

# ASHWIN GUJAR, PHARM.D, B.Sc.

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Pharmaceutical Compounding | Medication Inventory Management | Drug Classification and Safety  
Medication Reconciliation | Quality Assurance | Regulatory Compliance

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## QUALIFICATIONS PROFILE

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***Detail-oriented, performance-focused, and multifaceted professional, with hands-on experience in pharmacy management and best practices; complemented with proven skills in clinical research and data analysis.***

Known for strong knowledge of clinical pharmacy and therapeutics, along with proven analytical and leadership skills in formulating solutions to complex situations. Equipped with excellent interpersonal aptitudes in coordinating with interdisciplinary team to consistently deliver exceptional patient care and optimize department standards and medication management. Articulate communicator with multilingual fluency in Marathi, Hindi, and English. Proficient with Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint), Microsoft Teams, and Epic

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## EDUCATION

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**Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.),** May, 2020

Appalachian College of Pharmacy, Oakwood, VA

**Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences,** May, 2016

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Boston, MA

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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CVS HEALTH, Rockville, MD

**Pharmacist Graduate Intern**

Jun 2020–Oct 2020

- Provided assistance in offering pharmacy consulting services to customers regarding the effective usage of medications, awareness with drug interactions, as well as delivering preventive healthcare services, such as immunizations
- Dealt with guaranteeing proper compounding, dispensation, review, and verification of prescribed medications in accordance with regulatory guidelines and company policies and procedures
- Fulfilled pharmacist tasks which involved compounding, drug therapy reviews, verification, and medication management

ROLLINS CARE PHARMACY, Rockville, MD

**Pharmacy Technician**

Feb 2016–Apr 2017

- Aided in rendering prescribed medications, drugs, and other pharmaceutical services for adequate care
- Worked with pharmacist in tracking and maintaining pharmacy inventory; coordinated delivery of medication to retirement home/hospital; and performed cashier function

TARGET PHARMACY, Wheaton, MD

**Pharmacy Technician**

Sep 2013–Oct 2015

- Examined medications order for appropriate prescription, drugs, and other pharmaceuticals for adequate care
- Carried out pharmacy inventory monitoring and control in coordination with pharmacist
- Took charge of processing and dispensing prescription orders, while guiding customers with product and prescription questions over the phone

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## ADVANCED PHARMACY PRACTICE EXPERIENCE (APPE)

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FREDERICK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Frederick, MD

**In-Patient Hospital - Institutional** | Preceptor: Mary Colson, PharmD

Mar 2020–Apr 2020

- Partook in the transitions of care for patients from the moment of hospitalization to six weeks post discharge
- Functioned as a key resource person in addressing questions related to medications and disease states, while providing recommendations of therapy changes

NOVANT PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, Charlotte, NC

**Infectious Disease** | Preceptor: Jacinta Chin, PharmD, BCPS

Jan 2020–Feb 2020

- Performed infectious disease round table rounds and defined treatment recommendations for patients in collaboration with the interdisciplinary team consisting of pharmacist, doctor, and nurse

NOVANT CARE CONNECTIONS, Charlotte, NC

**Ambulatory Care** | Preceptor: Rebekah Krupski, PharmD, BCPS

Oct 2019–Dec 2019

- Provided assistance with effective transition of care upon discharge by conducting medication reconciliation, delivering medication education to patient, and performing comprehensive chart review to maintain appropriate pharmacotherapy selection
- Enhanced long-term drug treatment for chronic disease management for diabetes, hypertension, hyperlipidemia, as well as INR counseling for warfarin patients

NOVANT PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, Charlotte, NC

**Cardiac Critical Care and Surgery** | Preceptor: Allison Gaddy, PharmD, BACP

Sep 2019–Oct 2019

- Fulfilled key duties in interdisciplinary cardiac surgery rounds, including presentation of patients to the Care Team and improvement of therapeutic care plans
- Completed medicine reconciliation for newly admitted cardiac surgery patients
- Maintained involvement in pharmacotherapy consults, pharmacokinetic analysis, drug information, and intensive monitoring of cardiac critical care

WALGREENS PHARMACY, Charlotte, NC

**Advanced Community** | Preceptor: Erin Skitt, PharmD

Aug 2019–Sep 2019

- Worked under supervision of pharmacist in charge of entering, third-party processing, filling, and dispensing prescriptions in accordance with company's standard operating procedures
- Conducted patient consultations on prescription and over-the-counter (OTC) medications
- Chaired (medical therapy management) MTM meetings to interpret medications and how to manage patient's respective disease states without risks

NOVANT HEALTH PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION, Winston Salem, NC

**Pharmaceutical Administration** | Preceptor: Gift Nweke, PharmD, MS, BCPS, BCIDP

Jun 2019–Aug 2019

- Offered hands-on support in implementing pharmacy formulary strategies
- Provided guidance to pharmacy residents in their transition during orientation period in the company by assisting in development of presentations to outline the program, and promptly addressing their questions

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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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**Certification:** American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Immunization Certified  
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Certified  
USP 799/800 Sterile Compounding Certified

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**Conference:** ASHP-SSHP Midyear Meeting, Las Vegas, NV | 2019  
APhA-ASP Midyear Regional Meeting, Baltimore, MD | 2018  
APhA-ASP Midyear Regional Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA | 2017

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## AWARDS

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Student Leadership Award (3)  
Virginia Society of Health-System Pharmacists (VSHP) Award (2)

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## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP): President  
American Pharmacists Association (APhA-ASP): Communications Vice President  
Kappa Psi Pharmacy Fraternity: Historian  
National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA): Secretary  
Student Leadership Council: Vice President  
Delta Iota Chapter of Phi Lambda Sigma: Senior Member  
Student Ambassador: Senior Member

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## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

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*Lead Student Volunteer*, Remote Area Medical (RAM), Grundy, VA; Wise, VA | 2017–2019  
*Lead Student Volunteer*, Feed My Sheep (Kappa Psi), Grundy, VA | 2017–2019

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## PRESENTATIONS

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### Oral Presentation:

Gujar, A. (2020). *Pharmacist management of a neuropsychiatric patient in an outpatient clinic*. Midyear Clinical Meeting, Las Vegas, NV.

Gujar, A. (2019). *Aortic dissection*. Novant Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, NC.

Gujar, A. (2019). *Trigeminal neuralgia in diabetes patients*. Novant Care Connections, Charlotte, NC.

### Poster Presentation:

Gujar, A. (2019). *How to avoid the flu*. Poster presented to Walgreens Pharmacy, Charlotte, NC

### Journal Clubs:

Gujar, A. (2019). *Angiotensin-neprilysin inhibition in heart failure with preserved ejection fraction (PARAGON Trial)*. Novant Care Connections, Charlotte, NC.

Gujar, A. (2019). *Atrial fibrillation and ischemic events with rivaroxaban in patients with stable coronary artery disease (AFIRE) trial*. Novant Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, NC.

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