

Curriculum Vitae

Brenik Kuzmic

Current Title and Department:

Clinical Pharmacist
Children's Hospital Central California Inpatient Pharmacy

Assistant Clinical Professor
Dept. of Clinical Pharmacy
School of Pharmacy UCSF

Education (Undergraduate, Graduate, Postgraduate, Fellowships)

2006-2007 Post graduate year 2 Pediatric Infectious Disease Residency, Children's Hospital of Central California, Madera, California.
2005-2006 Post graduate year 1 Pediatric Pharmacy Residency, Children's Hospital of Central California, Madera, California.
2000-2005 Idaho State University, Pocatello Idaho, College of Pharmacy, Doctor of Pharmacy.
1999-2001 Boise State University, Boise Idaho, Associates in Science.

Work Experience

2007- present Clinical Pharmacist, Valley Children's Hospital

Licenses and Certifications

2016 SIDP - Antimicrobial Stewardship Certification
2005 - present License, Idaho Board of Pharmacy, License Number P5913
2005 - present License, California Board of Pharmacy, License Number RPH57714

Academic and Professional Positions Held

2014 - present Lecturer, California State University, Fresno
2008 - present Assistant Clinical Professor of Clinical Pharmacy, UCSF School of Pharmacy
2007- present Clinical Pharmacist, Valley Children's Hospital

Honors and Awards

2017 "Apple Award" Dean's Recognition for Excellence in Teaching, UCSF School of Pharmacy
2010 "Apple Award" Dean's Recognition for Excellence in Teaching, UCSF School of Pharmacy
2009 "Apple Award" Dean's Recognition for Excellence in Teaching, UCSF School of Pharmacy

TEACHING

Lectures

2014 - present Advanced Pharmacology (NURS 211) course
2011-14 Common Infectious Diseases, Advanced Pharmacology (NURS 211) California State University, Fresno State University (March)

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- 2007 Antifungal Agents in Children, pharmacy students from University of Pacific at CHCC (Feb).
- 2006 Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia, pharmacy students from University of Pacific at CHCC (April).
- 2005/2006 Pharmacotherapy in Cystic Fibrosis, Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience students on rotations at CHCC (November).

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Invited Lectures and Seminars

- 2017 Top 5 antimicrobials for Pediatricians, Valley Children's Hospital, (Jan)
- 2016 Antibiotic use and stewardship, Central California Association of Neonatal Nurses (November)
- 2014 Microbiology and Antibiotics, CHCC Cystic Fibrosis Education Day (March)
- 2013 Neonatal M&M Fluconazole Teratogenicity: A case study at CHCC (March)
- 2009 Influenza Therapy, Lecture for respiratory therapists and students at CHCC (November)
- 2009 Antifungal and Antiviral Drugs, Subspecialty lecture to medical residents at CHCC (October)
- 2009/2007 Overview of Antimicrobials for the Inpatient Child, Subspecialty lecture to medical staff and residents at CHCC (October)
- 2006 Pharmacology Jeopardy, CHCC Pulmonary Conference (May).
- 2006 The How, What, Where, and Why of Cystic Fibrosis Medications, CHCC Cystic Fibrosis Education Day (March).

Papers and Posters Presented at Meetings (Refereed)

- 2017 Fouzia Naeem MD, Mohammad Nael Mhaissen MD, **Brenik Kuzmic** Pharm D, Ashley Clark Pharm D, Michelle Ruiz, Indira Chandrasekar MD. Antimicrobial Stewardship Program in a Tertiary Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. ID Week 2017 San Diego, CA (October)
- 2016 **Kuzmic B**, Naeem F, Khoury R, Ruiz M, March-Porter E, Crouch J, Clark A, Mhaissen M, Dahl K. Antimicrobial utilization after development of an antimicrobial stewardship program in the neonatal intensive care unit. 7th Annual International Pediatric Antimicrobial Stewardship Conference. Kansas City, MO (June)
- 2016 Lee, J. M., Graciano, A. L., Dabrowski, L., **Kuzmic, B.** and Tablizo, M. A. (2016), Coccidioidomycosis in infants: A retrospective case series. *Pediatr. Pulmonol.* doi: 10.1002/ppul.23387
- 2008 **Kuzmic B**, Geertsma F. Voriconazole for Coccidioidomycosis in Children. 11th Annual Making a Difference in Infectious Disease Pharmacotherapy. Orlando, FL. (May).

SERVICE

Medical Center

2006-Present Member, Antimicrobial utilization team, Valley Children's Hospital

Community Service

2004-2008 Boy Scouts of America; Assistant Scout leader