STATE of WISCONSIN



Proclamation

WHEREAS; pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and pharmacy students across the state contribute to the well-being and quality of life of all Wisconsinites, working to ensure the efficiency and accessibility of Wisconsin's healthcare delivery system; and

WHEREAS; as highly trained professionals, pharmacists are qualified to work in a variety of settings, from community pharmacies and labs to hospitals and clinics; and

WHEREAS; among the countless important services they provide, pharmacists are responsible for preparing and dispensing prescription medications, providing guidance on the appropriate dosage and use of medications, administering some immunizations, and offering recommendations on overall health and wellness; and

WHEREAS; according to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services, there are over 10,000 licensed pharmacists across Wisconsin, in addition to more than 14,000 pharmacy technicians; and

WHEREAS; today, the state of Wisconsin joins individuals and organizations across the state in celebrating the efforts of Wisconsin's pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and pharmacy students and highlighting the critical role they play in ensuring the health and wellbeing of all Wisconsinites;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim January 12, 2025, as

NATIONAL PHARMACIST DAY

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 6th day of January 2025.

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By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSK

Secretary of State