



Dedicated to improving
the outcomes of IT Therapy

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Intrathecal Compounding Specialists
was created with one unique focus
- intrathecal preparations.

ICS matches a clinical commitment to this
sub-specialty of pharmacy with acumen in
practice management to deliver solutions
for managing IT Therapy.

This distinction improves patient access,
and strengthens the patient, physician,
pharmacist triad.

ICS is a compounding pharmacy that is focused solely on improving the efficacy of intrathecal preparations. ICS combines expert pharmacological knowledge with business acumen in practice management to help physicians improve patient access to IT Therapy.

Our sole focus on IT medications and commitment to quality patient outcomes puts ICS at the top of this sub specialty of pharmacy.

We deliver the highest quality preparations, and provide physicians, medical staff and patients with seamless access throughout the process.

ICS articulates reimbursement needs, and helps you run a more efficient practice.

Quality Preparations, Fully Qualified

All major medical decisions are qualified. Don't you think its time your pharmacy is, too?

All preparations are not created equal, and one size does not fit all. Never have these statements been more applicable than to the integrity of intrathecal preparations. But, until now, quality guarantees have been lacking.

ICS is leading a charge within the industry to make qualified preparations a standard of care. We provide these assurances because we know integrity of the preparations is vital to improving patient outcomes, and it can be critical to achieving operational success.

IT refills are our sole focus. Integrity in our preparations drives that focus. It also serves as the foundation of our business philosophy.

An Impact on your Bottom Line

It starts with assurances, peace of mind, and improved patient access that results from high-quality practices and qualified meds. Bring ICS to your team, and you'll see an increase in cash flow, a reduction in procedural costs, and improvement in the claims process.

Why? Quite simply – better meds and better practices leads to better patient outcomes. The time, hassle, and cost associated with marginal outcomes, titrations, the addition of adjuvant medications, dye studies, rotor studies, and surgical explorations would become less prevalent with pre-qualified medications. In fact, clinical risks associated with IT therapy, such as inflammatory mass, may decline once we adopt the use of pre-qualified preparations as the standard of care.

All Pharmacies Not Created Equal

ICS operates at the highest levels of compliance. Since our founding, we've surpassed USP Chapter <797>. But, more importantly, we've earned PCAB Accreditation. PCAB is to compounding pharmacies what ABMS Certification is to physician specialties. It's a process that signals our commitment and expertise to helping you achieve superior patient outcomes. We encourage you to speak with your current provider of high-risk sterile preparations and put them to the challenge: **Is your pharmacy PCAB Accredited?** ICS is because we think its the best indicator of knowledge, experience and skills in this specialized field of pharmacy.

PCAB Accreditation is an even more comprehensive way to ensure your compounding pharmacy has undergone the profession's most rigorous review and inspection measures. ICS Pharmacy is PCAB Accredited.™

*the most distinguishing feature
of compounding pharmacy is ...*

The Triad Relationship



Compounding is achieved through an essential triad relationship — **patient, physician and pharmacist.**

The physician prescribes medication, the pharmacist takes the required ingredients, compounds them, and dispenses medicine to the patient.

This ensures patients receive the level of service, and the quality, personalized care they deserve.

The triad is a founding principle of **Intrathecal Compounding Specialists.** Its one to which we adhere each and every day – thus allowing us provide superior, patient-oriented services, and act as a trusted medical advisor.

Experienced Personnel & Quality Processes

ICS understands the business and operations of a clinic, and we know how to offer solutions that make managing IT Therapy more clinically, logistically and economically viable.

Our pharmacists are highly trained, and available for consultation about any aspect of the preparation, ordering and delivery of our medications.

The stringent systems we've put in place assure patient safety and quality control checks throughout the entire process, which includes:

- + All powders are from FDA registered facilities
- + All preparations include a certificate of analysis
- + All preparations tested for endotoxins, sterility, pH, potency, and particulate matter by an independent lab
- + Automated technology integrated with lab processes to prevent human error
- + Exceeds levels set by USP <797> for highest levels (Risk Level III compounds)
- + PCAB Accredited™ (equivalent to board certification)

All Medications Prepared In Our Top Tier Facility

We built ICS from the ground up, and we put a priority on designing a facility with the most sophisticated and advanced technology available to the industry.

All preparations are made in our state-licensed facility, which houses an impressive ISO 7 Class 10,000 clean room. The clean room is regulated for air quality, humidity, and temperature control. It features Laminar flow hoods, positive pressure controlled compounding rooms, HEPA filtration, and air exchanges at a rate of 60-90x/per hour.

The mission of ICS is to increase patient access to intrathecal drug therapy by assuring better clinical outcomes and creating a favorable environment to support physician interests.

ICS Provides Ancillary Services

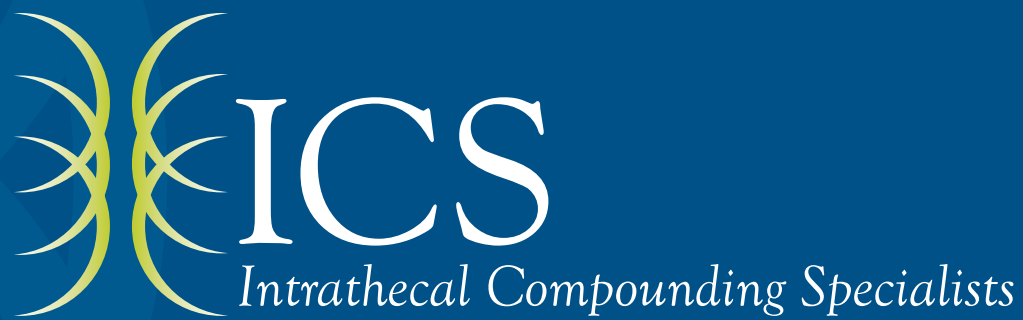
ICS is a name you can trust. Intrathecal medications are our specialty, and serving you as a business partner is our focus. We are licensed across the United States, and we offer a wide range of ancillary services to help you run a more efficient practice.

In the current healthcare environment, we've seen reimbursements decrease, payment denials increase, operational costs increase, and the costs of defensive medicine skyrocket due to litigation and a steady rise in malpractice premiums.

ICS provides ancillary services to help you achieve financial success with your IT therapy patients.

Services include:

- + Back office support for claim submission & EOB analysis
- + Customized financial reports (refill analysis)
- + Off site pump management service (home, hospital, nursing home, rehab facility)
- + Outsourced billing
- + A seamless ordering process
- + Hassle free transition to ICS
- + Order verifications
- + FedEx Priority Alert™ Delivery (meets critical needs for healthcare shipments)
- + Clinical consultation on polyanalgesia
- + Assistance with the clinic's refill schedule
- + On-call pharmacists (24/7)



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