

AGENDA



HOSPITAL PHARMACY

NEW ORLEANS

APRIL 14-16, 2025



MONDAY APRIL 14

8:00am–7:00pm

SUPPLIER REGISTRATION

8:00am–10:00am

PROVIDER BREAKFASTS (BY INVITATION ONLY)

10:30am–11:40am

EXECUTIVE CONNECT MEETINGS (BY INVITATION ONLY)

11:30am–4:00pm

PROVIDER REGISTRATION

This special Provider Registration is for all Hospital Pharmacy Leaders and GPO Executives. Relax and enjoy a light meal and networking with your peers as you register for the conference. Lunch for Providers will be served between 11:30am and 3:00pm.



11:30am–4:00pm

SUPPLIER SHOWCASE

Select Suppliers will showcase their products, services and technology. Showcases are designed to provide a limited number of supplier attendees with an opportunity to demonstrate their products, services and solutions for the provider executives. To maximize this experience for everyone, only Providers and Supplier attendees from companies with a showcase exhibit will be permitted into the showcase area. Please contact us to learn how you can participate. Please note that lunch is not provided for Suppliers or Showcase exhibitors. There are several restaurant outlets in the hotel which are available at your convenience.

2:00pm–2:30pm

SUPPLIER ORIENTATION

All Suppliers are welcome to attend this orientation meeting. This informational orientation meeting is an excellent opportunity for first time Supplier attendees to gain a clear understanding of our conference, specifically the **reverse** expo and how it works.

4:15pm–5:30pm

PROVIDER ORIENTATION & SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT

All Hospital Pharmacy Leaders and GPO Executives are required to attend this orientation meeting, which will provide important information pertaining to the conference and introduce a few of our sponsors.

5:30pm–6:00pm

WELCOME RECEPTION (ALL ATTENDEES)

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6:00pm–9:00pm

HOSPITALITY SUITES HOSTED BY OUR SPONSORS

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TUESDAY APRIL 15

7:00am–6:00pm

REGISTRATION DESK OPEN

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7:00am–8:00am

BREAKFAST (ALL ATTENDEES)

8:00am–9:30am



OPENING REMARKS & KEYNOTE ADDRESS (ALL ATTENDEES)

RELATIONAL INTELLIGENCE: ACCELERATING HIGH-TRUST, RESILIENT, AND REWARDING RELATIONSHIPS

SHASTA NELSON

Did you know that over 60% of our employees are lonely, which directly increases turnover, hurts resiliency, lowers creativity, and compromises physical and mental health?

As a go-to leading expert on relationships for over a decade, Shasta Nelson inspires her audience with the science of bonding, teaching them the 3 things that will lead to high-trust, resilient, and rewarding relationships at work and at home. Whether she's speaking at conferences or on TEDx stages, giving media interviews to outlets such as The New York Times and The Washington Post, or appearing as a guest on The Harvard Business Review podcast or The Steve Harvey Show, she is constantly teaching all of us how to create healthier and more fulfilling relationships in our lives. She has written 3 books on the subject, including her latest one *The Business of Friendship: How to Make the Most of Our Relationships Where We Spend Most of Our Time* as she helps reduce loneliness and increase wellbeing in our workplaces.

Whether she's working with your leaders, your sales teams, your remote workforce, or your customer-facing professionals, Shasta will reveal the three factors needed to cultivate all healthy relationships. In making the science immediately actionable, Shasta also motivates those she works with to establish rituals and practices that will quickly lead to resilient, high-trust, and rewarding and bonded relationships. These stronger bonds will lead to greater loyalty and retention, elevated levels of co-creation in the marketplace, a more differentiated customer experience, and increased happiness and engagement for all involved.

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Evaluate their own personal relationships for greater health and happiness
- Boost trust and connection around you between leaders and with team members
- Take actionable steps toward more fulfilling relationships
- Increase employee retention, engagement, and collaboration

9:30am–9:45am

COFFEE BREAK

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EDUCATIONAL SESSION

DIVERSION - PART 1: INSPECTION & SURVEY PREPARATION
BILL MATTHEWS

11:00am–12:00pm

EDUCATIONAL SESSION

DIVERSION - PART 2: MITIGATION STRATEGIES
BILL MATTHEWS

11:45am–1:00pm

LUNCH

12:15pm–1:15pm

LUNCH 'N' LEARNS (BY INVITATION ONLY)

1:30pm–3:30pm



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4:00pm–5:00pm



EDUCATIONAL SESSION

READING THE HEALTH POLICY TEA LEAVES AFTER THE 2024 ELECTION
KEN PEREZ

Ken Perez is the President of ScriptPro, a leading provider of operational, financial and clinical solutions for pharmacies. Previously, he served as Vice President of Healthcare Policy and Government Affairs for Omnicell, a leading provider of medication management solutions. Ken is a member of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Foundation board, and he has served as an “Eye on Washington” columnist for HFM, the peer-reviewed journal of the Healthcare Financial Management Association, since 2011. Ken has contributed over 200 articles, columns and commentaries to a wide range of publications, and two dozen of his columns are indexed by PubMed, a service of the National Library of Medicine and the National Institutes of Health. Ken has a MBA degree with concentrations in finance and accounting from UCLA Anderson and a BA degree in international relations with a concentration in economics from Stanford University.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- *An analytical framework for determining the most likely health policies under the new administration*
- *The health policies espoused by President Donald Trump and his key health-related appointees*
- *The actions taken by the new administration during its first few months*
- *The most likely health policies given the composition and leadership of the 119th Congress*

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DINNER & ENTERTAINMENT

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SESSION 2

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10:30am–11:30am

EDUCATIONAL SESSION

340B PANEL: BEYOND THE BASICS

**FEATURING CHRIS HATWIG AND TWO ADDITIONAL PANELISTS;
RUTH CASSIDY, CHIEF PHARMACY OFFICER AS MODERATOR**

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