

Curriculum Vitae  
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## John Louis Colaizzi, Jr.

**Accomplished senior pharmacy leader, with vast experience in specialty pharmacy, pharmacy operations, M&A, health system strategy, biopharma trade relations, managed markets, academia, and pharmacy affairs. Versatile skills in innovation, development, and implementation.**

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**Education**               Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy  
Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey  
Doctor of Pharmacy, May 2003  
Bachelor of Science (Pharmacy), August 2002

### **Pharmacist Licensure**

State of New Jersey, 2002, Lic #28RI02857700  
State of New York, 2006, Lic #050931 (Inactive)  
State of Illinois, 2009, Lic #051293143  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 2009, Lic #RP443449 (Inactive)

### **Professional Certification**

Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) Certification  
University of Pittsburgh, 2017

Pharmacy-Based Immunization Certified Immunization Trainer  
American Pharmacists Association, 2010

Certified Consultant Pharmacist  
New Jersey Joint Board for Certification of Consultant Pharmacists, 2009

## **Professional Experience**

**Walgreen Co, Deerfield, IL**

### ***Director, Specialty Enablement Strategies***

**November 2019 – Present**

Responsible for leading Walgreens' Specialty Pharmacy business development functions. Partner with internal and external stakeholders to strategically grow our future business, develop new payer, pharma and provider capabilities, and develop novel clinical programs. Lead teams responsible for specialty pharmacy clinical platform, Pharma operations, specialty limited distribution product access and compliance, reporting and analytics.

### ***Director, Specialty Pharmacy Operations***

**February 2018 – November 2019**

Responsible for leading specialty pharmacy strategy and execution for Walgreens' Eastern Division, including 150+ Community-based Specialty and Health System Pharmacies, specialty pharmacy and prescription compounding programs throughout ~5,000 retail stores, and integration with AllianceRX Walgreens Prime. Collaborate closely with field operations, 340B, accreditation, HR, real estate, M&A, provider and health system sales, managed market sales, and biopharma trade teams to build and support Walgreens' enterprise-wide specialty pharmacy and health system strategies.

### ***Healthcare Specialty Supervisor***

**April 2017 – February 2018**

Responsible for leading Walgreens Specialty Pharmacy and Health-system pharmacy teams throughout New Jersey and Pennsylvania. Collaborated closely with specialty pharmacy operations, accreditation, HR, real estate, M&A, provider and health system sales, managed market sales, and biopharma trade teams to support Walgreens' enterprise-wide specialty pharmacy and health system strategies.

### ***Area Healthcare Supervisor***

**March 2015 – April 2017**

Oversaw all Walgreens healthcare assets across 5 districts and 65 locations throughout Central New Jersey. Developed and oversaw pharmacist recruitment strategy. Coordinated collaborations with multiple divisions including operations, health-system/specialty pharmacy, market access, infusion/respiratory services, biopharma relations, and clinical services. Worked with major health-systems, payers, manufacturers, lawmakers, professional, and charitable organizations to develop new growth strategies and advance pharmacy practice capabilities. Drove clinical excellence, pharmacy outcomes quality measures, execution of healthcare programs

### ***District Pharmacy Supervisor***

**July 2005 – March 2015**

Managed Walgreens pharmacy assets and operations throughout North/Central New Jersey. Coordinated collaborations with multiple divisions including operations, health-system pharmacy, specialty pharmacy, market access, infusion/respiratory services, pharma manufacturer relations, and clinical services. Worked with major health-systems, health plans, legislative bodies, professional, and charitable organizations to develop new growth strategies and advance pharmacy practice capabilities

### ***Pharmacist / Pharmacy Manager***

**October 2002 – July 2005**

Managed three Walgreens pharmacies of varying volumes and demographics, including a 24-hr location and the opening of a new location.

### ***Pharmacy Technician***

**February 1997 – October 2002**

**Professional Experience (continued)**

**State of New Jersey, Newark, NJ**  
**Member, New Jersey Board of Pharmacy**  
**Member, Rules and Regulations Committee** **January 2019 - Present**

**Rutgers, the State of New Jersey, Piscataway, NJ**  
**Adjunct Professor, Pharmacy Practice and Administration** **June 2003 - Present**

**Bloomfield College, Bloomfield, NJ**  
**Pharmacy Technician Instructor** **2004-2005**

**Condensed Curriculum International, North Branch, NJ**  
**Pharmacy Technician Instructor** **2002-2003**

**Wilentz, Goldman, and Spitzer, Woodbridge, NJ**  
**Pharmacy Law/Toxic Tort Intern** **2001**

**Honors and Awards**

Commencement Speaker, Rutgers University Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, 2020

Bowl of Hygeia Award, American Pharmacists Association, 2019

Champion of Champion - Business Team Award, Walgreens, 2019

Donald Wernick Educator of the Year Award, New Jersey Pharmacists Association, 2017

