

# Preceptors for the PGY1 Residency Program at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional

## Danielle Austin



Danielle Austin is the supervisor for the pharmacy department's oncology and outpatient infusion services at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. Danielle received her Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy degree in 1990 from Howard University.

Danielle is a Board Certified Oncology Pharmacist.

## Scott Baker



Scott is a full-time clinical/operations hybrid pharmacist at Tidal Health Peninsula Regional. He completed his Doctorate of Pharmacy degree at The University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy and his PGY1 pharmacy residency at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. He currently serves as the PGY1 pharmacy residency coordinator, and he is a preceptor-in-training. His areas of interest include cardiology, anticoagulation and critical care. In his free time, Scott enjoys taking his dog to the beach.

Scott is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

## Sarah Benner



Sarah Benner is the psychiatric clinical pharmacist and clinical pharmacy coordinator at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. Her current research interests include optimization of patient care and substance abuse.

Sarah received her bachelor's degree in biology from the University of Virginia, and her PharmD from the University of Maryland Baltimore. She completed her PGY1 pharmacy residency at Sentara Rockingham Memorial Hospital Center in Harrisonburg, Virginia. She then completed her PGY2 specialty residency in psychiatry at the University of Maryland Baltimore School of Pharmacy practicing at several state psychiatric hospital centers.

Sarah is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist and Psychiatric Pharmacist.

### Ralph Bunting



Ralph Bunting is a clinical pharmacist at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. After working as a pharmacy technician at the medical center, Ralph graduated from Campbell University School of Pharmacy in 2009 with his PharmD. He rejoined the team at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional after working in community pharmacy and now works primarily on the pharmacotherapy service.

### Bill Cooper



Bill Cooper is the outpatient pharmacy manager for TidalHealth. Prior to Bill's current position he served as pharmacy operations manager for the department. Bill has practiced pharmacy on the Eastern Shore of Maryland his entire career and has experience in the retail, home infusion, long term and acute care.

Bill received his Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy from the University of Maryland Baltimore School of Pharmacy in 1984.

In addition to being a licensed pharmacist (immunization certified) in Maryland and Delaware, Bill is a member of the local fire department with 32 years of active service that includes being a Certified Rescue Technician, a Certified Farm Medic and continues to be involved in EMS as a current emergency medical technician.

### Rachel Cordrey



Rachel Cordrey is a pharmacy supervisor in central pharmacy operations at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional.

Rachel Cordrey graduated with a Bachelor's of Science in Biological Sciences from the University of Maryland College Park in 2011, then a Doctorate of Pharmacy from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy in 2014. Rachel is currently working towards a Master's in Healthcare Administration from the University of Maryland University College. She has served as the Pharmacy Supervisor of inpatient operations at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional since 2016.

### Ashley Dennis



Ashley Dennis is a pharmacy informatics analyst working primarily with EPIC, Connect RX, and DoseEdge systems at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. Ashley also works as a staff pharmacist at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional on a per diem basis.

Ashley received her Doctorate of Pharmacy degree in 2013 at The University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy. She then completed a 1 year ASHP accredited pharmacy practice residency at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional in 2014.

Ashley is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

### Patrick Dougherty



Patrick Dougherty is a clinical pharmacist in the emergency department and trauma center and the director of the PGY-1 pharmacy residency program at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional.

Patrick received his PharmD from the University of Rhode Island College of Pharmacy in 2008. He completed a two-year clinical toxicology fellowship at the University of Maryland Baltimore School of Pharmacy and the Maryland Poison Center from 2008 – 2010, and then joined TidalHealth Peninsula Regional as a clinical pharmacist. He is a member of the hospital's stroke and acute MI teams, as well as serving on the Wicomico County Drug Abuse Task Force. He also coordinates the hospital's monthly Pharmacy Grand Rounds continuing education seminars and precepts students on advanced pharmacy practice experiences in the emergency department.

Patrick is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

### John Jordan



John Jordan is the Senior Director of Pharmacy Services for TidalHealth. John is also an associate professor for the University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy and Health Professions.

John received his Doctorate of Pharmacy degree in 1995 from the University of Maryland Baltimore School of Pharmacy. He then completed an ASHP accredited Residency in Pharmacy Practice at Shore Health System in Easton, MD under the direction of Dr. Tom Sisca.

John is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

### Padraic Keen



Padraic Keen is a fulltime pharmacist at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. He works in the central pharmacy, oncology/infusion, overnight, and hybrid pharmacy operational areas. He graduated with his PharmD from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore in 2013. He then completed a PGY-1 pharmacy residency at Meritus Health in Hagerstown, MD in 2014. Padraic uses a team-based approach to pharmacy workflow, and he is dedicated to thorough patient care. He enjoys living on the Delmarva Peninsula with his family.

