

User Guide

Top Ten Emerging Health Care Trends: Implications for Patients, Providers, and Educators

This user guide will serve as a resource for the Top Ten Emerging Health Care Trends: Implications for Patients, Providers, and Educators PowerPoint, available at amcp.org/2014EmergingTrends/. The accompanying Executive Summary should also be used for additional information. We encourage users to read the Ahead of the Curve report, available at amcp.org/amcp-foundation/Resources/trends/ and use it as a reference when detailed background information is necessary.

Introduction

20 Years ago: The AACP issues the [Janus Commission Report](#) and the colleges of pharmacy's responsibility to navigate changes on the horizon.

In 2015: The changes experienced today are accelerating, and it will be critically important for pharmacy educators to not only comprehend today's trends but how to assume leadership roles and responsibilities for the pharmacy profession and their students.

The Top Ten Emerging Health Care Trends helps delineate today's most critical changes, identify trends that are inter-related, and identify opportunities for pharmacy leaders, including educators, to reshape their organizations to meet today's and tomorrow's challenges.

This presentation presents the results of a survey that identifies and links these changes, and suggests ways pharmacy educators can prepare the leaders of tomorrow.

Potential Audiences / Activities for Use

Please consider some of the following audiences and/or activities for sharing this presentation:

- Faculty members
- Curriculum committee
- Interprofessional groups
- Students
- Strategic planning
- Academic administration
- Advocacy groups

This presentation can be used in whole or in part to illustrate the trends. Individual trends and discussions may be extracted from this deck to supplement student learning. Alternatively, this module is constructed so that it can be used as an integrated whole, to provide pharmacy students a real understanding of the overall environment and principal factors that may affect their career.

Additional Resources

Webinars – The Foundation has developed a series of webinars discussing these top trends. The webinar recordings are available in the Foundation webinar archives (amcp.org/foundationwebinars). We encourage PowerPoint users to also utilize the webinars for teaching and learning.

Bibliography – a concise bibliography is available in the final publication. Detailed methodology and a full list of sources are available at amcp.org/SecondaryResearchFindings/.

Methodology

The 10 trends described in this program were the result first of a collation of public opinion in secondary sources obtained through a targeted literature review on emerging health care trends impacting managed care pharmacy. An advisory panel was organized to validate trends from the public domain, identify and prioritize the most important trends (through a series of ranking exercises and a live workshop), and provide insight on implications across health care stakeholders. This project sought to contemplate forcing factors that drive the current trends and potential new developments.

Citations

Ahead of the Curve. Top 10 Emerging Health Care Trends: Implications for Patients, Providers, Payers, and Pharmaceuticals 1st edition. Washington, D.C.: AMCP Foundation; 2014.

Bootman JL, et al. Approaching the Millennium: The Report of the AACP Janus Commission. *Am J Pharm Ed*, 1997, 61: 4S-10S.

Important Links

Ahead of the Curve Report. Top 10 Emerging Health Care Trends: Implications for Patients, Providers, Payers, and Pharmaceuticals: amcp.org/amcp-foundation/Resources/trends/

Ahead of the Curve PowerPoint Presentation: amcp.org/2014EmergingTrends/

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