

# Pharmacy Residency Preceptors



## Pharmacy Leadership Team



**Megan Ose, PharmD, MHSA, DPLA**

*Director of Pharmacy*

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** Master of Health Services Administration from University of Michigan

**When did you start at CW?** 2014

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I was lucky enough to be matched with a pediatric APPE experience, which sparked my interest in caring for this population! In my free time, I enjoy traveling, golfing, and spending time with my family.



**Jesse Cramer, PharmD, BCPPS**

*Manager, Clinical Pharmacy Services*

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** Non-traditional PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**When did you start at CW?** 2012

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I enjoy figuring out the unique, complex problems that come up in pediatric medicine that require critical thinking and creativity



**Nitish Bangalore, PharmD, MHA**

*Pharmacy Operations Manager*

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Illinois – Chicago College of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at United Hospital/Children's Hospital of Minnesota; Master's in Healthcare Administration – University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

**When did you start at CW?** 2021

**Fun fact about yourself:** I grew up in Chicago. Don't hold that against me! I'm a Bucks, Brewers, and Packers fan. I am married to Ingrid, and I have a son, Kiran, and a daughter, Divya. Though I was not a scout growing up, I am a volunteer leader of my son's Scouting America boy troop as well as a co-founder of a girl troop, of which my daughter was an inaugural member.



**Tom Hanson, RPh**

*Pharmacy Operations Manager*

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Minnesota

**Post-Graduate Training:** Certified in Epic Willow and Beacon

**When did you start at CW?** 1991

**Fun fact about yourself:** My primary hobby of rock climbing has taken me all over the United States from California, Wyoming, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico and even South Korea. I enjoy road biking, tennis and traveling as time allows. For my career, I'm grateful that I was able to join the pharmacy department at Children's Hospital. It has been rewarding being a part of fighting illnesses for kids. Professionally, there's always something to learn in pediatric pharmacy which makes every day interesting.

## Pharmacy Residency Advisory Council (RAC)



### **W. Scott Waggoner, PharmD, BCPPS**

*Residency Program Director*

**Pharmacy Education:** Creighton University School of Pharmacy and Health Professions

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Minnesota; PGY-2 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Solid Organ Transplant

**When did you start at CW?** 2005

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I started at CW as a PGY-2 resident and I like to think I did a PGY-2 residency before it was cool! My research project during my PGY-2 year was starting a pharmacist service in liver transplant clinic which has grown to cover liver, heart, and kidney transplant clinics. It is

amazing to see kids get a new lease on life after an organ transplant! I enjoy working with pharmacy residents because their desire to learn and be challenged reminds me of why I love pediatric pharmacy. When I am not at work, I enjoy spending time with my family, my dog, doing home improvement projects, cooking, and being part of the local martial arts community.



### **Jenny Moran, RPh, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Rotation:** Hematology/Oncology & Bone Marrow Transplant

**When did you start at CW?** 1989

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I love pediatric pharmacy because I learn something new every single day. In addition, my patients are inspiring because they can be super sick one day and playing in the hall with an IV pole in tow the next day! I love working with pharmacy residents because I learn a lot more from the questions and discussions we have than they will ever learn from me. Outside of work, I spend every minute that I can outside in both summer or winter enjoying time with my family, dogs, and friends. We hike, walk, ski, play games, and laugh!



### **Lynnea Braden, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotations:** Emergency Department & Trauma Center, Longitudinal Trauma Team

**When did you start at CW?** 2015

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** My hobbies include reading and traveling. Some of the most beautiful scenery in the world can be seen in Switzerland! I was drawn to pediatric pharmacy because of the grey area of pediatric pharmaceutical care. Nothing is black and white in pediatric medication therapy and that allows the pharmacist to be an integral part of the multidisciplinary team.



**Kayla Huebner, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Le Bonheur Children’s Hospital; PGY-2 at Children’s Minnesota

**Rotations:** PGY-2 General Medicine, PGY-2 Precepting, Staffing

**When did you start at CW?** 2022

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I’m originally from WI and continue to be happy working here after training and working out of state. I absolutely love being a pediatric pharmacist and all of the clinical challenges, inter-professional connections, and teaching opportunities we encounter on a daily basis. I have loads of Wisconsin pride (GO Badgers/Packers/Brewers/Bucks!) and when I’m not at work I enjoy spending time with my crazy

yellow lab Lincoln, seeing family, going Up North, cooking/baking, crafting, trying new breweries in Milwaukee, and traveling when I get the chance.



