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PHARMACY STUDENTS ASSIST OLDER ADULTS WITH MEDICATION REVIEWS

Omaha, Nebraska (May 10, 2007) --- On May 8, 2007, pharmacy students Chris McWhirter, Gina Bartos, and Heidi Shadroui from the School of Pharmacy and Health Professions provided medication reviews to older adult parishioners at Holy Name Catholic Church located in Omaha. The students were supervised by Office of Interprofessional Scholarship Core Faculty Member Ann Ryan Haddad along with SPAHP Pharmacy Faculty Members Kim Begley and Emily Sexson. The pharmacy students, all three graduating this May, participated in the Geriatric Pharmacy during their education and have a large interest in working with the geriatric population.

The students performing the medication reviews were part of a larger health fair held by Holy Name Parish to reach out the older adult parishioners. For more on the Office of Interprofessional Scholarship, Service and Education outreach opportunities, visit <http://oisse.creighton.edu>.



Above left: Pharmacy student Gina Bartos assists an older adult with a medication review at an event for older adults at Holy Name Parish.