

## **Candidate Statement**

### **Ashlee Mattingly, PharmD**

After graduating from the University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy in 2011, I started working as a pharmacist at Kindred Hospital in Louisville, KY. While at Kindred, I revamped the Advanced Hospital Practice Rotation for fourth-year student pharmacists at Sullivan University College of Pharmacy and the University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy. I served as the medication safety officer, the pharmacy representative for weekly Interdisciplinary Team Rounds, and was on the National Darbepoetin Policy Workgroup. I left Kindred in 2013 and took a position as a clinical pharmacist at Community Hospital South in Indianapolis, IN. At Community Hospital, I precepted first-year student pharmacists from Butler University on their Introductory Hospital Practice Rotation and served as the primary trainer for residents on the Electronic Health Record utilized at the hospital. I currently am an assistant professor with a focus on sterile and non-sterile compounding as well as the PharmTechX coordinator, an advanced pharmacy technician training program, at the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy.

I am pursuing a position on the MPhA Board of Trustees to help advance the delivery of patient care by pharmacists in Maryland through the advancement of pharmacy technicians. Utilization of well-trained pharmacy technicians can help elevate pharmacy practice through the crucial and impactful role they can serve in supporting pharmacist-led clinical services. I have focused my research on the potential opportunities for technicians and the positive impact this can have on patient outcomes and overall pharmacist satisfaction. I hope to serve the Association by shaping policies that will benefit our pharmacist and technician members but most of all, our patients.