Jennifer Walters, PharmD, BCPS

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Dr. Walters is the Lead Pharmacist for the Internal Medicine pharmacy team and Director of the PGY2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency program. She received her Bachelor of Science degrees in Biology and Psychology from Virginia Tech in 2007 and Doctor of Pharmacy from Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy in 2018. She completed her post-graduate training as a PGY1 Pharmacy resident in 2019 and a PGY2 Internal Medicine pharmacy resident in 2020 at VCU Health System. Her professional interests include internal medicine, classical hematology, infectious diseases, and hepatology. She joined the UVA Health pharmacy team in 2020 after completing her residencies and has been an integral member of the department since then.

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Dr. Boone is a clinical pharmacist on the Pharmacy Internal Medicine Team. She earned her PharmD at West Virginia University School of Pharmacy in 2021. She then completed her PGY1 Pharmacy Practice Residency and PGY2 Internal Medicine Pharmacy Residency at Duke Regional Hospital in Durham, North Carolina. She joined the UVA Pharmacy team in 2023, where her primary interests include medicine and resident precepting.

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Dr. Rorie is an Internal Medicine Clinical Pharmacist with the Pharmacy Internal Medicine team. She earned her PharmD at Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy in 2023 and proceeded to complete a combined PGY1/PGY2 in Pharmacotherapy at the Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC) Health in Charleston, SC. She has recently joined the UVA Pharmacy team in 2025 after completing her residency. Her professional interests include transitions of care, cardiology, and resident precepting.

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Dr. Pelja is an inpatient Internal Medicine Clinical Pharmacist. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Human Nutrition, Foods, and Exercise from Virginia Tech in 2016 and Doctor of Pharmacy from Notre Dame of Maryland University School of Pharmacy in 2020. He completed his post-graduate PGY1 Pharmacy Residency Program at Bon Secours Mercy Health in Richmond, VA. He joined the UVA Pharmacy team in 2021, where his primary interests including resident precepting, heart failure, and endocrinology.