



## 2017 GeriMed Conference Session Info

### [\\*Revised Conference Agenda](#)

*At GeriMed, our annual conference is developed and presented to meet our member pharmacies' business needs. We encourage our members to search new opportunities to maximize profitability in their pharmacy. These sessions have been designed to inform and educate our members.*

### **Election Year Forecast: The Effects on Long Term Care Pharmacy**

**Frank Grosso, ASCP / Ronna Hauser, NCPA - 4/20 @ 8:30am**

- Priorities and potential impact on short cycle fill, NADAC and FUL and other pharmacy issues connected to the Affordable Care Act
- What is expected to be accomplished with the new administration in the next 12-18 months?
- Who are the important players today?

### **Cyber Security: A New Era in Pharmacy Technology**

**Shawn Waldman, Secure Cyber Defense - 4/20 @ 10:30am**

- What vulnerabilities does the average pharmacy have in their IT departments?
- How can pharmacies be proactive in preventing hacking and other compromises of IT systems?
- What training should be included for IT staff as well as pharmacy staff?

### **Changing Face of Long Term Care**

**Susan Rhodus, GeriMed - 4/20 @ 1:30pm**

- Community based opportunities - how does my pharmacy get involved?
- Are you billing and purchasing to maximize your reimbursement?
- Implications of biosimilars, specialty drugs, and vaccines in LTC

### **2018 LTC MTM/Star Interventions: Are you Ready for a Carve Out?**

**Christopher Mangione, GeriMed / Tommy Philpot, Profiles by GeriMed - 4/20 @ 2:30pm**

- STAR ratings and long term care - 2017 and beyond
- MTM for long term care - 2018 and beyond
- How can your pharmacy be involved in better care through CMR and targeted interventions?

## Value Based Healthcare and the Mega Rule: Implications for all Phases of LTC

*Speaker TBA - 4/21 @ 8:00am*

- What does value based healthcare mean for skilled facilities, assisted living and other types of facilities?
- What programs and assets can long term care pharmacies offer to assist with value based healthcare?
- What do long term care pharmacies need to be talking to their facilities and patients about to support the changes in the new nursing home regulations?

## Audits: Trends and Solutions

*Lewis Romero, GeriMed - 4/21 @ 10:00am*

- How can I decrease the chances of a desk or onsite audit?
- What are the current trends that many long term care pharmacies are seeing?
- How can a LTC pharmacy decrease take backs from audits?

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## Have you registered yet?

**The GeriMed conference registration deadline and room block cut-off date is Friday, March 10th.**

After this date, the room rate will increase and reservations will be made based on availability. Please be sure to visit the group website for The Marriott Harbor Beach in order to book your accommodations. To complete your registration, please fill out the form below and return to GeriMed.

\*[GeriMed Conference Registration Form](#)

\*[Marriott Harbor Beach Reservations](#)

\*[Early Registrant Giveaway Prize Drawing](#)

\*[Conference Invitation w/ Additional Hotel & Travel Information](#)

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GERIMED will release the details on the following topics in the next conference update:

- Continuing Education Credits (CE)
- Opening Reception & Dinner Event Details

Pharmacies and exhibitors with registration or hotel reservation questions may contact [Devon McCulloch](#) and session questions may be directed to [Susan Rhodus](#).

**We look forward to seeing you in Ft. Lauderdale!**