

CLINICAL PHARMACY SERVICES

COMMUNITY HEALTH CONNECTIONS



As a member of our Medical Provider Team, Dr. Alexis DiGeronimo provides clinical pharmacy services to our patients and works directly with our providers.

Clinical pharmacists at a community health center play an important patient-centered role to improve medication use, outcomes, safety and education. The focus is to ensure medications are appropriate, effective, safe and affordable.

A clinical pharmacist also educates our medical providers on medication updates and has the ability to prescribe, order labs in collaboration with your primary care provider.

CHC does not have onsite dispensing pharmacies, but does have special programs through Health Safety Net and MedMinder to improve access to medications.

Clinical Pharmacy Services and support include the following:

One-on-one patient visits:

- Medication Review & Education
 - Review each medication use, directions, indications (prescriptions, OTC & Supplements)
 - Identify & solve potential issues (duplications, interactions or unnecessary medications)
 - Teach patients when and how to take medications, explain side effects
 - Address medication barriers like cost, literacy or transportation
 - Improve medication adherence and simplify regimens
- Collaborative Drug Therapy Management
 - Assist in the management of chronic condition such as Diabetes, Hypertension, Asthma/COPD
 - Works with your provider to optimize medication therapy (prescribe, order labs, follow up)
- Diabetes Education
 - Individual and group diabetes education services are provided
 - Understanding blood sugar numbers, glucose monitor training, continuous glucose monitoring

Ask your provider for a referral to meet with our clinical pharmacist!



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