## Ambulatory Care Practitioner Spotlight

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Amanda Ludwig, PharmD, BCACP. Dr. Ludwig is a Patient Center Medical Home (PCMH) Ambulatory Pharmacist for the General Internal Medicine Clinic and the Enhanced Care Program at Froedtert and the Medical College of Wisconsin. Additionally, Dr. Ludwig is the PGY-2 Ambulatory Care Residency Director. Dr. Ludwig first became interested in ambulatory care during pharmacy school where she had worked as an intern in both a retail and hospital pharmacy. She found that there were aspects of both locations which were very appealing; however, she found that ambulatory care offered the opportunity of a somewhat "hybrid" between the two practice sites. After her first experiences with several rotations at VA facilities in South Dakota she knew that it was the right fit for her. Dr. Ludwig finds Ambulatory Care her passion because of the ability to establish strong relationships with



her patients. She states that "there is no greater satisfaction then seeing the joy on your patients' faces when they are able to better understand their health and reach their patient-specific goals". Dr. Ludwig feels that as ambulatory Care continues to evolve quickly, the clinical pharmacist will continue to be a highly valued member of the health care team. Additionally, with continued advocacy and the fight for provider status, the qualities of an ambulatory pharmacist will be needed for chronic disease state management, population health, and continued improvement regarding access to healthcare. Thanks for your passion and dedication to your patients Dr. Ludwig! Keep up the great work!

To learn more about Dr. Ludwig and her current position, please email info@pswi.org and we will put you in touch with Dr. Ludwig.