Manchester University APhA-ASP Chapter

Do you want to be part of the largest student organization on campus?

JOIN APhA-ASP TODAY! #togetherwecan

Benefits of membership:

- **Leadership development**  You can be a leader within your community and your profession by participating in APhA-ASP's leadership development programming. Take your leadership experience to the next level and enhance your skills through a number of interactive training sessions, regional and national meetings, elected and appointed positions from the chapter all the way up to the national level.

- **Patient Care Opportunities**  APhA-ASP is the leader of innovative patient care programming and gives you a head start on developing your clinical expertise. Master the communication, interpersonal, and patient counseling skills you'll need as a practitioner all while serving your community. Take a look at the list of awesome patient care projects below!

**Operation Heart:**

This project gives student pharmacists opportunities to impact the health of the Fort Wayne community through patient education, point-of-care testing, screenings, and community outreach activities. The focus of Operation Heart is on helping patients understand their cardiovascular disease risk and what actions to take to improve their overall cardiovascular health.
Operation Diabetes:
Operation Diabetes raises awareness of diabetes and its effects and through outreach projects, screenings, point-of-care testing and education in the Fort Wayne community.

Operation Immunization:
This project is an immunization awareness campaign designed to increase the public's knowledge of immunizations while raising the number of adults receiving immunizations. One perk of being an MU student is that you are certified to administer immunizations within your first semester. This allows all of our members the opportunity to have hands on experience administering immunizations as well as providing patient education.

Generation Rx:
Generation Rx is an educational program that increases public awareness of prescription medication abuse and encourage health care providers, community leaders, parents, teens and students to actively work to prevent abuse.

Policy Committee:
This committee plans and coordinates all of our chapter’s policy and advocacy efforts. The committee works hard on developing proposed policies to take to the floor of the Mid-year Regional Meeting for the entire APhA-ASP academy to vote on whether to adopt and support. This committee also works with our local state pharmacy association, the Indiana Pharmacists Alliance (IPA), and coordinates a visit to the state Capitol to actively advocate for the profession.

IPSF:
International Pharmaceutical Students’ Federation is the leading international advocacy organization for the profession IPSF works to promote improved public health through provision of information, education, networking, and a range of publication and professional activities. A major focus of the MU chapter is promoting diversity and culturally aware health-care practices.