

MEMBER BENEFIT GUIDE 2023

Get the most from your membership.



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Welcome to AMCP

AMCP.org —

Start here for AMCP and Managed Care Pharmacy Information and Resources



Whether you are a seasoned or newly established AMCP member, you are among an exclusive group of professionals dedicated to helping patients get the medications they need at a cost they can afford.



Like you, I know that the managed care pharmacy profession is a calling, and AMCP-exclusive member benefits are the key to your success. I hope you find this member guide useful for discovering new ways to get the most out of your AMCP membership experience.

If you have any questions, please reach out to us at memberservices@amcp.org or visit us online at amcp.org.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Cantrell, MHL, RPh, CAE
AMCP CEO

Access all the professional resources, tools, and information you need to stay up-to-date in the managed care pharmacy profession. Website highlights include:

- **AMCP Collaborate:** Provides a platform where members can connect and share ideas about the most vexing challenges in managed care pharmacy. 
- **AMCP Learn:** Your hub for continuing education and knowledge.
 - *On-demand webinars:* Topics range from the latest in legislative and regulatory topics to innovative payer models. [\[Free to members\]](#)
 - *AMCP certificate programs* including Fundamentals of Managed Care Pharmacy. [\[Member discount\]](#)
- **Policy and Advocacy:**
 - Get involved, and take action with our grassroots advocacy tools and resources. 
 - Get current about legislative and regulatory issues affecting managed care pharmacy.
 - Learn more about AMCP's policies and positions on a range of issues.
- **AMCP webinar archives** on today's hot topics.


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If you need more information or have questions about membership, please contact us at memberservices@amcp.org or 703.684.2600

TIP

Looking for help on a particular managed care issue? Start your search in the Resource Center tab on amcp.org.

Your Go-To Source *(cont'd from previous page)*

- **AMCP's Member Directory:** Expand your network and build valuable professional partnerships. 
- **AMCP Career Center:** Enjoy a free profile, resume reviews, and more!
- Current and past issues of the *Journal of Managed Care + Specialty Pharmacy (JMCP)*.
- **Resource Centers** for Student Pharmacists, Residents and Fellows, and Faculty
- **Directory of Residencies & Fellowships, APPE opportunities, and internships** in managed care pharmacy
- The **AMCP Podcast Series Powered by PopHealth Week** showcases the stories behind today's advancements in managed care, as told by top industry leaders. amcp.org/podcast

Much of AMCP's website is restricted to members only. Your username is the email address associated with your AMCP membership. If you can't remember your password, it is easy to reset it online.

AMCP Member Assistance:
Contact memberservices@amcp.org

AMCP's Commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

To fulfill the mission of getting patients the medications and therapies they need at a cost they can afford, it is imperative that AMCP's membership, staff, and leadership reflect the rich landscape of our populations. By respecting and including everyone who drives the daily victories in managed care pharmacy, we will benefit from a mix of ideas, perspectives, and life experiences to help us achieve our goals.

AMCP Strategic Priorities

AMCP's strategic priorities help guide AMCP's work to ensure member dollars are spent effectively and meet our mission of ensuring patients get the medication they need at a cost they can afford.

Optimize Value and Access

Our overarching goal is to improve formulary decision making and develop tools that help patients obtain the medications and other therapies they need. One of the recent tools created under this priority is our lexicon for value-based purchasing. In addition to the lexicon, AMCP members have access to a slide deck the further explains the definitions and the process AMCP used to agree on them. For more information on AMCP's work on value-based contract resources, go to amcp.org/value-based.

Address Health Disparities

Our overarching goal is to address barriers to access and the effective use of medications and other therapies. AMCP has developed a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Glossary to improve communications with providers, patients, caregivers, and colleagues. It includes terms defined that can be used to standardize data collection for race, ethnicity, and gender indemnity. In addition, AMCP held a virtual Health Disparities Summit that was free for all members. The recordings from the summit are available on AMCPLearn.org at no cost to members. To see more of AMCP's work on health disparities, go to amcp.org/health-disparities.

