

Improving healthcare decisions

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When are elections held for your Chapter's Board?	-
Regional Chapter Members - 2017	53
Regional Chapter Members - 2016	140
Notes re Chapter members	-
Full ISPOR members (those paying dues to ISPOR Headquarters)	6
Does your Chapter collect membership dues or fees from individuals for local Chapter membership?	No
Benefits Chapter offer to members	Members are allowed to attend workshop, Seminar, Training, Talk organized by this chapter at a reduced rate of registration/sometimes free of cost.
Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to membership recruitment, retention, and engagement.	We have recruited more members this year
Academia%	27
Government/HTA Agency%	4
Industry - Pharmaceutical/Medical Device/Diagnostics/ Biotech%	21
Consulting%	4
Clinicians%	12
Student%	32
Other%	-
Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to education and training.	This chapter organized two workshops- 1. on "Regulatory approval and Implication of Pharmacoeconomics" jointly with GCTS, Assansol,May 2017, India. 2. On "Impact of Outcome Research on Health care cost" at J.C.Ghosh Polytechnic, Dec. 2017.
Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to research.	We are working on cost effective treatment of Diabetes patient jointly with Two medical colleges.
Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to policy-related activities.	On behalf of our chapter our President is reacting on several ammendments of Drugs Act & Rules. He is also an important member of PvPI.
Chapter's accomplishments with regard to Chapter meetings, workshops, or conferences in 2017.	This chapter organized two workshops- 1. on "Regulatory approval and Implication of Pharmacoeconomics" jointly with GCTS, Assansol,May 2017, India. 2. On "Impact of Outcome Research on Health care cost" at J.C.Ghosh Polytechnic, Dec. 2017.

Articles published in ISPOR's publication in 2017 - Value in Health, Value in Health Regional Issues, Value and Outcomes Spotlight, and ISPOR Regional newsletters by members in your Chapter.	Input from members awaited.
Contributions to ISPOR Conferences and Events by Chapter members in 2017. Include workshops, poster, and podium sessions.	Input from members awaited.
Describe any regional patient engagement activities.	No
Activities organized for students or new professionals.	Sensitization meetings are being organized in different Medical & Pharmacy Colleges regularly throughout West Bengal.
Chapter affiliations with any institutions, universities, government, or associations (other than ISPOR).	No
Does your Chapter have any agreements of sponsorship arrangements with any for-profit companies, governments, health authorities, or associations?	No
Chapter (as a group, not as individual members) formal comments or responses to any government or health authority.	Sent several suggestion to CDSCO on ammendment of D & C Act and Rules, wheneever they requested.
Chapter Groups	Student
HTA in your Chapter's country or region.	Our country/region does not require HTA for national/regional pricing/reimbursement decisions on healthcare technologies.
	Our Chapter provides training/education in HTA.
Is your Chapter officially registered with regional authorities in your country?	In process, indicate what authority
	Society registration
Does your Chapter employ paid administrative or management staff (Association Management Company, contracted staff)?	No
Other than the page for your Chapter on the ISPOR website, does your Chapter maintain a website?	No
Does the Chapter have a bank account?	No
Official organizational email address?	scmddc@gmail.com
How can the ISPOR organization as a whole (Staff, Board, Consortia, Networks, etc.) better support your Chapter?	ISPOR organization extending sufficient support.
3 challenges the Chapter is facing at the start of 2018.	Engagement of members is a challenge as the subject "Pharmacoeconomics & Outcome Research" is not included in any curriculum and there is little scope for job with this specialization.
	PEOR data are not mandatory for new drug approval as per Drugs Rules.
	Retention of members is a challenging job.
Current Chapter members.	Membership List of ISPOR India West Bengal Regional Chapter.pdf
CV for the Chapter President.	Cv -SCM-22.04.pdf
Chapter's Annual Work Plan.	Regional_Chapter_Annual_Work_Plan_2018 (1).pdf
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