

Diamond Rose Melendez, Pharm.D.

One University Parkway,
High Point, North Carolina 27268
336.841.9822
Dmelende@highpoint.edu

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- July 2019 – June 2020 **PGY-1 Community Based Pharmacy Residency, ASHP Accredited**
South College School of Pharmacy and Kroger Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee
Residency Program Director: Laura Schalliol, Pharm.D., BCACP, BCGP
- August 2015 – May 2019 **Doctor of Pharmacy**
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland
- August 2011 – June 2015 **Bachelor of Science in Biology**
Winthrop University
Rock Hill, South College

WORK EXPERIENCE

- August 2020 – Present **Assistant Professor and Director of Standardized Client Experiences**
High Point University Fred Wilson School of Pharmacy
High Point, North Carolina
Supervisors: Buddy Lingle, RPh, PhD, Mary Jayne Kennedy, Pharm.D.
- July 2019 – June 2020 **Clinical Staff Pharmacist**
Kroger Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee
Supervisors: Chris Pegg, Pharm.D., James Knight, Pharm.D.
- January 2017 – May 2019 **Pharmacy Intern**
Walgreens Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland
Supervisors: Kan Ku, Pharm.D.
- January 2016 – January 2017 **Research Assistant**
University of Maryland School of Medicine
Baltimore, Maryland
Supervision: Maureen Black, PhD, MPH

RESIDENCY EXPERIENCE

- February 2020 – June 2020 **Ambulatory Care**
Trinity Medical Associates
Knoxville, Tennessee
Preceptor: Kimberly Zitko, Pharm.D., BCACP, BCGP

January 2020 – June 2020	Management and Leadership Kroger Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee Preceptor: Chris Pegg, Pharm.D.
July 2019 – June 2020	Patient Centered Care Kroger Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee Preceptor: Kimberlee Meade, Pharm.D.
July 2019 – June 2020	Patient Centered Dispensing Kroger Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee Preceptor: Kimberlee Meade, Pharm.D.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

August 2019 – May 2020	Course Coordinator South College School of Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee
July 2019 – June 2020	Clinical Instructor South College School of Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

January 2021 – Present	Pharmacy License #30226 North Carolina Board of Pharmacy
July 2020 – Present	Pharmacy License #42553 South Carolina Board of Pharmacy
June 2020 – Present	Teaching Certificate South College School of Pharmacy
October 2019 – Present	Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers American Heart Association
August 2019 – Present	National Diabetes Prevention Program Lifestyle Coach CDC National Diabetes Prevention Program
July 2019 – Present	Pharmacy License #43561 Tennessee Board of Pharmacy
July 2019 – Present	Collaborative Institutional Training Incentive CITI Program

April 2017 – Present

Pharmacy-Based Immunization Delivery
American Pharmacist Association

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

July 2019 – June 2020

Advance Pharmacy Practice Experience Student Preceptor
Kroger Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee

July 2019 – June 2020

Residency Teaching Certification Program
South College School of Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee

July 2019 – June 2020

PGY-1 Academic Longitudinal Rotation
South College School of Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee
Preceptors: Laura Schalliol, Pharm.D., BCACP, BCGP, Brittany Schmidt, Pharm.D., BCACP, Kimberly Zitko, Pharm.D., BCACP, BCGP

August 2018 – October 2018

Teaching Assistant
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

PUBLICATIONS

September 2019

Melendez DR. Prescription Assistance for Blind and Visually Impaired. *Kroger Health Newsletter*. 2019.

February 2019

Pincus K, **Melendez DR.** Preventing Shingles Continuing Education Article. *Maryland Pharmacist Journal*. 2019.

August 2018

Mattingly TJ, Mullins CD, **Melendez DR**, Boyden K, Eddington ND. A Systematic Review of Entrepreneurship in Pharmacy Practice and Education. *Am J Pharm Educ*. 2019;83(3):7233. doi:10.5688/ajpe7233

PRESENTATIONS

April 2020

Osteoporosis – Pharmacotherapeutics Lecture
South College School of Pharmacy
Audience: Second year student pharmacists
Knoxville, Tennessee

April 2020

Community Pharmacy Dispensing Patterns of Naloxone after Implementation of a Clinical Intervention Program
Southeastern Residency Conference
Audience: Pharmacists, pharmacy residents, fellows, and preceptors
Virtual Conference

February 2020	<p>Co-curricular and Community Engagement Program High Point University Fred Wilson School of Pharmacy Audience: Basic pharmaceutical sciences and clinical sciences faculty members High Point, North Carolina</p>
February 2020	<p>Community Pharmacy Dispensing Patterns of Naloxone after Implementation of a Clinical Intervention Program Tennessee Pharmacists Association Winter Meeting Audience: Tennessee pharmacists, residents, fellows, and preceptors Nashville, Tennessee</p>
January 2020	<p>Outpatient Management of Community Acquired Pneumonia Audience: Residents, preceptors, and community pharmacists Kroger Health Clinical Grand Rounds Knoxville, Tennessee</p>
December 2019	<p>Community Pharmacy Dispensing Patterns of Naloxone after Implementation of a Clinical Intervention Program Audience: Midyear attendees and poster evaluators American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Midyear Clinical Meeting Las Vegas, Nevada</p>
October 2019	<p>Kroger APPE Student Orientation Presentation Audience: Student pharmacist during monthly APPE rotation orientations Kroger Health Student Development Knoxville, Tennessee</p>
September 2019	<p>Prescription Identification Assistance for Blind and Visually Impaired Patients Audience: Quality Assurance team including regional pharmacy directors Kroger Health Quality Assurance Meeting Nashville, Tennessee</p>
August 2019	<p>Implementations of an Interviewing Skills Workshop for Pharmacy Students Audience: Pharmacy faculty members and students South College School of Pharmacy PGY-1 Journal Club Knoxville, Tennessee</p>
November 2018	<p>New Beta-lactam/Beta-lactamase Inhibitor Combination Antibiotics Audience: Pediatric pharmacy staff members University of Maryland Medical Center In-Service Baltimore, Maryland</p>
October 2018	<p>Improving the Self Reflection Assessment Process for Fishbowl Activities Audience: Pharmacy faculty members and students University of Maryland School of Pharmacy Teaching Elective Course Baltimore, Maryland</p>

- October 2018 **What is Teaching, What is Learning**
Audience: Pharmacy faculty members and students
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy Journal Club
Baltimore, Maryland
- September 2018 **Using Continuing Professional Development to Create Meaningful Co-Curricular Learning Opportunities for all Student Pharmacists**
Audience: Pharmacy faculty members and students
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy Journal Club
Baltimore, Maryland
- September 2018 **Autoimmune Hepatitis following Influenza Virus Vaccination**
Audience: Psychiatric pharmacy staff
Springfield Hospital Journal Club
Sykesville, Maryland
- July 2018 **Pharmacotherapy for Hypertension**
Audience: Physicians, medical students, and pharmacists
University of Maryland Family Medicine Health Practitioner Development
Baltimore, Maryland

RESEARCH

- February 2020 – June 2020 **Implementation of Opioid Antagonist Standing Order in Alabama Chain Community Pharmacies**
Co-investigators: Chris Pegg, Pharm.D., Kim Meade, Pharm.D., Tara Pfund, Pharm.D., Michele Fountain, Pharm.D.
Kroger Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee
- July 2019 – June 2020 **PGY-1 Project: Community Pharmacy Dispensing Patterns of Naloxone after Implementation of a Clinical Intervention Program**
Co-investigators: Laura Schalliol, Pharm.D., BCACP, Wendy Gabriel, Pharm.D., BCPS, BCCP, Holly Lowe, Pharm.D., BCPS, Alicia Potter DeFalco, Pharm.D., BCPS, Don Branam, Pharm.D., BCPS, FASHP
Kroger Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee
- January 2019 – March 2019 **Treating Prenatal Depression with Medications: A Primer for Support Professionals**
Co-investigators: Danya Qato, Pharm.D., MPH, Ph.D.
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy and Baltimore City Health Department
Baltimore, Maryland
- January 2019 – March 2019 **Treating Prenatal Tobacco use with Medications: A Primer for Support Professionals**
Co-investigator: Danya Qato, Pharm.D., MPH, Ph.D.
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy and Baltimore City Health Department
Baltimore, Maryland

June 2016 – January 2017 **Policy-Based Obesity Prevention and Health Promotion Studies**
Co-investigator: Erin Hager, Ph.D.
University of Maryland School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics
Baltimore, Maryland

May 2014 – May 2015 **The Reaction of O-silylated Cyanohydrin Anions with Epoxides as an Alternative for the Enantio and Diastereoselective Preparation of Aldols**
Co-investigator: Aaron Hartel, Ph.D.
Winthrop University
Rock Hill, South Carolina

LEADERSHIP

February 2020 – June 2020 **Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education Subcommittee Member**
South College School of Pharmacy
Knoxville, Tennessee

September 2015 – August 2019 **Fundraising Chair of University of Maryland Graduate Programs**
Global Medical Brigades
Baltimore, Maryland