Enhancing Member Value

AMCP is committed to growing membership and strengthening member value so AMCP is essential to anyone who works in managed care pharmacy. That means we put #AMCPMember1st! In a wide variety of ways we seek member input to develop the tools and resources that you need to succeed. If you have any suggestions or ideas for AMCP, do not hesitate to reach out to memberservices@amcp.org.

Grow Your Network



AMCP knows how important networking is to your career and development. Take advantage of the numerous live and virtual opportunities to meet with your peers.

AMCP Meetings

The Perfect Educational and Networking Venue

AMCP hosts two national meetings each year: AMCP's spring Annual Meeting and AMCP Nexus in the fall. AMCP members receive a substantial discount on registration for both!

Each event draws thousands of the nation's top managed care pharmacy leaders and features renowned keynote speakers, cutting-edge educational sessions, extensive networking opportunities, and an exhibit hall of companies and organizations showcasing their latest innovations and services.

AMCP 2023

March 21–24, 2023 | San Antonio, TX

AMCP Nexus 2023

Oct. 16–19, 2023 | Orlando, FL

AMCP 2024

Apr. 16–18, 2024 | New Orleans, LA

AMCP Nexus 2024

Oct. 20–23, 2024 | Las Vegas, NV

TIP

AMCP's main hotel fills up fast, so register early!

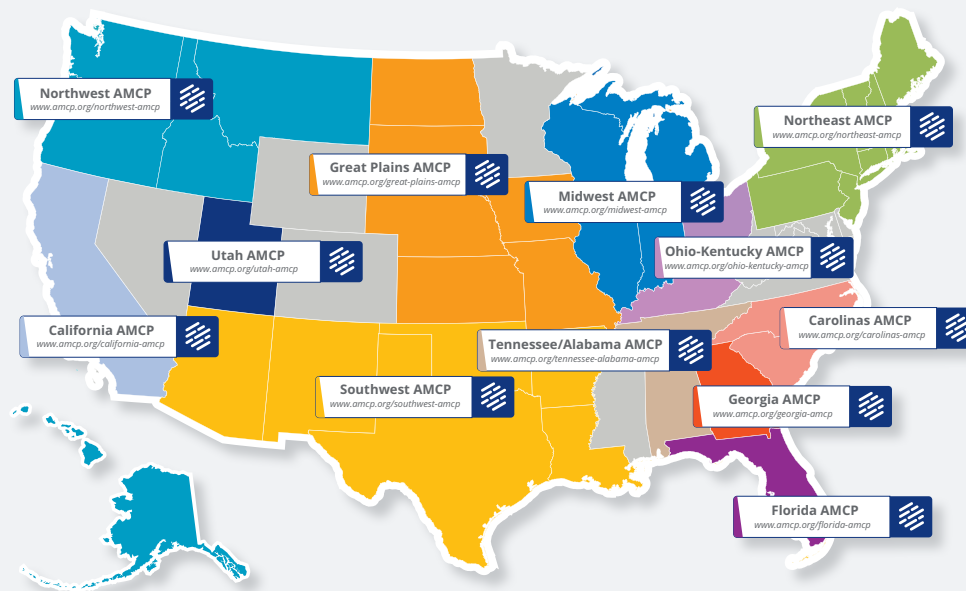


AMCP Affiliates

Looking to grow your network locally? AMCP Affiliates connect you with AMCP members in your area and serve as a local resource on managed care pharmacy. All AMCP Affiliates are member-driven, giving you plenty of opportunities to take an active role!

