



Daneka Lucas, Pharm.D.

Daneka Lucas, originally from Houston, Texas, received her Doctor of Pharmacy from Hampton University. Upon graduation, she completed a one year Pharmacy Practice Residency at Howard University Hospital, where she conducted research on optimization of medication therapy in HIV patients.

She currently practices pharmacy at MedStar Georgetown University Hospital Pediatric Pharmacy where she works with the adult but mainly the pediatric/neonatal population for over fifteen years. She currently assists health care providers in providing the best medication therapy for patients.



As part of her ongoing effort to give back to the community, Daneka has practiced at CMS Health Initiatives, a nonprofit organization dedicated to decreasing health disparities by utilizing clinical pharmacists to provide health topic discussions and medication therapy management services to the underserved community in Washington, DC. For over 10 years she has taught clients how to manage various disease states. As the Director of Programs she assisted in developing and implementing several successful outreach programs including diabetes, HIV/AIDS, breast cancer, HIV Prevention, and provider training. All of these programs promoted health awareness in the DC community. She actively participates in numerous community endeavors while assisting in various fundraisers for Breast Cancer, Alzheimer's and Diabetes.

Daneka has certifications in Pharmacy Based Immunization Delivery and Medication Therapy Management Services. She is a member of Kappa Epsilon Professional Pharmacy Fraternity (Alpha Xi chapter), Washington Metropolitan Society of Health System Pharmacist (WMSHP), and Washington DC Pharmacy Association (WDCPhA).

As a member of WDCPhA, she has chaired two annual meetings, a past Director-at-Large as the Membership Chair, and is currently Vice President.