

EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE

One of the essential roles of the American Pharmacists Association (APhA) is to provide opportunities for members to develop their knowledge and skills as pharmacy professionals. In addition to offering tools and resources that enhance the practice of its members, the Association also strives to ensure members are aware of the evolving political, economic, and sociological environment that affects their practice. Members of this committee must be able to review, evaluate, and contribute content to the Association's educational and professional development programming. Members should also be aware of issues that may influence practice in order to identify new or evolving educational needs.

Committee Composition:

- APhA New Practitioner Advisory Committee Liaison (Member-at-large);
- Four committee members
- Chair, selected from the four committee members by the APhA New Practitioner Advisory Committee

Staff Liaison: Crystal Atwell, APhA Director of Student & New Practitioner Development

Responsibilities:

The Education Standing Committee is charged to:

- Empower new practitioner members with advancement opportunities through innovative continuing education and professional development programming that is timely and relevant
- Review the educational needs of new practitioner members and evaluate current offerings for the purpose of making recommendations to Association staff
- Identify and/or develop online and other electronic strategies for providing educational and professional development offerings when necessary to meet the evolving needs of new practitioner members
- Review, evaluate, and provide programming recommendations to enhance the new practitioner experience at the APhA Annual Meeting & Exposition and Day of NP LIFE
- Participate in and contribute to new practitioner programming
- Engage in online promotion of the Association, the NPN, and related activities
- Collaborate with APhA Education staff, as well as other professional organizations as necessary, to meet the education and professional development needs of new practitioner members.
- Prepare timely reports for the APhA New Practitioner Advisory Committee and APhA staff

Meeting/Travel Obligations:

<i>Event</i>	Event Date	Encouraged to Attend	Required to Attend
<i>APhA2019 Annual Meeting & Expo</i>	March 22-25, 2019	Yes	—
<i>APhA Day of NP LIFE</i>	July 19-20, 2019	Yes	—
<i>APhA-ASP Midyear Regional Meetings</i>	Oct-Nov 2019	Yes	—
<i>APhA2020 Annual Meeting & Expo</i>	March 20-23, 2020	Yes	—
<i>Monthly Conference Calls</i>	Monthly	—	Yes