**Stephanie Pizzino, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 & PGY-2 at Children’s Wisconsin

**Rotations:** Drug Information

**When did you start at CW?** 2013

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** No day is the same in pediatric medicine which is why I love it so much. Pediatric pharmacists thrive in the gray area and it’s uniquely rewarding to provide care outside our comfort zones for the small yet mighty. I consider myself fortunate to work with such a devoted and passionate group who come to work every day to do what’s best for our patients and teach the next generation of pediatric pharmacists. I relish the time outside of work with my husband, two boys, and our pup,

Archie – we love tinkering on home improvement projects, visiting local coffee shops and breweries, and releasing our energy outdoors as much as we can.

## Pharmacy Residency Preceptors



### **Abby Mabie, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** Medical College of Wisconsin – School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Ascension St. Joseph

**Rotation:** Central Pharmacy/IV Room

**When did you start at CW?** 2023

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I have always been interested in pediatric medicine because it is such a gray area of pharmacy and full of innovation. I truly learn something new at work essentially every day! In my free time I enjoy cooking, watching TV, attending Packers and Brewers games, listening to Taylor Swift, and spending time with my husband and two cats.



### **Anna Kissell, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Pittsburgh – School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

**When did you start at CW?** 2009

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** My favorite part of practicing in pediatrics is solving complex medication problems for our patients creatively & safely. In my free time I enjoy hiking, gardening, crafting, reading nonfiction, and spending time with my husband & our 2 cats.



### **Brianna Mayer, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

**When did you start at CW?** 2017

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** Working in an environment surrounded by kids and surrounded by people who love working with kids is so fun and rewarding! Pediatric medicine is full of unique clinical scenarios so I feel like I am constantly learning new things and brainstorming creative solutions to provide the best patient care. Outside of work I love to travel, spend time outside, and try new recipes and restaurants!



**Chris Leuenberger, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Ascension All Saints Hospital

**Rotation:** Central Pharmacy/IV Room

**When did you start at CW?** 2017

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I enjoy working here because of the impact that we make on our patients lives everyday. Some of my hobbies include traveling, camping, skiing, and I am big marvel/star wars fan.



**Hannah Wolfram, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** Concordia University Wisconsin – School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** General Medicine

**When did you start at CW?** 2015

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I appreciate the challenge associated with pediatric pharmacy and am frequently amazed by the resiliency of this patient population. Outside of work I can be found (happily) chasing around our toddler twin boys and two dogs with my husband!



**James Larson, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare – St. Joseph Campus, Milwaukee

**Rotation:** Central Pharmacy/IV Room

**When did you start at CW?** 2014

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I have worked in a hospital pharmacy in some capacity since 2005, and have always been drawn to the challenges presented by pediatrics. Professionally, my focuses are neonatal care, solid organ transplant, and antimicrobial monitoring. I enjoy traveling to new places with my wife, trying different craft beers, and going to Packer games!



### **Jena Jastrow, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Multi-Disciplinary Clinic

**When did you start at CW?** 2005 as a tech, 2009 as intern, 2011 as resident

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I fell in love with CW and pediatric pharmacy when I started as a tech in 2005 and they have never been able to get rid of me. I have interests in several different areas so can be found in the ED, PICU, and primarily now in the outpatient clinics for solid organ transplant, complex care, and cystic fibrosis. Outside of Children's I spend my time with my three young children and enjoy traveling anywhere and everywhere, occasionally still with my co-residents Melissa and Jamie :)



### **Melissa Meuler, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 & PGY-2 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)

**When did you start at CW?** 2011

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I've loved pediatric pharmacy from the start but didn't fall in love with critical care until residency. My nephew has complex congenital heart disease and is treated here at Children's which enabled me to form a special bond with the staff and families in our CICU. I've been to 17 countries and 34 states - some of my favorite memories include bungee-jumping in New Zealand and mushing sled dogs on an Alaskan glacier. I also enjoy a good competitive board game night -- I once

lost the best out of 100 game cribbage series 49 to 51.



