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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name American Society of Health-System Pharmacists			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 7272 Wisconsin Ave			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Bethesda State/Zip (or Country) MD 20814-4836			
4. Contact Name Brian Meyer	Telephone 301-657-3000, x-1313	E-mail (optional) bmeyer@ashp.org	5. Senate ID # 345
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 315500

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____

11. No Lobbying

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:
Less than \$10,000
\$10,000 or more ⇨ \$ _____
Income (nearest \$20,000)
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations
EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000
\$10,000 or more ⇨ \$ 60,000.00
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description:
 Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition
 Method B. Reporting amounts under section 60 Internal Revenue Code
 Method C. Reporting amounts under section 16 Internal Revenue Code

Signature 

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Registrant Name ASHP Client Name SELF

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Pediatric Rule
- Health Care Safety Net Improvement Act
- Medication Error Reporting legislation, HR 663 – S. 720.
- Medication Error Reduction Initiatives, including funding for information technology.
- Bioterrorism Preparedness legislation, including Smallpox Compensation and Bioshield.
- National Defense Reauthorization, Special Drug provisions.
- Internet pharmacy
- Hatch-Waxman reform
- Cost-effectiveness analysis of medications
- Counterfeit medications.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Agency for Healthcare Quality and Research
Food and Drug Administration

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Brian M. Meyer	
Gary C. Stein	
Kathleen M. Cantwell, Esq	
Maria D. Spencer	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Medicare prescription drug benefit, all prescription drug and pharmacist services provided under Medicare
- Medicare/Medicaid programs, revisions to payment formulas, including OPPS, Part B drugs, and expansion of 340B program.
- Funding for Pharmacy Residency programs.
- Pharmacist payment under Social Security Act, S. 1270.

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- U.S. House of Representatives
- Food and Drug Administration
- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
- Dept of Health & Human Services

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15. General issue area code PHA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Flu Vaccine Shortage, Drug product shortage issues; Pharmacist Workforce; Drug reimportation; Pharmacy compounding; Comments on Medicare/Medicaid programs; drug safety & post-marketing surveillance; presc drug labeling; Pharmacist reimbursement under Social Security Act; allied health professions education, barc drug packaging, Restricted Drug Distribution Systems; usefulness of consumer medication information; biote preparedness; hospital outpatient and inpatient prospective payment systems.

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- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
- General Accounting Office
- Drug Enforcement Administration
- Dept of Health and Human Services
- Health and Human Services, Office of Inspector General

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