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CPESN USA Tabs Kneeland to Help Support Local Networks

Raleigh, N.C. – March 6, 2020 – CPESN® USA is pleased to announce the hiring of Bruce Kneeland to help support local CPESN Networks in Arizona, New Mexico, Oregon, Washington, and Hawaii.

CPESN USA is the country’s first Accountable Pharmacy Organization helping community-based pharmacy networks provide high quality, patient-centered enhanced services.

“We are excited that Bruce has decided to join us and help accelerate the CPESN movement in some of our states out West,” said Troy Trygstad, PharmD, MBA, PhD, Executive Director of CPESN USA. “Not only does Bruce possess an impressive background working in the pharmacy industry (with the likes of AmerisourceBergen and Health Mart), he also has developed strong relationships with pharmacy leaders through his countless road trips visiting community-based pharmacies.”

Currently, there are over 2,500 local, community pharmacies participating in 49 CPESN networks in 45 states across America.

“Community retail pharmacy has changed a lot over the past few years. But, as we’ve all been told, change provides opportunity,” shared Kneeland. “I believe the tools CPESN USA has championed prove that there is a sustainable path forward for pharmacy. I look forward to working with local network leaders to help participating pharmacies take advantage of the programs CPESN USA has developed and in helping many more pharmacies grow by providing healthcare services people need in a pleasant and convenient setting.”

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About CPESN® USA

CPESN® USA a clinically integrated, nationwide organization of pharmacy networks structured to advance community-based pharmacy practice. They empower community-based pharmacies that are deeply rooted within their community by fostering their ability to provide high quality, patient-centered enhanced services. CPESN® pharmacies integrate with other healthcare providers on the patient’s care team to coordinate medical treatment. The results are better medication adherence, higher patient satisfaction, and lower healthcare costs. You can find CPESN® networks of pharmacy providers in 45 states across America. To learn more, please visit cpesn.com.