William McNeil Community Service Award, New Jersey Pharmacists Association, 2016

Volunteer of the Year Award, American Diabetes Association, 2014

Pharmacist of the Year Award, New Jersey Council of Chain Drug Stores, 2010

Pharmacy Leadership Award, National Community Pharmacy Association, 2009

Distinguished Young Pharmacist of the Year Award, Pharmacist Mutual, 2007

Commencement Speaker, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, 2003

Glaxo-Smithkline Award for Excellence in Patient Care, 2003

**Honors and Awards (continued)**

Rho Chi Pharmacy Honors Society, Inducted 2003

Rutgers University, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy Deans' List, 2001-2003

Rutgers/ASHP Clinical Skills Competition, First Place, 2002

David P. Vogel Passion in Pharmacy Award, 2002

Rutgers/ASHP Clinical Skills Competition, First Runner-Up, 2001

New Jersey Society of Health-System Pharmacists Clinical College Bowl, First Place, 2000

**Pharmacy Clerkships**

May – June 2001	Ambulatory Care	Eckerd Pharmacy East Brunswick, New Jersey Irene Ng, R.Ph.
July – August 2001	Institutional	CentraState Medical Center Freehold, New Jersey Vincent Passaniello, R.Ph,
May – June 2002	Infectious Diseases	Jersey Shore Medical Center Neptune, New Jersey Linda Houle, Pharm.D.
June – July 2002	Ambulatory Care	CVS Pharmacy South Plainfield, New Jersey Doreen Nealis, R.Ph.
July – August 2002	Oncology	The Medical Center at Princeton Princeton, New Jersey Constance Pfeiffer, Pharm.D.
September – October 2002	Pharmaceutical Industry	Janssen Pharmaceutica Titusville, New Jersey Carmen DeLoria, Pharm.D., M.P.H.
October – December 2002 (10 weeks)	Organ Transplant	Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital New Brunswick, New Jersey Julie Roskopf, Pharm.D.

**Pharmacy Clerkships (continued)**

February – March 2003	Nephrology	Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital New Brunswick, New Jersey Sarah Tomasello, Pharm.D.
March – April 2003	Pediatrics	Hackensack University Medical Center Hackensack, New Jersey Christine Robinson, Pharm.D.

**Publications**

Colaizzi, Jr. JL. Plan B: Point, Counterpoint. The New Jersey Journal of Pharmacy. April 2007.

Colaizzi, Jr. JL, Kreitman JD. Polypharmacy: The Hidden Dangers. Patient Pamphlet. September 2001.

Colaizzi, Jr. JL. Accuzyme®: A Closer Look for P & T. Hospital Newsletter. CentraState Medical Center. Freehold, NJ. August 2001.

Antonacci L, Colaizzi, Jr. JL. Pain Management in Acute Vaso-occlusive Crises of Sickle Cell Disease. CentraState Medical Center Pain Management Newsletter. Freehold, NJ. July 2001.

**Didactic Lectures**

**“Pharmacy Practice Management”** Course Co-Coordinator. Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. Piscataway, NJ. 2011 – Present.

**“Facets of Chain Pharmacy Practice”** Community Practice Management Course. Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. Piscataway, NJ. 2004 – Present.

**“Management Issues in Chain Pharmacy”** Pharmacy Management Class Lecture. Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. Piscataway, NJ. 2004 – 2010.

**“Psychiatric Pharmacotherapy: Prescription for Disaster?”** Psychopharmacology Course. Richard Stockton College of New Jersey. Pomona, NJ. November 2002.

**Professional Lectures**

**“Commencement Address”** Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy. New Brunswick, NJ. May 2020.

**“2019 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2019.

**“What’s So Special? The Specialty Pharmacy Industry’s Past, Present, and Future”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. November 2018.

**“Innovation & the Future of Healthcare Delivery Panel Discussion”** PINNACLE Alumni Society. Fairleigh Dickinson University. Florham Park, NJ. November 2017.

**“The Pharmacists’ Role in the Drug Abuse Crisis”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2017.

**“2017 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2017.

**“Bridging the Chasm – Shaping the Next Generation of Pharmacists as Leaders in Healthcare”** Johnson and Johnson Pharmacists Network. New Brunswick, NJ. November 2016.

**“Keynote Address: Bridging the Chasm – Shaping the Next Generation of Pharmacists as Leaders in Healthcare”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2016.

**“Student Pharmacist Advocacy”** American Pharmacists Association – Academy of Students of Pharmacy. Somerset, NJ. October 2017.

**“The Future is Now: Navigating Pharmacy’s Shifting Roles in the Changing Healthcare Landscape”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2016.

**“Community Pharmacists’ Role in Transitional Care”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2015.

**“Keynote Address”** Class of 2019 White Coat Ceremony. Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Pharmacy. Florham Park, NJ. August 2015.