AMCP has the following Affiliates: California (*as of Jan. 2023*), Carolinas, Florida, Georgia, Great Plains, Midwest, Northeast, Northwest, Ohio-Kentucky, Southwest, Tennessee/Alabama (*as of Jan. 2023*), and Utah. Find your affiliate today! [amcp.org/affiliates](https://www.amcp.org/affiliates)


AMCP AFFILIATE MAP



Grow Your Network *(cont'd from previous page)*



AMCP's Online Membership Directory

Use AMCP's online directory to reach colleagues from across the United States. This invaluable tool gives you real-time contact information and is searchable by name, location, expertise, and position. [Connect at *amcp.org/member-directory*](https://amcp.org/member-directory). 

Let's Get Social — @amcporg

Follow AMCP on LinkedIn, Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook to join the discussion on issues that are important to you. It's a great way to expand your professional network with health care professionals around the world.

AMCP Collaborate

To help patients get the medications they need at a cost they can afford, we need to work together.

AMCP Collaborate makes it easy for members to discuss common issues virtually, exchange ideas, and learn from each other. Participate in the members-only Open Forum or the Student Open Forum to engage with colleagues around the country on the topics that matter to you.

Want to dive into a particular area more? AMCP has several targeted groups set up on Collaborate that members can join at anytime.

They include:

- **Health Disparities Interest Group**
- **Digital Therapeutics Interest Group**
- **Quality Interest Group**

collaborate.amcp.org 

TIP

AMCP's LinkedIn group is a great way to get feedback on top-of-mind questions. With almost 20,000 followers, you are sure to find your answer!



"The ability to interface with people from all areas of the industry is invaluable — to be able to make connections, broaden your horizons, and know where the trends are. That's a big value to me."

Rob Coppola

AMCP VALUED MEMBER SINCE 2007



Stay on the Leading Edge


In today's fast-changing health care environment, AMCP provides the tools and information you need to understand the issues and how they affect you and the patients you serve.




Journal of Managed Care + Specialty Pharmacy (JMCP)

Get a first look at the latest research in managed care pharmacy. *JMCP* advances science, expertise, and evidence-based decision making to improve patient health through access to high-quality, cost-effective medications and other therapies. For more than 25 years, *JMCP* has provided readers with the results of scientific investigation and evaluation of the health and economic outcomes of pharmacy services and interventions. It is sent to all active and associate members monthly and is always available at jmcp.org.

AMCP Daily Dose™

Every morning, members receive an email with curated news stories from quality sources to keep them up-to-date on the latest news impacting managed care pharmacy. On Saturdays, AMCP sends a special COVID-19 Daily Dose™ with a round-up of the week's key news. The Daily Dose™ is the most popular AMCP member benefit. 

AMCP News & Views

Stay abreast of the latest AMCP news and information with this monthly e-newsletter. Get updates about AMCP's ongoing advocacy efforts, coalition involvement, and more! 

TIP

Check out our Resource Center on amcp.org. Browse by subject area and refine your search by publication, resource type, and much more!


AMCP Format for Formulary Submissions

The *Format* is an evidence-based product valuation tool that assists individuals with product assessment and utilization management in managed care and integrated care organizations. It is regularly updated by AMCP volunteers to incorporate changes in the marketplace. [Learn more at amcp.org/format](http://amcp.org/format).


FormularyDecisions®

FormularyDecisions® is an online platform that provides US healthcare decision makers (HCDMs) with connections to peer insights, access to evidence-based resources, and bi-directional communication with biopharma companies. AMCP pre-approval information exchange (PIE) webinars, digitized dossiers, comprehensive product summaries, and biosimilars information, along with other tools, are available exclusively through the platform. [Learn how to participate by visiting formularydecisions.com](http://formularydecisions.com).

AMCP Practice NewsBREAK

As a new benefit to members, the Practice NewsBREAK will be released in response to timely and noteworthy practice or key managed care news and highlight AMCP resources to help you navigate these changes. 

