



## **Bureau of Prisons Report to PharmPAC**

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- BOP National Pharmacy Meeting will be in Pensacola, FL 26 – 30 April. Two days will be focused on a standardized approach to pharmaceutical care and disease state management by a company called Medication Management Systems out of Minnesota. The goal is to begin integrating a comprehensive, rational, and clinical decision making process into the practice of Pharmaceutical Care and Medication Management. Immunization training will be provided on the Friday for PHS BOP officers who have not yet had the training.
- BOP National P&T, Formulary, and Clinical Practice Guideline Meetings are scheduled for the first week of March.
- Regional HIV Clinical Pharmacist consultants along with some Central Office Staff are meeting bi-weekly with the University of Southern California San Francisco "HIV Warm Line" staff to discuss difficult HIV cases.
- VA-BOP Interagency draft agreement has recently been finalized and is now going through the VA's Office of General Counsel for review.
- BOP Clinical Pharmacy initiatives continue to bear fruit with ongoing TB and Community Acquired Pneumonia scenarios.
- Division of Immigration Health Services and Bureau of Prisons are working together to address Federal Ceiling Price (FCP) (AKA Big4) pricing eligibility issues