**“2015 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2015.

**“2014 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Asbury Park, NJ. October 2014.

**“2014 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2014.

**Professional Lectures (continued)**

**“Keynote Address”**. Pharmacy Times Magazine Annual Conference. Princeton, NJ. March 2014

**“Pharmacists’ Role in the Provision of Transitional Care”** Roy Bowers Pharmaceutical Conference. Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. Somerset, NJ. October 2013.

**“2013 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2013.

**“2013 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Midyear Meeting. Morristown, NJ. March 2013.

**“Improving Communication Around Medication: Labeling, Adherence, and Health Outcomes”** New Jersey Health Literacy Summit. Atlantic City, NJ. September 2012.

**“2012 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2012.

**“2011 Immunization Update”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2011.

**“Pharmacists Role in Health Literacy”** New Jersey Pharmacists Association Annual Convention. Atlantic City, NJ. October 2011.

**“Professional Etiquette”** 2008 New Jersey Pharmacist Association Annual Convention.

**“Ethics in Retailing: Leadership at a Fortune 50 Company”** 2007 Annual Leadership Conference. Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. New Brunswick, NJ. March 2007.

**“Academic Integrity in Pharmacy School”** Class of 2008 White Coat Ceremony. Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. Piscataway, NJ. September 2004.

**“Oxaliplatin in Combination Chemotherapy for Advanced Metastatic Colorectal Carcinoma”** Clinical Seminar Series. Faculty and Doctor of Pharmacy Students. Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy. Piscataway, N.J. October 2002.

**“Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/Non-Hodgkin’s Lymphoma”** Case Presentation to Tumor Board. The Medical Center at Princeton. Princeton, NJ. August 2002.

**“Waldenstrom’s Macroglobulinemia”** Case Presentation to Tumor Board. The Medical Center at Princeton. Princeton, NJ. August 2002.

**“Diabetes and You: A Pharmacist’s Perspective”** Diabetes Support Group, Jersey Shore Medical Center. Neptune, NJ. June 2002.

**“Losartan in the Progression of Type 2 Diabetic Nephropathy”** Clinical Seminar Series. Faculty and Doctor of Pharmacy Students, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy. Piscataway, N.J. April 2002.

**Professional Lectures (continued)**

**“Nutritional Aspects of the Prevention, Progression, and Treatment Options Associated With Heart Disease and Diabetes Mellitus”** National Community Pharmacist Association, Piscataway, N.J. March 2001.

**“Anti-infective and Analgesic Pharmacotherapeutics in Dental Practice”** New Jersey Dental Association, South Brunswick, N.J. April 2000.

**Professional Societies**

National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP)

Vice President, District 2, 2019 - Present

New Jersey Pharmacists Association

President, 2009 - 2010

Vice President, 2007 - 2009

Treasurer, 2012-2019

Chairman, Budget and Finance Committee, 2012-2019

Chairman, Value Proposition Committee, 2017-2018

Chairman, Board of Trustees, 2010 – 2011

Chairman, Convention Committee, 2008 - 2009

Chairman, Membership Committee, 2007 - 2008

Government Affairs Committee, 2007 - 2016

Board of Trustees, 2006 - 2008

New Jersey Pharmacists PAC (Political Action Committee)

Chairman, 2011-2019

American Pharmaceutical Association – Academy of Students of Pharmacy

Member, 1997 - 2003

New Jersey Society of Health-System Pharmacists

Member, 2000 – 2003

National Community Pharmacist Association, Rutgers Student Chapter

Member, 2001 - 2002

**Professional Activities**

American Diabetes Association

Business Development Committee, 2014-2018  
Princeton, NJ Tour de Cure Committee, 2014-2016  
Franklin Lakes, NJ Walk Committee, 2012-2015  
Bridgewater, NJ Walk Committee, 2012-2015  
Chairman, Executive Committee - New Jersey Walks, 2011-2013

American Heart Association

Executive Leadership Team – New Jersey Chapter, 2012-2018

Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Pharmacy

Board of Advisors, 2010 - Present

Rutgers University Foundation

Chairman, John Colaizzi, Sr Naming Campaign, 2017

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy

Building Expansion Committee, 2013-2017

Touro College of Pharmacy

Dean's Network Council. New York, New York, 2007 – 2010

Duramed Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Plan B® CARESM Program Pharmacy Advisory Board, 2006 - 2010

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey.

Student Health Advisory Committee, 2002 - 2003

New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy

Interns and Externs Committee, 2001 - 2003

New Jersey Council on Higher Education,

Rutgers Pharmacy Representative May 2001.

Rutgers University Doctor of Pharmacy Class of 2003

Vice President, 2001- 2003

PharmaScript: Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy Yearbook

Editor of Photography, 2002-2003

**Community Service**

Franklin Lakes, NJ Parks and Recreation Foundation

Board of Trustees, 2017-Present

Franklin Lakes, NJ Board of Education Foundation

President, 2016-17

Board of Trustees, 2014-16

Borough of Franklin Lakes, NJ Athletics

Coach, Soccer, 2014-2018

Coach, Baseball, 2013-Present

**Language Proficiencies**

English, Italian