Drug Product Pipeline Resources

Designed to make your job easier, the Drug Product Pipeline aggregates data from government databases as well as other publicly available sources to provide a one-stop portal featuring the next generation of pharmaceuticals. It showcases the clinical trials currently underway from the top 75 biopharmaceutical companies in the U.S., focusing on medications that are in Phase II/III and Phase III. [Learn more at amcp.org/drug-pipeline](http://amcp.org/drug-pipeline). 

AMCP Policy Digest

The AMCP Policy Digest documents AMCP's position on professional and practice issues. It aids members in describing their roles and serves as the basis for AMCP's public policy statements. [Learn more at amcp.org/policy-digest](http://amcp.org/policy-digest).

Disease State Resource Center

Get in-depth information and explore up-to-date resources about pressing disease states in our Disease State Resource Center. Resources include videos, *JMCP* and other peer-reviewed articles, and meeting proceedings. Disease states covered have included psoriasis, migraines, heart failure, kidney disease, and more. AMCP works with leading pharmaceutical companies to offer these timely resources at amcp.org/diseasestates.

Biologics & Biosimilars Collective Intelligence Consortium (BBCIC)

BBCIC generates reliable real-world evidence that examines the safety and effectiveness of biologics to improve public health. BBCIC is a non-profit, multi-stakeholder, collaborative, scientific public service initiative conducting rigorous post-marketing observational research to monitor biosimilar products and novel biologics for effectiveness and safety in a real-world setting. This research provides health

plans, prescribers, and patients with the evidence they need and the reassurance they want to make informed treatment and coverage decisions. Through a distributed research network, BBCIC leverages large sets of medical and pharmacy data from over 100 million patients.

[Learn more at bbic.org](https://bbic.org).


Partnership Forums

AMCP Partnership Forums bring together payers, pharmacies, integrated delivery system leaders, HEOR analysts, academics, providers, pharmaceutical manufacturers, and various other health care stakeholders to discuss key issues facing managed care pharmacy and collaboratively help shape the changing health care landscape. The events are invitation-only and are supported by our partners. Partnership Forum proceedings are published in *JMCP*, shared with members through recorded webinars, and posted to amcp.org/proceedings.




As an AMCP member, you can count on AMCP to represent your short- and long-term professional interests. Through member involvement and ongoing efforts by AMCP's staff, you can be assured that your voice is heard by those who make policy decisions about managed care pharmacy both on the federal and state level.

AMCP Legislative & Regulatory Briefing Newsletter

Stay up-to-date on recent legislative and regulatory developments and actions that AMCP has taken on behalf of members in this monthly e-newsletter. Each edition includes links to letters and comments AMCP has sent to federal agencies and lawmakers outlining managed care pharmacy's stance on crucial issues. 

AMCP Regulatory NewsBREAK

As a new benefit to members, the Regulatory NewsBREAK will be released in response to newly enacted regulations or recently issued sub-regulatory guidance. The inaugural Regulatory NewsBREAK summarized three CMS guidance memorandums addressing the implementation of the Inflation Reduction Act's (IRA) adult vaccine, insulin, and Part D Senior Savings (PDSS) model provisions. [Read more at amcp.org/regulatorynewsbreak](https://amcp.org/regulatorynewsbreak). 

"AMCP and members' advocacy work is crucial to shaping the future of managed care pharmacy. It's like playing the game versus being in the stands."

Billy West, MBP, PharmD
AMCP VALUED MEMBER SINCE 2000



AMCP Advocates for You *(cont'd from previous page)*

AMCP's Where We Stand Position Statements

This series represents AMCP's positions on a wide range of issues impacting managed care pharmacy. AMCP's position statements are regularly reviewed and updated by the AMCP Board of Directors. They are ideal as background information for legislators, regulators, and others needing information on managed care pharmacy.