### **Justin Staubli, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 & PGY-2 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotations:** Emergency Department & Trauma Center, Staffing

**When did you start at CW?** 2020

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I love the unique practice setting of pediatrics requiring pharmacists to practice at a much higher level, but the true reason I chose pediatrics is because of the patients. The courage, resilience, and grace these kiddos display while facing overwhelming adversity is inspiring and motivates me to operate to the best of my ability every single day. When not staffing, you can find me trying out new restaurants or breweries or traveling to a new national park!



**Katie Wierer, PharmD, BCPPS, BCCPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)

**When did you start at CW?** 2007

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I first was exposed to pediatric pharmacy as an APPE student at Children's Wisconsin, loved it, and have been lucky enough to work here ever since! In my free time I love hiking and snowshoeing with my husband and 3 kids, reading, and crocheting.



**Meghan Belden, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Wisconsin – Madison School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at UnityPoint Health – Meriter Hospital

**Rotations:** General Medicine, PGY-2 Precepting

**When did you start at CW?** 2014

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I enjoy traveling and all kinds of watersports like fishing, waterskiing and paddle boarding. My husband and I volunteer as foster parents for the Wisconsin Humane Society and our rescue pup, Ranger, is our pride and joy. Practicing pediatric pharmacy is so rewarding and our patients inspire me every day.



**Meghan Wagner, PharmD, BCPPS**

**Pharmacy Education:** University of Mississippi – School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center PGY-2 at Children's Wisconsin

**Rotation:** PGY-2 General Medicine, Committees

**When did you start at CW?** 2020

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I love pediatric pharmacy first and foremost because I get to take care of the cutest and most resilient patients! I also love all of the clinical challenges that come with pediatric pharmacy and working within a team to develop care plans when there is not always an easy and obvious answer. Outside of work, I like reading, rock climbing, cooking, and playing with my giant dog, Sonnett.



**Rachael Savage, PharmD**

**Pharmacy Education:** Medical College of Wisconsin – School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Children's of Alabama

**Rotation:** General Medicine, Staffing

**When did you start at CW?** 2016

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** Once I decided that I wanted to pursue pharmacy, I also knew I wanted to practice in pediatrics. I love the resiliency of the population - I am amazed every day at what some of our patients do! My personal life is run 99% by my two dogs, Piper and Brynn and 1% by my husband, Matt. We love trying new restaurants/breweries and traveling... anything that is dog friendly!



**Sarah Seward, PharmD, BCPS, CPHIMS**

**Pharmacy Education:** Concordia University School of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** PGY-1 at Ascension – St. Francis Hospital; PGY-2 at Hospital Sisters Health System – St. Elizabeth's Hospital

**Rotation:** Informatics

**When did you start at CW?** 2019

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I love to travel! In non-COVID times I'm always planning a trip somewhere. I'm also a foodie, and love trying new things. I may not like it, but at least I tried it! I love pediatric medicine, because it's a real test of the capabilities of the electronic medical record system.



**Tracy Zembles, PharmD, BCPS-AQ ID, BCIDP**

**Pharmacy Education:** Drake University (Des Moines, IA)

**Rotation:** Infectious Disease & Antimicrobial Stewardship

**When did you start at CW?** 2004

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I chose to work in pediatrics because of the uniqueness of creating appropriate drug regimens and dosing for children. My area of expertise is Antimicrobial Stewardship and Infectious Diseases, though I have experience in Critical Care as well. The most interesting challenges for me are infections in critically ill patients. For fun, I enjoy running, reading, and traveling.



**Pharmacy Education:** University of Illinois at Chicago College of Pharmacy

**Post-Graduate Training:** Fellowship in Clinical Toxicology and Emergency Medicine at Banner University Medical Center Phoenix

**Rotations:** Emergency Department & Trauma Center, Longitudinal Trauma Team

**When did you start at CW?** 2015

**Fun fact about yourself/why peds?:** I like that when working with pediatric patients, there are so many unique patient situations that come up that challenge us to think critically.