted general staff pharmacist activities including order interpretation and entry, medication preparation, nursing unit inspections, and oversight of pharmacy technicians

- Verified and calculated IV, oral and topical patient specific medications prepared by pharmacy technicians with aseptic technique and USP <797> compliance

February 2012 – March 2013

**Clinical Staff Pharmacist**

Omnicare of Charleston

Charleston, South Carolina

Supervisor: Brian Grant, RPh

- Enter and verify data entry via QS1® software for 50 long-term care facilities in Charleston and surrounding areas (400 orders/day) for dosage, appropriateness, accuracy, safety and efficacy sent from prescribers to the pharmacy; collaborate with multidisciplinary team to ensure patient medication safety for 7 day fill cycle
- -Collaborate with nursing and providers to communicate clinical, technical, storage and medication administration recommendations for optimal patient outcomes including antibiotic, stewardship, vancomycin and aminoglycoside dosing, and Dialysis dosing
- Review patient medication profiles for appropriateness of drug therapy, therapeutic duplication, allergies, weight, height, minimum and maximum dosing guidelines, age specific requirements, renal and hepatic function, drug interactions and other pertinent factors to individual patients' medication dosing requirements
- Verified and calculated IV, oral and topical patient specific medications prepared by pharmacy technicians with aseptic technique and USP <797> and USP <795> compliance
- Oversee 15 pharmacy technicians per shift completing assigned tasks such as order processing, automated dispensing cabinet restock, and facility delivery coordination
- Respond to urgent after hours calls regarding provision, planning and verification of medications orders and equipment necessary for patient care
- Coordinate time-sensitive delivery of medications from the pharmacy to facilities via courier in tandem with patient hospital discharge and facility admission

July 2009 – February 2012

**Pediatric Clinical Pharmacist**

The Medical University of South Carolina Children's Hospital

Charleston, South Carolina

Supervisor: Robyn Coefield, PharmD

- Verify inpatient orders for a 250+ bed urban pediatric hospital including a 66 bed NICU for dosage, appropriateness, safety and efficacy sent from providers to the pharmacy
- Regularly engaged in interdisciplinary team rounds for Level II nursery via discussion with prescribers, nurses and other team members regarding antimicrobial selection and tracking, anticoagulant selection, electrolyte monitoring, disease state monitoring, evidence-based drug treatment strategies as well as fielding any medication related questions (i.e. dosing, cost, formulary availability)
- Responded to pediatric code and trauma situations for all 6+ units within the hospital
- Supervised and advised pharmacy residents as well as APPE and IPPE pharmacy students on rotation via topic discussion, preparation for provider interactions, patient case presentation and additional special projects
- Instrumental in creating Pediatric Advanced Dosing module drug files within the CPOE for multi-hospital, state-funded system

June 2008 – June 2009

**Pharmacy Resident/Staff Pharmacist**

Norton (Kosair) Children's Hospital  
Louisville, Kentucky  
Supervisor: Brian Yarberry, PharmD

## Professional Certifications & Licenses

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July 2018 - Present

**Licensed Pharmacist**

Alabama Board of Pharmacy

September 2015 - Present

**Licensed Pharmacist**

North Carolina Board of Pharmacy

July 2008 - Present

**Licensed Pharmacist**

Kentucky Board of Pharmacy

October 2019 - Present

**Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist (BCPS)**

September 2016 - Present

**National Provider Identifier (NPI) 1972997773**

July 2017 - Present

**Diabetes Medication Therapy  
Management Certificate**

Power-Pak Continuing Education

March 2017 - Present

**Medication Therapy Management  
Certificate**

Power-Pak Continuing Education

March 2017 - Present

**Advanced Cardiac Life Support**

American Heart Association

May 2009 - Present

**Scholarship of Teaching and Learning  
Certificate Program**

University of Kentucky, College of Pharmacy

January 2007 - Present

**Immunization Delivery**

American Pharmacists Association

April 2005 - Present

**Basic Life Support and First Aid**

American Heart Association