AMCP's State Advocacy Leader Program

State policy has a significant impact on the practice of managed care pharmacy and patient care, and advocacy empowers AMCP members to share their expertise with

policy makers to improve state legislation and regulations. This is a great way to get more involved with AMCP. [Learn more and apply at amcp.org/state-advocacy-leaders.](https://amcp.org/state-advocacy-leaders) 

AMCP Action Alerts

Your voice is an integral part of AMCP's grassroots advocacy program. AMCP Action Alerts engage members to participate in letter-writing campaigns to federal and state officials. Our easy and convenient alert system even helps populate key fields of the letter for you! Advocating for managed care pharmacy has never been easier! [Get started at amcp.org/advocacy.](https://amcp.org/advocacy)

TIP

Access AMCP Legislative & Regulatory webinars by going to the amcp.org Resource Center and selecting the resource type "webinars." You'll find webinars such as *2022 Policy Outlook for the Biden Administration and the Second Session of the 117th Congress, Implications for Managed Care Pharmacy from the 2021 and 2022 Medicare Advantage and Part D Proposed Rule*, and more.

Develop Your Leadership Skills and Grow Your Career



Whether you're a student pharmacist looking for an internship, a post-graduate seeking further training through a residency, or a seasoned managed care professional exploring new career and professional development opportunities, AMCP helps you grow in your career every step of the way.

AMCP's Student Pharmacist Center

AMCP is proud to have student pharmacists as members; after all, they are the future of managed care pharmacy and AMCP! The Student Pharmacist Center offers helpful resources for students and student chapter activities. It includes information about experiential learning, internships, and presentations on the different aspects of managed care. [Learn more amcp.org/studentcenter.](https://amcp.org/studentcenter)

AMCP Residents and Fellows Center

Looking for information on how to find the perfect managed care residency or fellowship? Browse our listings to help you find the opportunity to match your professional goals. Want to help develop tomorrow's leaders? Find information on starting an accredited residency program at your employer at [amcp.org/residentscenter.](https://amcp.org/residentscenter)

"AMCP membership benefits have given me several ways to take charge of my career. I have developed relationships with a synergistic group of professionals that have served me well in my career."

Shyra Bias, PharmD
AMCP VALUED MEMBER SINCE 2021



Develop Your Leadership Skills and Grow Your Career *(cont'd from previous page)*



AMCP's Career Center

If you're looking for a position in managed care pharmacy, make this resource your first stop. Post your resume for potential employers to see, and scan job postings from prospective employers. Finding new career opportunities is much easier with AMCP on your side.

careers.amcp.org.

University of Florida Online Graduate Programs

AMCP members receive 50% off their first and last course (valued as much as \$2,250) in University of Florida's online MS program in Pharmaceutical Outcomes and Policy or their new Pharmaceutical Value Assessment and Communications program. UF's flexible MS program is designed for working professionals for completion in five semesters and is taught by managed care experts and industry leaders. [Learn more at amcp.org/UFbenefit](https://amcp.org/UFbenefit).

Jefferson School of Population Health

AMCP members receive JSPH's corporate tuition rate (15% discount) on all online graduate and master's degree programs in Applied Health Economics & Outcomes Research, Population Health, Health Policy, and Healthcare Quality & Safety. [Learn more at amcp.org/JSPHbenefit](https://amcp.org/JSPHbenefit).

University of Southern California Graduate Programs

Launched in 2021 in partnership with the University of Southern California, members enjoy 25% off their first and last class when enrolled in their online MS in Biopharmaceutical Marketing or MS in Healthcare Decision Analysis program. [Learn more at amcp.org/USCbenefit](https://amcp.org/USCbenefit).

AMCP Awards Program

AMCP recognizes individuals who have exhibited excellence in serving AMCP and managed care pharmacy during the spring Annual Meeting.

[More information can be found at amcp.org/Awards](https://amcp.org/Awards). 



AMCP Foundation strengthens managed care pharmacy by investing in future-focused research and inspiring the next generation to improve patient health. Programs include: Emerging Trends in Health Care, Research Symposia, Best Poster Competitions, National P&T Competition, Student Internships, Steven G. Avey Award, and health and wellness activities at AMCP National Meetings. Contributions to the 501(c)3 are tax-deductible. [Learn more at amcpfoundation.org](https://amcpfoundation.org)!

