



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

Hospital and Health System Pharmacy Week

WHEREAS, pharmacists are experts in the successful use of today's complex medications; and

WHEREAS, patients in hospitals and health systems receive better care when pharmacists are directly involved in medication management decisions; and

WHEREAS, pharmacists' direct involvement in patient care helps reduce unnecessary costs and burdens on the health system; and

WHEREAS, the pharmacists and pharmacy technicians practicing in the hospitals and health systems of Idaho contribute to the health and well-being of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and the IDAHO SOCIETY OF HEALTH-SYSTEM PHARMACISTS have declared October 16 through 22, 2011 National Hospital & Health-System Pharmacy Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim October 16 through 22, 2011 to be

Hospital and Health System Pharmacy Week

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 16th day of October in the year of our Lord two thousand and eleven and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-fifth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twenty-first.

A blue ink signature of C.L. "Butch" Otter, written in a cursive style.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
GOVERNOR

A blue ink signature of Ben Yursa, written in a cursive style.

BEN YURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE