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<b>When are elections held for your Chapter's Board?</b>	February 2017
<b>Regional Chapter Members - 2017</b>	5
<b>Regional Chapter Members - 2016</b>	53
<b>Notes re Chapter members</b>	
<b>Full ISPOR members (those paying dues to ISPOR Headquarters)</b>	
<b>Does your Chapter collect membership dues or fees from individuals for local Chapter membership?</b>	Yes
<b>Benefits Chapter offer to members</b>	Members are provided visits to policy making agencies. Seminars and lectures are organized for them.
<b>Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to membership recruitment, retention, and engagement.</b>	112 New members registered for ISPOR conference 2017. we retained 165 life members. Many of them were present in ISPOR conference 2017
<b>Academia%</b>	15
<b>Government/HTA Agency%</b>	10
<b>Industry - Pharmaceutical/Medical Device/Diagnostics/ Biotech%</b>	5
<b>Consulting%</b>	10
<b>Clinicians%</b>	10
<b>Student%</b>	45
<b>Other%</b>	5
<b>Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to education and training.</b>	1. Visit of member student was organized to attend "WHO Collaborating Center for Pharmacovigilance in Public Health Programmes and Regulatory Services" at IPC, Ghaziabad. 2. Weekly seminars are organised by students on various topics like pharmacovigilance, pharmacoeconomics, drug development and discovery etc.

<b>Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to research.</b>	A lot of research was conducted by students who were motivated by ISPOR conference like: 1. Assessment of socio-economic burden and QOL in CAD Patients: A cross sectional study, by Lalit Kumar in 2017 2. Pharmaceconomic burden in type 2 Diabetic Mellitus patients in Delhi, by Vikrant Anjana in 2016. There are various other topics like comparisons of regulatory guidelines around the globe, comparison of pricing and reimbursement policies in Pharmaemerging markets and pharma mature markets. We are also planning to conduct some systematic reviews on RCTs.
<b>Chapter's accomplishments in 2017 with regard to policy-related activities.</b>	We are in continuous touch with the government agencies like Indian Council of Medical Research, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission for promoting and emphasizing the need of implementation of HTA and pharmacoeconomic guidelines. There has been a great momentum in this direction. We are also in touch with National Pharmaceuticals Pricing Authority which governs the price of drugs and medical devices in India. ISPOR INDIA chapter is playing an important role in positively altering the policies in India
<b>Chapter's accomplishments with regard to Chapter meetings, workshops, or conferences in 2017.</b>	Annual conference was held in 3 and 4 March 2017 in which various podium presentations were given by experts in pharmacovigilance, pharmacoeconomics, Health Technology Assessment, Real world evidences, systematic review and meta analysis. Apart from that weekly seminars of students are conducted. We also take our member students to visit in different workshops like systematic review and meta analysis workshop organized by Campbell collaboration.
<b>Articles published in ISPOR's publication in 2017 - <i>Value in Health</i>, <i>Value in Health Regional Issues</i>, <i>Value and Outcomes Spotlight</i>, and ISPOR Regional newsletters by members in your Chapter.</b>	Under process.
<b>Contributions to ISPOR Conferences and Events by Chapter members in 2017. Include workshops, poster, and podium sessions.</b>	Our team organized the annual ISPOR-INDIA Chapter conference which was held on 3rd and 4th March, 2017 at DPSRU. Chapter members helped in registration process, they chaired all important sessions of the conference, judges the poster presentation session which was held during the conference and last but not the least they helped in prize distribution to the winners.
<b>Describe any regional patient engagement activities.</b>	We are continuously conducting surveys on patients of Cardio Vascular diseases, hypertension and diabetes. Last year we interacted with more than 1000 patients in Delhi region. Main aim of patient engagement was to develop the understanding of pharacoeconomic burden and to create awareness among patients related to safe use of medicines
<b>Activities organized for students or new professionals.</b>	Students are mostly involved in organizing weekly seminars. They also volunteer for working and learning in the annual conference also.

<b>Chapter affiliations with any institutions, universities, government, or associations (other than ISPOR).</b>	Delhi Pharmaceutical Science and Research University has affiliated ISPOR-INDIA Chapter. this is basically an academic affiliation
<b>Does your Chapter have any agreements of sponsorship arrangements with any for-profit companies, governments, health authorities, or associations?</b>	No
<b>Chapter (as a group, not as individual members) formal comments or responses to any government or health authority.</b>	ICMR and IPC
<b>Chapter Groups</b>	Student, HTA, Research, Industry
<b>HTA in your Chapter's country or region.</b>	
	Our country/region requires HTA and the Chapter provides comments to the official national/regional HTA organization.
	Our country/region requires HTA and the Chapter's individual members are involved as experts in the national/regional HTA organizations.
	Our Chapter provides training/education in HTA.
	Our country/region requires HTA and the Chapter participates in the development/update of national/regional HTA guidelines.
<b>Is your Chapter officially registered with regional authorities in your country?</b>	No
<b>Does your Chapter employ paid administrative or management staff (Association Management Company, contracted staff)?</b>	Yes
<b>Other than the page for your Chapter on the ISPOR website, does your Chapter maintain a website?</b>	Yes
<b>Does the Chapter have a bank account?</b>	<a href="http://www.isporindia.com/">http://www.isporindia.com/</a> Yes
<b>Official organizational email address?</b>	skgupispor@gmail.com
<b>How can the ISPOR organization as a whole (Staff, Board, Consortia, Networks, etc.) better support your Chapter?</b>	ISPOR organization can help in arranging international speakers for our conferences as we are not financially supported by any organization. ISPOR should keep updating chapter leaders on current issues around the globe so that we can provide better knowledge in our country.
<b>3 challenges the Chapter is facing at the start of 2018.</b>	Financial support
	Scarcity of trained professional in the field of HTA
	No workshop are organized on PEOR and HTA
<b>Current Chapter members.</b>	ISPOR MEMBERS LIST.doc
<b>CV for the Chapter President.</b>	Contribution of Professor Short Bio.docx
<b>Chapter's Annual Work Plan.</b>	Regional_Chapter_Annual_Work_Plan_2018.doc
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