Expand Your Knowledge



AMCP is dedicated to bringing members information on the hottest topics facing managed care pharmacy. As a member, numerous exclusive, complimentary, and discounted continuing education opportunities are at your fingertips.

AMCP Learn

AMCP Learn is the premiere online learning platform for managed care professionals. It is your one-stop-shop for 24/7 access to managed care continuing education. With over 50 free and reduced-rate programs for members, you're sure to find just the right program to meet your goals. Some popular topics include biosimilars, specialty drug trends, digital therapeutics, pricing, and emerging therapies.

Get started today at amcplearn.org.

Fundamentals of Managed Care Pharmacy Certificate

AMCP Learn offers the Fundamentals of Managed Care Pharmacy Certificate Program, a comprehensive introduction to basic concepts in managed care pharmacy. *Enjoy over 8 hours of educational content on amcplearn.org.*

Medication Use Quality CE

Expand your expertise in Medication Use Quality! In partnership with the Pharmacy Quality Alliance (PQA), AMCP offers a continuing education program that provides 15 accredited hours. AMCP members receive 50% off. *Learn more at amcp.org/qualityCEprogram.*

Value-Based Contracting Certificate Program

This self-paced e-learning course covers value-based contracting key trends and challenges and provides insights and solutions. It is comprised of seven 40-minute modules that you can take at your own pace. *Get started at amcplearn.org.*

TIP

Find more information on the Webinar Series and other events — including how to register — at amcp.org/calendar

AMCP eLearning Days

Looking for live education without leaving your desk? AMCP eLearning Days are free for members and encompass three days of virtual learning where you can earn up to 12 hours of CPE. Mark your calendars for August 29–31, 2023.

AMCP's Webinar Series

AMCP's Webinar Series brings the most thought-provoking topics of the day to you! Hear managed care pharmacy's leading speakers discuss the issues our profession needs to understand — at no cost to you as an AMCP member. Many webinars also provide CE for pharmacists, physicians, and nurses. Webinar recordings can be found in the

resource center and are available to members at any time.

AMCP Virtual Summits

AMCP Summits bring experts to the table and provide a forum for members to engage on critical topics. They are typically six hours long and are free for AMCP members. Recordings from the Summits are also available to members for free on AMCPLearn.org. *For more info, go to amcp.org/summits.*

- **AMCP Prescription Digital Therapeutics Summit**
June 1, 2023
[Free to members]
- **AMCP Health Disparities Summit**
Dec. 5, 2023
[Free to members]



"The knowledge I've gained from AMCP publications and webinars, in addition to the professional connections I've formed at events, have allowed me to elevate my status as a thought leader. AMCP allows me to stay current in an ever-changing healthcare landscape."

Hosain Aghamoosa, PharmD
AMCP VALUED MEMBER SINCE 2016

Take the Next Steps — Get Involved!

Volunteers are critical to AMCP's success. Members who are actively involved in AMCP benefit both personally and professionally. [Learn more at amcp.org/volunteer](https://amcp.org/volunteer).

AMCP Committees


AMCP Committees are the building blocks of your professional society. Committees cover a wide variety of areas — from Educational Affairs to Professional Practice. Committee Service is a minimum commitment of one year. [The call for Committee Service opens in September at amcp.org/committees](https://amcp.org/committees). 

AMCP National Meetings

There are numerous ways to volunteer at AMCP's national meetings! Individuals can submit a proposal through AMCP's call for proposals, volunteer to moderate a session, act as a conference buddy,

or work in the AMCP booth! [Plan for all of our upcoming meetings at amcpmeetings.org](https://amcpmeetings.org). 

