



ISPOR Malaysia Chapter Annual Report 2011

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Background:

The Malaysian Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (MySPOR) was officially registered with the Registry of Societies Malaysia on November 8, 2010.

The objectives of the society are; to promote the science of pharmacoeconomics and outcomes research and to facilitate the translation of these researches to policy. MySPOR provides a platform where researches, healthcare practitioners and decision-makers to share their knowledge and experiences.

The chapter currently has 31 members and membership is open to all who are interested in the area of pharmacoeconomics and outcomes research.

The current leadership of the Malaysia Chapter is comprised of the following:

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Activities/ Accomplishments	Summary
Scientific / Educational Activities	Economic Evaluation in Healthcare Course (Attended by 20 Participants from Health Technology Assessment Division and other Ministry of Health institutions) The course was held on October 11-13, 2011.
Policy-Related Activities	Involvement in the discussion and draft review of the Malaysian Pharmacoeconomics Guidelines The first Technical Committee Meeting was held on July 7, 2011.
Conferences and/or Chapter Meetings	The MySPOR Council held 3 meetings throughout the year to discuss and plan for the society activities. The meetings were held as follows: Mac 4, August 17 & November 10, 2011
Membership Development	Membership to the chapter has increased with on-going activities.

Upcoming Activities for ISPOR Malaysia Chapter 2012

Date	Activities
February 9	Organization of annual kick off meeting to promote our activities among several sectors associated with our topic.
Feb 15 and 16	Development of Pharmacoeconomic Guidelines for Malaysia: Comments & review on final draft.
March 30- April 1	1 st Pharmacoeconomics and Outcome Research Conference 2012. Details of this conference is available on www.myspor.my
March 30	Chapter Annual General Meeting
TBD	Monthly regional chapter meetings
TBD	Development of a promotional strategy within other local societies working on pharmacoeconomics and outcomes research.