

Vizient Pharmacy Aggregation Groups Group Profiles

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Cooperative Services of Florida (CSF)

The CSF is a pharmacy aggregation group comprised of CSF as the Vizient member and their 4-owner health systems as members of their regional group purchasing organization (GPO). CSF represents a total of 15 acute care facilities and approximately \$290 million in annual pharmacy spend. Since inception in 2019, member hospitals have achieved almost \$13 million in implementable savings. The CSF pharmacy aggregation committee is chaired by the Vice President of Pharmacy Services at CSF and comprised of executive leaders from each of their member systems. Furthermore, outside of the pharmacy aggregation, CSF focuses on aggregating members' needs to drive competitive contracts that lower cost for medical and pharmaceutical supplies, technologies, and services. In addition to being an aggregation group for Florida health systems pharmacy contracting, CSF has a variety of other pharmaceutical services they provide for their members. This includes two distribution hubs, sterile-to-sterile 503B pharmaceutical compounding, first responder logistic services, pharmacy tray exchange for acute care facilities, nuclear services, and central fill ADC replenishment. These additional services add pharmacy solutions to CSF members, that extend their customized service line and create value through lowering costs and reducing waste.

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Profile overview

- Inception date: January 2019
- Member count: 6 health systems, 13 hospitals
- Most recent annual drug spend: \$290 Million
- Savings since inception: > \$13 Million

Member benefits

- Sharing of knowledge across members to help address challenges such as regulatory and practice issues, service evaluation and growth opportunities
- Dramatically improve pharmaceutical pricing by aggregating volumes both within the pharmacy aggregation group and with other pharmacy aggregation groups
- Assistance with implementation strategies, reporting on cost savings, auditing performance and facilitating communication with key stakeholders and the executive level

Supplier benefits

- Single point of contact to facilitate communication of value and mutual opportunity
- Proven ability to drive market share through pharmacy aggregation structure and to drive compliance through peer communication and executive suite engagement in pharmacy aggregation activities
- Ensures focus on initiatives through the pharmacy aggregation that otherwise may be lost in the day-today priorities of a hospital pharmacy

Pharmacy Aggregation Group

- Standardized single pharmacy wholesaler
- Two centralized distribution centers and a 503B sterile compounding facility
- Florida focused aggregation group

Members

Florida

- Cape Coral Hospital
- Golisano Childrens Hospital
- · Gulf Coast Medical Center
- HealthPark Medical Center
- Jupiter Medical Center
- JMC Urgent Care Centers
- · Lee Health Coconut Point
- Lee Memorial Health Regional Cancer Center
- Lee Memorial Hospital
- · Lee Pharmacies
- LeeSar Inc.
- North Port Hospital
- Sarasota Memorial Care Center
- Sarasota Memorial Hospital
- Sarasota Memorial Venice Hospital
- · UF Health Leesburg Hospital
- UF Health The Villages Hospital
- UF Health Shands Hospital
- UF Health Shands Jacksonville Medical Center
- UF Health North

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