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Abstract:

William M. Ellis MS, RPh was named Executive Director of BPS in 2011. BPS current certifies over 36,000 pharmacists in twelve specialties in over 26 countries. From 1997-2011, Mr. Ellis served as CEO and Executive Director of the American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Foundation. He was the Executive Vice President for the Pennsylvania Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists from 1986-1997. He received his pharmacy degree from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and earned his Master of Science Degree in Health Education from Saint Joseph's University.

In 2014, Mr. Ellis was appointed a commissioner to the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA) and served as the Chair from 2016 through 2017. He was re-elected to a three- year term in 2017. The NCCA, an administratively independent resource recognized as the authority on accreditation standards for professional certification programs, helps to ensure the health, welfare, and safety of the public through the accreditation of a variety of individual certification programs that assess professional competency.