Padraic is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

### Brittany La-viola



Brittany La-viola is a full-time assistant professor with the Pharmacy Practice & Administration department at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy and Health Professions. Brittany's clinical practice site is at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional in internal medicine. She is currently a preceptor-in-training for the PGY-1 internal medicine rotation, as well as the longitudinal academic experience. Brittany earned her Doctorate of Pharmacy degree from the Notre Dame of Maryland University School of Pharmacy in 2017 and completed her combined PGY-1/PGY-2 Pharmacotherapy residency with the University of the Incarnate Word Feik School of Pharmacy in San Antonio, Texas in 2019. Her areas of interest include cardiology, anticoagulation, acute care, transitions of care and teaching.

### Michael Miller



Michael Miller is a Clinical Pharmacist at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. His main focus is on antibiotic use and antimicrobial stewardship. He is also an assistant professor for the University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy and Health Professions.

Michael received his BA at SUNY Buffalo and then his BS in Pharmacy and PharmD at Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences in 1998. He then completed a residency in infectious diseases at Albany Medical Center in Albany NY.

Michael is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist and Infectious Disease Specialist.

## Nkem Nonyel



Nkem Nonyel is an Assistant Professor at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore School of Pharmacy and Health Professions with a clinical practice focus in population health at TidalHealth where she is developing, implementing, and managing a model pharmacy service. She worked as a clinical pharmacist at Holy Cross Hospital in Silver Spring, Maryland where she completed an ASHP-accredited PGY1 pharmacy residency.

Nkem earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy, Baltimore), Master of Public Health (MPH with Global Health) from the University of Maryland School of Medicine Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, and Bachelor of Science in Physics/Education from the University of Nigeria, Nsukka. Prior to entering the pharmacy profession, Dr. Nonyel practiced as a licensed practical nurse in both acute and sub-acute care settings, and in pediatric home care.

Her other interests include sickle cell disease, health disparities, cultural competency, medication safety, professional development, and traveling.

Nkem is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

## Dae Yim



Dae Yim is a clinical pharmacist at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional. Dae graduated from the University of Maryland Baltimore School of Pharmacy in 2000 with dual degrees of PharmD and MBA. In addition to his job at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional, Dae served as Chief Executive Officer for the startup pharmaceutical waste company, [www.ScanNDC.com](http://www.ScanNDC.com). Dae joined the clinical team in 2005. His main areas of clinical interest are palliative care and renal transplant medicine.

Dae is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.

**TidalHealth Peninsula Regional**  
**Residency Learning Experiences and Preceptors**

**Learning Experiences**

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**Preceptors**

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Academia (L)

**Brittany La-viola, PharmD**

Assistant Professor UMES SOP

Cardiology (E)

**Scott Baker, PharmD, BCPS**

Clinical Pharmacist – Pharmacotherapy

PGY-1 Residency Program Coordinator

Community Pharmacy (E)

**William Cooper, PD**

Manager – Outpatient Pharmacy

Critical Care (C)

**Ralph Bunting, PharmD**

Clinical Pharmacist – Pharmacotherapy

Emergency Medicine (C)

**Patrick Dougherty, PharmD, BCPS**

Clinical Pharmacist – Emergency Medicine

PGY-1 Residency Program Director

Hematology-Oncology (E)

**Danielle Austin, PharmD, BCOP**

Oncology Pharmacy Supervisor

Infectious Diseases (C)

**Michael Miller, PharmD, BCPS, BCIDP**

Clinical Pharmacist – Infectious Disease

Assistant Professor UMES SOP

Internal Medicine (C)

**Brittany La-viola, PharmD**

Pain Management/Palliative Care (E)	<b>Dae Yim, PharmD, MBA, BCPS</b> Clinical Pharmacist – Pharmacotherapy
Pharmacotherapy (C,L)	<b>Ralph Bunting, PharmD</b>
Pharmacy Informatics (E)	<b>Ashley Dennis, PharmD, BCPS</b> Pharmacy EMR Informatics Specialist
Pharmacy Management (C)	<b>John Jordan, PharmD, BCPS</b> Senior Director of Pharmacy Services Associate Professor UMES SOP
Pharmacy Practice & Operations (L)	<b>Rachel Cordrey, PharmD</b> Pharmacy Department Supervisor
Pharmacy Orientation (C)	<b>Rachel Cordrey, PharmD</b>
Psychiatric Medicine (E)	<b>Sarah Benner, PharmD, BCPS, BCPP</b> Clinical Pharmacist – Mental Health Clinical Pharmacy Coordinator
Public/Population Health (E)	<b>Nkem Nonyel, PharmD, MPH, BCPS</b> Population Health Pharmacist Assistant Professor UMES SOP
Research Project (C, L)	<b>Research Project Mentor will serve as Preceptor</b>

C = Core, E = Elective, L = Longitudinal