Understanding Your Finances: Learning Objectives

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Reading Your Financial Statements

Susan Jacobs, CPA and Annette Hoelzer, CPA; SS&G Accounting

At the completion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Recognize the basic components of a financial statement;
- 2. Explain what financial statements can reveal about a pharmacy business; and
- 3. Describe the key financial indicators that will help manage a pharmacy to its maximum potential.

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Budgeting and Managing Cash Flow

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At the completion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Define cash flow and describe what it is, the major items affecting it, and how to improve cash flow in a pharmacy;
- 2. Explain the importance of having budget and the main steps in preparing a budget;
- 3. Recognize different types of budgets; and
- 4. Identify tools currently available to prepare a budget for a pharmacy.

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Applying Financial Management in the Pharmacy

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At the completion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Recognize areas where controlling finances can positively or negatively impact the pharmacy;
- 2. Identify key aspects of inventory control;
- 3. Identify key aspects of managing accounts receivable; and
- 4. Describe how utilizing a buying group can increase financial health.