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Impact of COVID-19

# The U.S. Experience

**Thursday, Feb 17, 2022**

Virtual event (Zoom)

12:00 - 1:30 p.m EST



# Hannah Fish

**PharmD, CPHQ**

**Presenter**

Hannah serves as the National Community Pharmacists Association's director of Strategic Initiatives. She is responsible for developing and executing member education and research initiatives for the purpose of improving the operations and performance of community pharmacy businesses through the NCPA Innovation Center.

Dr. Fish previously served as Pharmacy Quality Alliance's Associate Director for Education and Communications. In her role, she was responsible for leading a broad range of activities focused on guiding PQA's communications strategy and developing special projects that drove strong organizational awareness, educational engagement and advanced patient care, including the development of immunization related performance measures.

Dr. Hannah Fish also served as PQA's 2015-2016 Executive Fellow where he championed the growth of the PQA academic component of their membership and successfully launched the PQA - CVS Health Foundation Scholars program.



# Bruce Winston

**Founder - Apex Pharmacies**

**Moderator**

Bruce Winston is an entrepreneur and pharmacist, having graduated from the University of Alberta in 1985. One year later, with the assistance of his two mentors, he purchased his first pharmacy in north Calgary.

In 2004, he founded Apex Pharmacies which he grew to 20 pharmacies in Alberta under the Sandstone Pharmacies brand. Bruce recently sold the group of pharmacies to Neighbourly Pharmacy. Now on the executive team at Neighbourly, Bruce's current position is Head of Alberta Pharmacy Strategy and Professional Affairs where he reports directly to the CEO. While he no longer directly owns a pharmacy, Bruce retains a deep personal commitment to the practice of pharmacy.

Bruce is a board member of the Alberta Pharmacists' Association where he currently holds the position of past president.



# Deborah D. Bowers,

PharmD, RPh, AFMC1

## Panelist

Received her PharmD degree from the University of South Carolina and practiced retail pharmacy for a few years at a mass merchandiser, before opening an independent pharmacy in York, SC in 2002 (Yorkville Pharmacy). I am an active member in SCPPhA serving many times as a delegate and board member (currently Upstate Director), NCPA and Lead Luminary for CPESN SC.

She's also an active member of her church and mission team of Liberty Church in York, SC. Started studying functional medicine due to wanting to help her patients be the best version of their wellness selves.



# Hashim Zaibak

**CEO - Hayat Pharmacy**

## **Panelist**

Received his Pharm.D. from the University of Illinois in Chicago and is board certified in therapy management and immunization. He is currently the CEO at Hayat Pharmacy, an independent pharmacy in the Greater Milwaukee area. Hashim has been Vice-President of the National Community Pharmacists Association since 2018.