AMCP's Conference Buddy Program


At each AMCP meeting, AMCP matches experienced professionals with student pharmacists or those new to the industry. This popular program is a must-do for those attending an AMCP meeting who are looking to give back or gain managed care pharmacy exposure. 



JMCP Peer Review and Author

JMCP has several opportunities for members here, too. Members may submit a manuscript or a letter to the editor for consideration. Individuals may also want to consider becoming a peer reviewer. jmcp.org

AMCP Diplomats

AMCP Diplomats volunteer to work with schools/colleges of pharmacy as a resource on managed care pharmacy. Diplomats work to raise faculty awareness of AMCP, expose students to career opportunities in managed care, and enhance communications between the schools and local AMCP members. [Learn more at amcp.org/diplomats](https://amcp.org/diplomats). 



AMCP Champion Program

An AMCP Champion is a member who actively promotes the professional value they have received through AMCP membership. Champions help strengthen managed care pharmacy by inviting their colleagues to join AMCP. [For more information visit AMCP's Champion Hall of Fame at amcp.org/champion](https://amcp.org/champion). 

TIP

Volunteering is a great way to meet your colleagues from around the country. Find an opportunity that works best for you!



Take the Next Steps — Get Involved! *(cont'd from previous page)*


AMCP Board of Directors

The AMCP Board of Directors establishes AMCP's direction on a wide range of issues, including legislative and regulatory positions, membership initiatives, and strategic planning. [Learn more about the process at amcp.org/board-process](https://amcp.org/board-process). 

Market Insights Panel

Are you a health care decision-maker? Consider becoming a part of our market insights panel! Panel members participate in online surveys and virtual and live summits. Participants are reimbursed for their time. [Sign up at amcp.org/marketinsightspanel](https://amcp.org/marketinsightspanel).

AMCP Affiliates

AMCP Affiliates have numerous volunteer opportunities at the local level. See page 6 for additional details. [Learn more about AMCP Affiliates at amcp.org/affiliates](https://amcp.org/affiliates). 

Advisory Groups

Advisory Groups bring together key stakeholders to address challenges and opportunities for managed care pharmacy on issues tied to AMCP's strategic priorities. AMCP issues periodic calls for volunteers as needed. [Learn more about at amcp.org/advisory-groups](https://amcp.org/advisory-groups).

"Volunteering has put me in touch with many knowledgeable and influential key leaders in managed care pharmacy. I couldn't make these contacts without being involved in AMCP."

Carol Ricciotti
AMCP VALUED MEMBER SINCE 2000



Corporate Opportunities

AMCP has many ways for your company to connect with AMCP and reach managed care professionals. Here are some highlights:

Corporate Membership

As the health care landscape continues to rapidly evolve, you need a partner equipped to deliver timely and meaningful value to your organization. Trust AMCP to be your partner in reaching your 2023 outreach and engagement goals. Collaborate with your AMCP to customize an AMCP Corporate Membership plan that aligns with your organization's goals and delivers maximum return on your investment. [Get started today at amcp.org/corpatemembership](https://amcp.org/corpatemembership).

Corporate Training

Equip your team with the skills necessary to excel in the health care space through customized training. Content may include, but is not limited to, managed care practices; a deeper dive into how medical benefits are developed or managed; or an understanding of the new ways health plans, pharmacy benefit managers, and ACOs are doing

business. [Learn more at amcp.org/corporate-training](https://amcp.org/corporate-training).

Market Insights

In-person and virtual roundtables convene key opinion leaders, health plans, PBMs, providers, and advocacy organizations to discuss issues impacting disease management. Participation is invite-only with sponsors observing. Based on the findings, AMCP produces quality educational assets and programming to ensure our members have the most current information to make coverage decisions.

[For more information on these and other corporate opportunities, go to amcp.org/corporate-opportunities or send an email to the team — corporateopportunities@amcp.org.](https://amcp.org/corporate-opportunities)



MISSION

To improve patient health by ensuring access to high-quality, cost-effective medications and other therapies

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