



United Arab Emirates Regional Chapter Annual Report - 2016

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When are elections held for your Chapter's Board? Please indicate month and year of your last election.	
# Regional Chapter members	75
# Full ISPOR members	25
Collect membership dues or fees from individuals? Annual dues?	No
Chapter benefits	Involvement and updates in the current activities.
Chapter's accomplishments in 2016 with regard to membership recruitment, retention, and engagement	Currently we have 75 members, and more than 60% are active members. We had 4 members leave the country and 11 new members joined in 2016.
Chapter's accomplishments in 2016 with regard to education and training	Academia, Pharmacy College, Sharjah University, under graduate, Pharmacy College, Ajman University- post graduate, Dubai Pharmacy College- post graduate, Pharmacy College, Al Ain University-under graduate
Chapter's accomplishments in 2016 with regard to research	NA
Chapter's accomplishments in 2016 with regard to policy-related activities	The UAE Pharmacoeconomic Guideline is under the development.
Chapter's accomplishments with regard to Chapter meetings, workshops, or conferences	We organized 3 workshops and one chapter meeting.
Chapter member's accomplishments, including articles of note or awards	Need to check.
Describe any regional patient engagement activities	It is a very important activity and we are planning to change the current culture.
Describe any activities organized for students or new professionals	PE is a mandatory course for MSC / post graduate.
Chapter Affiliations	
Sponsorship Agreements	



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Formal comments to governments or health authorities

Input to national or regional HTA activities

Committees or special interest groups

Registered with regional authorities

Chapter's main goals for 2017

3 challenges the Chapter is facing at the start of 2017

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Prepared this report

Industry

No

Finalize the UAE PE guideline.

How to affiliate ISPOR chapter locally.

Use PE methods as decision making tool

Convince the UAE government and payers to verify, update and implement the UAE PE guidelines.

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