# Office of Correctional Medicine NURSE ROUNDTABLE

Tuesday, August 26, 2025 12 – 1 p.m. Webex Only

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# What You Need to Know to Treat Hypertension Ashley Hill, APN, NP-C

Dr. Ashley Hill is a certified hypertension clinician at SIU Hypertension Clinic and an experienced nurse practitioner with nine years working with hypertensive patients. She specializes in refractory, essential, and secondary hypertension, has coauthored several publications, and actively participates in ongoing research. As Associate Vice Chair of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, she is involved in community outreach to promote healthy outcomes in Sangamon County.



## Those participating in this activity will be able to:

- Recognize when to treat.
- Interpret the importance of taking accurate blood pressure readings.
- Recognize improper hypertension regimen.
- Learn to arrange an effective hypertensive regimen tailored to your patient's comorbidities.

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