August 2017 – August 2018 **OTC Medication Safety Committee Member**
American Pharmacist Association Academy of Student Pharmacist
Baltimore, Maryland

August 2017 – August 2018 **Membership and Recruiting Committee Member**
American Pharmacist Association Academy of Student Pharmacist
Baltimore, Maryland

HONORS AND AWARDS

August 2015 – May 2019 **Diversity Scholarship Recipient**
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

August 2016 – May 2018 **Deans List**
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

ADVANCED PHARMACY PRACTICE EXPERIENCES

February 2019 – March 2019 **Acute Care Pharmacy Practice**
Upper Chesapeake Medical Center
Belair, Maryland
Preceptor: Jennifer Bui, Pharm.D.

January 2019 – February 2019	Public Health Department of Health Baltimore, Maryland Preceptor: Danya Qato, Pharm.D., MPH, Ph.D.
October 2018 – November 2018	Pediatric Intensive Care University of Maryland Medical Center Baltimore, Maryland Preceptor: Omayma Kishk, Pharm.D., BCPPS
August 2018 – October 2018	Teaching Experience University of Maryland School of Pharmacy Baltimore, Maryland Preceptor: Cynthia Boyle, Pharm.D., FAPhA, FNAP, FASCP
July 2018 – August 2018	Health Systems Pharmacy Practice Springfield Hospital Sykesville, Maryland Preceptor: Robyn Hunt, Pharm.D.
May 2018 – July 2018	Advanced Ambulatory Care University of Maryland Family Medicine Baltimore, Maryland Preceptor: Katy Pincus, Pharm.D., BCPS, BCACP
May 2018 – July 2018	Community Pharmacy Practice Veterans Affairs Medical Center Baltimore, Maryland Preceptor: Crystal Sykes, Pharm.D.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

July 2019 – Present	Tennessee Pharmacists Association Member
August 2015 – Present	American Pharmacists Association Member
August 2016 – August 2017	Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy Member
August 2015 – August 2016	Maryland Pharmacists Association Member
August 2015 – August 2019	Student Section of Maryland Public Health Association Member

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

May 2020	Faculty Research Forum Presenter South College School of Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee
May 2020	Southeastern Residency Conference Evaluator University of Georgia School of Pharmacy Virtual Evaluations
April 2020	Tennessee Board of Pharmacy Meeting Attendee Tennessee Board of Pharmacy Nashville, Tennessee
February 2020	APhA Student Counseling Competition Evaluator South College Knoxville, Tennessee
January 2020 – February 2020	Heart Health Biometric Screenings Director Kroger Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee
December 2019 – Present	Diabetes Prevention Program Coach Kroger Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee
August 2019 – Present	Admissions Applicant Interviewer South College School of Pharmacy Knoxville, Tennessee
September 2019	Emerging Leaders Program Attendee Tennessee Pharmacist Association Knoxville, Tennessee
February 2018	Legislative Day Pharmacy Advocate Maryland Pharmacist Association Annapolis, Maryland
August 2015 – May 2019	Admissions Applicant Student Interviewer University of Maryland School of Pharmacy Baltimore, Maryland

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

March 2020	Interprofessional Experience Event Facilitator South College Doctoral Programs Knoxville, Tennessee
------------	--

October 2019 **National Prescription Drug Take Back Day Volunteer**
Kroger Pharmacy
Maryville, Tennessee

September 2019 **Tennessee Valley Health Screening Event Supervisor**
Tennessee Valley Fair Grounds
Knoxville, Tennessee

August 2019 **Interprofessional Experience Grand Rounds Coordinator**
South College Doctoral Programs
Knoxville, Tennessee

August 2018 **White Coat Ceremony Volunteer**
University of Maryland School of Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

May 2018 **Centro Sol Latino Community Outreach Coordinator**
Bilingual Christian Church of Baltimore
Baltimore, Maryland

April 2018 **Refugee Youth Project Volunteer**
Wellwood International School
Baltimore, Maryland

October 2017 **OTC Education Community Fair Volunteer**
Arbutus Fire Department
Arbutus, Maryland

November 2016 **Vote and Vax Volunteer**
Baltimore Senior Center
Baltimore, Maryland

April 2016 **Diabetes Education Event Education Provider**
Walgreens Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

April 2016 **AACP USA Science and Engineering Festival Volunteer**
Walter E. Washington Convention Center
Washington, D.C.

February 2016 **HIV Screening Volunteer**
Walgreens Pharmacy
Baltimore, Maryland

REFERENCES

Available upon request