

# Ariya Serrano

## Clinical Pharmacist

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### STRENGTHS

- Patient Counseling Expertise**  
Provided clear guidance to patients on medication therapies, built trust and promoting adherence. !
- Medication Safety Advocate**  
Enforced strict compliance with medication guidelines, ensuring patient safety without exception.
- Team Collaboration Skills**  
Frequently collaborated with healthcare teams; effective communication facilitated better patient outcomes.
- Regulatory Compliance Knowledge**  
Expert in navigating pharmacy regulations, leading to improved operational efficiency month over month.
- Educational Material Development**  
Innovatively crafted resources that simplified drug information, enhancing patient understanding significantly.

### SKILLS

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| Pharmacotherapy         |
| Patient Counseling      |
| Drug Utilization Review |
| Clinical Research       |
| Pharmacy Operations     |
| Patient Education       |

### LANGUAGES

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| English | Native     |
| Spanish | Proficient |

### SUMMARY

Detail-oriented Clinical Pharmacist backed by hands-on experience in medication management focusing on patient care. Analyzed and resolved drug-related issues while ensuring safe and effective use of medications. Engaged with healthcare providers to optimize therapy outcomes for diverse patients. Skilled in educating both healthcare professionals and patients regarding complex treatment protocols. Committed to high standards in pharmacy practice, promoting patient safety through vigilant monitoring and collaboration across settings. Enthusiastic about joining Healthcare Solutions Group as a key contributor dedicated to enhancing patient health and medication optimization.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Clinical Pharmacy Intern

University Research Lab January 2025 - Present San Jose, CA

- Served as a Clinical Pharmacy Intern involved in comprehensive medication reviews and direct patient interactions. Responsibilities included assessing drug safety, developing therapeutic plans, and collaborating with healthcare teams to enhance patient outcomes.
- Conducted thorough patient medication reviews, establishing appropriateness and safety of prescriptions.
  - Engaged directly with patients for counseling sessions, documenting their medication histories effectively.
  - Collaborated seamlessly with interdisciplinary teams focused on chronic disease management.
  - Created informative educational materials on medication adherence and usage strategies.
  - Supported pharmacy students through hands-on training including workshops and simulation exercises.
  - Managed inventory adherence to regulations and maintained compliance with pharmacy standards.

#### Pharmacy Intern

Healthcare Innovations June 2024 - December 2024 San Francisco, CA

- Worked alongside pharmacists evaluating medication orders, ensuring precision before dispensing drugs, and aiding in patient educational initiatives. Contributed significantly to drug inventory management.
- Assisted pharmacists in checking medication orders for accuracy and appropriateness.
  - Participated actively in patient education efforts by providing essential drug information and counseling.
  - Helped coordinate drug inventory processes, ensuring optimal stock levels and safe storage.
  - Engaged in researching medication efficacy and safety across multiple therapeutic areas.
  - Documented patient interactions with a view towards improving clinical decision-making.
  - Developed and articulated findings on effective medication management strategies for pharmacy staff.

### LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Dean's List, University of California, San Francisco - 2024
- Recipient of the Pharmacy Student Leadership Award - 2025

### EDUCATION

#### Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.)

University of California, San Francisco GPA: 3.9 2026 San Francisco, CA

**Coursework:** Medicinal Chemistry, Patient Care, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Clinical Decision Making

MY CAREER



- Clinical Pharmacy Intern at University Research Lab (1.5 Years)
- Pharmacy Intern at Healthcare Innovations (6 Months)

CERTIFICATIONS

- Pharmacist License (California) 📅 2026
- Basic Life Support (BLS) Certification 📅 2025

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Medication Management Systems:** Epic, Cerner, Software relevant to job
- **Pharmacy Practice Standards:** ASHP, ACCP, FDA Guidelines
- **Clinical Communication Tools:** Medscape, UpToDate, Lexicomp
- **Research Methodologies:** Qualitative Analysis, Quantitative Studies, Meta-Analysis
- **Inventory Management Software:** McKesson, Baxter, Cardinal Health
- **Patient Education Resources:** Printed Handouts, Digital Platforms, Video Tutorials
- **Regulatory Affairs:** California State Board of Pharmacy, DEA Regulations, OSHA Standards
- **Drug Information Sources:** Medline, PubMed, Pharmacy Times
- **Patient Monitoring Technologies:** Telehealth Platforms, Wearable Devices, Electronic Health Records
- **Continuing Education Programs:** ACPE Accredited Sessions, Webinars, Onsite Workshops

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- President, Pharmacy Student Association, University of California, San Francisco - 2023-Present
- Volunteer, Health Fair Community Outreach Program - 2024

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Work Status** : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST