

Joint Commission of Pharmacy Practitioners

MEMBER ORGANIZATION UPDATES

During this portion of the meeting each organization is provided an opportunity to provide an update on activities. We ask that organizations providing updates focus their brief discussions on activities being undertaken that advance progress in one or more of JCPP's Vision Action Plan (Patient Care Process, Pharmacy Quality, Value of Pharmacists' Patient Care Services, HIT, Provider Status Recognition). This discussion will serve as JCPP's process for monitoring the progression of its Action Plan. *Please bring hard-copies of this form for meeting attendees and include within the form links to material vs bringing hard copies to meeting.*

ORGANIZATION: College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists (CPNP)

- Action Plan Implementation Activity
 - Pharmacists' Patient Care Process
 - Numerous articles featured in CPNP's journal, The Mental Health Clinician (<http://mhc.cnp.org>) that showcase the impact of the psychiatric pharmacist on patient care and outcomes.
 - Pharmacy Quality
 - CPNP has concluded development of a hazardous drug assessment tool and will be launching this tool and completed templates for the most utilized psychiatric medications as product no later than the fall months.
 - Value of Pharmacists' Patient Care Services
 - The Keynote Address at CPNP 2017 was delivered by Dr. Harold Pincus on *Proving the Value of Neuropsychiatric Pharmacy Services: Measurement-Based Outcomes for Clinicians*
 - Journal Articles in the Mental Health Clinician:
 - Impact of a mental health clinical pharmacist on a primary care mental health integration team:**
<http://mhc.cnp.org/doi/full/10.9740/mhc.2017.05.101>
 - Mental Health Pharmacists as Interim Prescribers**
<http://mhc.cnp.org/doi/full/10.9740/mhc.2017.05.111>
 - Outcomes of mental health pharmacist-managed electronic consults at a Veterans Affairs health care system**
<http://mhc.cnp.org/doi/full/10.9740/mhc.2017.05.131>
 - In collaboration with NASPA, CPNP released the State Policy Recommendations for Pharmacist Administration of Medications

available at <https://naspa.us/resource/med-admin/>. Association endorsements are being sought.

- CPNP participated in a work group convened by the National Council Medical Directors Council on the topic of access to psychiatric services. The report entitled Psychiatric Services Shortage is available [here](https://www.thenationalcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/Psychiatric-Shortage_National-Council-.pdf): https://www.thenationalcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/Psychiatric-Shortage_National-Council-.pdf. BCPPs are identified as a healthcare profession that can contribute to easing the shortage. CPNP is meeting with The National Council to implement action items related to the report recommendations.
- Provider Status Recognition
- Organization Update (other information):
 - CPNP officers transition July 1. The Outgoing President is Chris Thomas, PharmD, BCPP and the Incoming President is Deanna Kelly, PharmD, BCPP, University of Maryland. Dr. Kelly will represent CPNP at the August 1, 2017 JCPP meeting.
 - CPNP achieved numerous records at its recent Annual Conference with over 770 participants including over 100 residents and 125 students. Additionally, a record 226 scientific posters were displayed over 2 poster sessions.
 - CPNP has grown to 33 student chapters.
 - CPNP has issued its [2017 Health Policy Agenda](#) and has authored [2 issue briefs](#) surrounding the value of psychiatric pharmacists on the treatment team and a second on the need for increased access to mental health and substance abuse treatment.