Health Literacy in Community Pharmacy

Sarah Anderson  
*Cedarville University*, sanderson@cedarville.edu

Cassie Brownfield-Wilson  
*Cedarville University*, cwilsonbrownfield@cedarville.edu

Kelly Madden  
*Cedarville University*, kellymadden@cedarville.edu

Lindsay Tarleton  
*Cedarville University*, lindsayanntarleton@cedarville.edu

Joe Zerka  
*Cedarville University*, jzerka@cedarville.edu

See next page for additional authors

Follow this and additional works at: http://digitalcommons.cedarville.edu/pharmacy_nursing_poster_session

Part of the Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences Commons, and the Public Health Commons

Recommended Citation

Anderson, Sarah; Brownfield-Wilson, Cassie; Madden, Kelly; Tarleton, Lindsay; Zerka, Joe; and Chen, Aleda M.H., "Health Literacy in Community Pharmacy" (2012). Pharmacy and Nursing Student Research and Evidence-Based Medicine Poster Session. 5.  
http://digitalcommons.cedarville.edu/pharmacy_nursing_poster_session/5

This Poster Session is brought to you for free and open access by DigitalCommons@Cedarville, a service of the Centennial Library. It has been accepted for inclusion in Pharmacy and Nursing Student Research and Evidence-Based Medicine Poster Session by an authorized administrator of DigitalCommons@Cedarville. For more information, please contact digitalcommons@cedarville.edu.
Authors
Sarah Anderson, Cassie Brownfield-Wilson, Kelly Madden, Lindsay Tarleton, Joe Zerka, and Aleda M.H. Chen
Abstract

Title: Health Literacy in Community Pharmacy

Authors: Sarah Anderson, Cassie Brownfield-Wilson, Kelly Madden, Lindsay Tarleton, Joe Zerka, Aleda M.H. Chen

Abstract: 48% of English-speaking patients are unable to obtain, process, understand, and utilize health information, and 30-50% of patients do not correctly adhere to their medications. The combination of chronic disease, poor health literacy, and poor medication adherence lead to increased health costs and hospitalization.