

COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP OF WESTERN NEBRASKA
BOARD MEMBER GENERAL INFORMATION FORM

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County/District to be represented: Scottsbluff County. I agree to represent the needs of the residents of this county.

DG Initial, I agree that I am not an employee, agent, or officer of CAPWN nor am I an immediate family member of an employee. Immediate family is defined as a spouse, partner, child, parent, or sibling who is related by blood, marriage, or adoption.

I am ☒ am not ☐ aware of the services available through the CAPWN Community Health Center.

I will ☐, will not ☒ use the CAPWN Community Health Center for my medical, behavioral health, or dental care.

I am or have been a Migrant or can represent the needs of Migrant families ☐

I am or have experienced homelessness ☐

I have experienced poverty or can represent the needs of low-income individuals ☐

Additional explanation

I can contribute the following as a board member to support the mission of CAPWN:

Have provided pharmaceutical services for Scottsbluff and surrounding area since 1974 which has enabled me to gain a comprehensive working knowledge of health care services in Western Nebraska

I am involved in the following organizations and activities:

Nebraska SHIP assisting Senior of Western NE with Medicare Part D

Nebraska Pharmacy Association

American Society of Hospital Pharmacists

Signature: Donald Graham

Date: 7-29-25

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OBJECTIVE

I am seeking an appointment to the Community Action Partnership of Western Nebraska Advisory Board. My experience as a pharmacist and a pharmacy manger/director serving the population of Scottsbluff County and the Western Panhandle provides me with an extensive background for discussing the provision of health care services in this area.

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- ⇒ Ability to work successfully with a diverse staff
- ⇒ Easily adapt to new work environments
- ⇒ Forty=three years of experience in a wide range of pharmaceutical responsibilities and processes
- ⇒ Demonstrated ability to work accurately and constructively in a fast-paced and high stress environment
- ⇒ Highly motivated self-starter with strong communication, interpersonal and managerial skills
- ⇒ Demonstrated expertise in the delivery of clinical pharmacy services
- ⇒ Skilled in using Microsoft Word, Power Point, Excel and Internet applications.

EDUCATION

- ⇒ B.S. degree in Chemistry, University of Nebraska College of Arts and Sciences, Lincoln, NE, 1973
 - Duomatriculated between the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Pharmacy
- ⇒ B.S. degree in Pharmacy, University of Nebraska College of Pharmacy, Omaha, NE , 1974
 - Clerkships in the University of Nebraska inpatient and outpatient pharmacy services, the Veterans Hospital inpatient services and several Community pharmacy settings
- ⇒ Masters of Business Administration, University of Colorado College of Business, Boulder, CO, 1987
 - Emphasis on strategic planning and interpretation of multiple financial tools utilized by middle and senior management positions.
- ⇒ Certified Pharmacist Immunizer through APhA, 2006

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- ⇒ 7/2017 to present Part time pharmacist for Safeway Pharmacy
 - Semi-Retired. Providing dispensing and clinical services
- ⇒ 4/2004 to 2006 Consultant Pharmacist for Garden County Health Services
 - Responsible for the general supervision of the facility's pharmaceutical services
- ⇒ 3/2003 to 3/2017 Manager Walgreens Pharmacy
 - Supervise five professional staff and 12 technical staff
 - Responsible for market penetration and business development
 - Expanded pharmacy services to 24 hour in October, 2004
 - Responsible for 5 million dollar expense budget

⇒ 1/2002 to 3/2003 Director of Pharmacy Services for Box Butte General Hospital

- Responsible for 1 million dollar expense budget
- Supervise two professional staff and two technical staff
- Implemented unit dose distribution services and intravenous admixture services
- Installed pyxis automation for inventory management, charge capture maximization, and narcotic control
- Emphasized the maximization of computer technology to automate all functions of pharmacy distribution, clinical functions and documentation
- Facilitated, in concert with the Medical Staff, a structured Formulary and respected Pharmacy and Therapeutics committee with emphasis on therapeutic interchange and generic substitution.
- Developed the process for automating the BBGH employee prescription benefit, moving away from a manual system

⇒ 7/1974 to 11/2001 Director of Pharmacy Services for Regional West Medical Center

- Responsible for 3.2 million dollar expense budget
- Supervised eleven professional staff and ten support staff
- Designed an inpatient pharmacy infrastructure to deliver unit dose distribution, intravenous admixture services and employee prescription services
- Developed and coordinated a faculty based internship experience unitizing the RHEN program at Regional West for pharmacy students from the University of Nebraska College of Pharmacy, Omaha, NE
- Directed the installation and implementation of a fully integrated pharmacy computer system allowing automation of all components of the pharmacy distribution and clinical functions.
- Designed and implemented an outpatient pharmacy infrastructure to provide prescription services for hospital employees and for the patients of the Horizons Medical Office Plaza.
- Developed and marketed clinical pharmacy services which promote pharmacokinetic dosing, therapeutic interchange, formulary management and pharmaceutical interventions.
- Developed a respected and effective pharmacy and therapeutics committee
- Developed an electronic flow control service involving the monitoring, billing, and distribution of electronic flow control equipment for inpatients and outpatients
- Installed Pyxis automation for inventory management, charge capture maximization, and narcotic control

⇒ 1992 to 2000 Director of Materials Management for Regional West Medical Center

- Responsible for the management of pharmacy services and materials for this eight year period
- Accountable for a 2.5 million dollar expense budget
- Managed 16 employees in four departments: print shop, purchasing, distribution and sterile services
- Installed Pyxis automation for inventory management and charge capture maximization
- Responsible for the negotiation and acquisition of major capital purchases

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

- ⇒ American Society of Health System Pharmacists (ASHP)
- ⇒ Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association (NPA)
- ⇒ Member of the Board of Directors for the Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association 1985-1987
- ⇒ Served on the Western Region VHA Advisory Board 1986
- ⇒ Served as Chairman of the VHA Mountain States Pharmacy group 1988-1989

LICENSURE

- ⇒ State of Nebraska, 1974, No. 8964
- ⇒ State of Colorado, 1986, No. 12203

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS AND LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- ⇒ Participated in the American Management Association skills development seminar, "Improving Your Managerial Effectiveness" March 2001
- ⇒ ASHP/Burroughs Wellcome management training program August 1998
- ⇒ Employee of the year, Regional West Medical Center 1987
- ⇒ Leadership Scottsbluff Graduate, 1991
- ⇒ Scottsbluff YMCA volunteer of the Season, Fall of 1992
- ⇒ Served as member of the Government affairs Committee for the Scottsbluff/Gering United Chamber of Commerce 1987-1992
- ⇒ Boss of the Year, Scottsbluff Volunteer Fire Department 1993

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- ⇒ Pharmacology Instructor for West Nebraska General Hospital School of Nursing Associate Degree Program
- ⇒ Facilitator for ACPE approved continuing education programs for pharmacists in Western Nebraska
- ⇒ Volunteer faculty for the University of Nebraska College of Pharmacy

PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

- ⇒ One day symposium on "Congestive Heart Failure" for Western Nebraska Community College
- ⇒ One day symposium on "Drug-Food Interactions" for Chadron State College
- ⇒ One day symposium on "Treatment and Control of High Blood Pressure" for Chadron State College
- ⇒ Review course for graduate registered nurses at Western Nebraska Community College titled, "Pharmacology Review."
- ⇒ Primary speaker for area dieticians attending the Helen Becker Conference on the topic of "Food-Drug Interactions, Do they Exist?"
- ⇒ Coordinator of continuing education programs for pharmacists for the Midwest Health Congress in Kansas City, Missouri
- ⇒ Contributing editor to "Doc Talk" and "Med Staff", Regional West Medical Center Medical Staff newsletters
- ⇒ Have given several diverse presentations to many patient support groups and community service organizations