



New Practitioner Achievement Award

The California Society of Health-System Pharmacists' New Practitioner Achievement Award is designed to recognize an exemplary new practitioner member who has made significant contributions to the Society, the profession and who, through their professional practice and activities, has promoted CSHP's Mission:

To promote wellness, patient safety and optimal use of medication:

- (a) Serving as an organization through which the membership pursues its common professional goals.
- (b) Providing leadership for the profession and support for its members.
- (c) Advocating for its members before private and public agencies and health care professional organizations.

The Society believes members promote and sustain CSHP's mission by sharing innovations and model practices with others through publication, formal presentations and by mentoring or serving as a preceptor for residents and students. Each candidate must meet or exceed each of the following criteria in order to be eligible for this award:

1. Active new practitioner member (NPY1-NPY5) of CSHP
 - Not a **current** director, elected officer, paid employee or New Practitioner Executive Committee (NPEC) member
2. Active participation in CSHP activities at the regional or state level
 - Consider the following as activities: (a) served as an elected officer of a state, regional or local pharmacy organization; (b) member of a pharmacy association policy recommending body; (c) member of a commission, committee, task force, or ad hoc group established by a state, regional or local pharmacy association; (d) reviewer, editorial board member, or editor for a national, professional refereed journal; or (e) reviewer of papers submitted for presentation at pharmacy meetings.
3. Excellence in pharmacy practice following pharmacy licensure that exemplifies CSHP's belief that pharmacy is a clinical profession whose main purpose is to serve patients and the public through the promotion of wellness and the best use of medications.
 - Consider activities and accomplishments that exceed routine job requirements and reflect a commitment to practice excellence. For example, the development, implementation or enhancement of systems or programs that have resulted in an improved level of practice. Emphasis shall be placed on innovation, creativity, and conceptualization of new or improved practice methods.
 - Consider written comments from candidate's application and contributing letters of support to verify practice excellence. Candidate has demonstrated a level of involvement in and commitment to educating practitioners, residents, students, administrators, and/or

- the public through, for example, preceptorship, presentation of formal continuing education programs, or presentations to the lay public
- Consider active involvement in educational programs such as: a) making presentations of formal continuing education programs to health-care practitioners on topics that pertain to pharmacy practice; b) providing guidance to colleagues' practice; c) precepting residents; d) mentoring staff; e) training technicians; f) educating students; and, g) educating the public.
 - Consider written comments from candidate's application and contributing letters of support to verify commitment to education.
4. Candidate has made sustained contributions to the total body of pharmacy knowledge through poster presentations and/or widely distributed publications.
- Consider the following as contributions: (a) publication of scientific or professional papers on relevant topics of pharmacy in refereed journals (senior author or coauthor is acceptable); (b) publication of a textbook or several chapters in a textbook(s) on some aspect of pharmacy; (c) poster presentations at professional meetings; and/or (d) production or publication of educational aids on some aspect of pharmacy.
 - In-service presentations or an institution's internal publications **alone** are **NOT** considered as meeting this criterion.
5. Candidate is highly regarded by students, peers, other health care practitioners, and/or members of the public as a role model new practitioner.
- Consider special recognition awards and/or honors
 - Consider contributing letters of support for confirmation

Instructions

- To be completed by the candidate or an **active** member of CSHP on behalf of the candidate.
- **Fill out the application form completely.** A curriculum vitae may be attached, but attachment of a curriculum vitae and reference to applicable sections shall not be acceptable as a substitute. **An incompletely filled out application form shall serve as the basis for denial of an application.**
- Obtain two (2) letters of support from **CSHP members**, attesting to the professional accomplishments and satisfaction of the criteria as a candidate for the New Practitioner Achievement Award.
 - Letters of recommendation may not be submitted by any current member of the New Practitioner Executive Committee or by CSHP's Chief Executive Officer.
 - Letters of recommendation must come from a **current CSHP member**.
- To this completed application attach the two letters of support and submit the materials on the CSHP website at **www.cshp.org/NPAAward**
- Application Deadline: **June 1st**

Candidates and/or their nominators will receive the results of their applications in early August.



CALIFORNIA SOCIETY OF
HEALTH-SYSTEM PHARMACISTS
Partners in Medication Management

NEW PRACTITIONER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD APPLICATION AND NOMINATION FORM

I. Contact Information

Candidate's Name _____

Institution/Employer: _____

Contact Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact telephone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Nominator's Name _____

Institution/Employer: _____

Contact Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact telephone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

II. Education

(List colleges and universities attended, dates of attendance and degrees received)

College or University	Dates	Degree / Major

III. Post Graduate Training *(e.g. residency or fellowship)*

Specific Type	Institution	Preceptor	Dates

IV. Membership in Professional Organizations

(Active member of CSHP. Not currently a director, elected office, paid employee, NPEC member of CHSP)

Name of Organization	Member Since (Year)

V. Activities in Professional Organizations

(Participation in CSHP activities at the regional or state level. Include activities such as: (a) an elected officer of a state, regional, or local pharmacy organization; (b) a member of a pharmacy association policy recommending body; (c) a member of a commission, committee, task force, or ad hoc group established by a state, regional or local pharmacy association; (d) a review of papers submitted for presentation at a pharmacy meetings.)

Year	Organization	Position / Activity

VI. Professional Experience

Excellence in pharmacy practice following pharmacy licensure that exemplifies CSHP’s mission:

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(Document activities and accomplishments that exceed routine job requirements and reflect a degree of commitment to practice excellence. For example, the development, implementation or enhancement of systems or programs that have resulted in an improved level of practice and/or innovative, creative and conceptualized new or improved practice methods.)

- Encourage writers of letters of recommendation to comment in support of practice excellence.

List in reverse chronological order your experience record in pharmacy practice

Dates	Institution / Position	Significant Achievements

VII. Pharmacy Honors and Awards

Date	Honor or Award

VIII. Contributions to the Total Body of Pharmacy Knowledge

(Candidate has made contributions to the total body of pharmacy knowledge through poster presentations and/or widely distributed publication. Document activities such as: (a) publication of scientific or professional papers on relevant topic of pharmacy in referred journals (senior author or coauthor is acceptable); (b) publication of a textbook or several chapters in a textbook(s) on some aspect of pharmacy; (c) poster presentations at professional meetings; and/or (d) production or publication of educational aids on some aspect of pharmacy.)

- **Please note:** *In-service presentations or an institution's internal publications ALONE are NOT considered as meeting his criterion.*

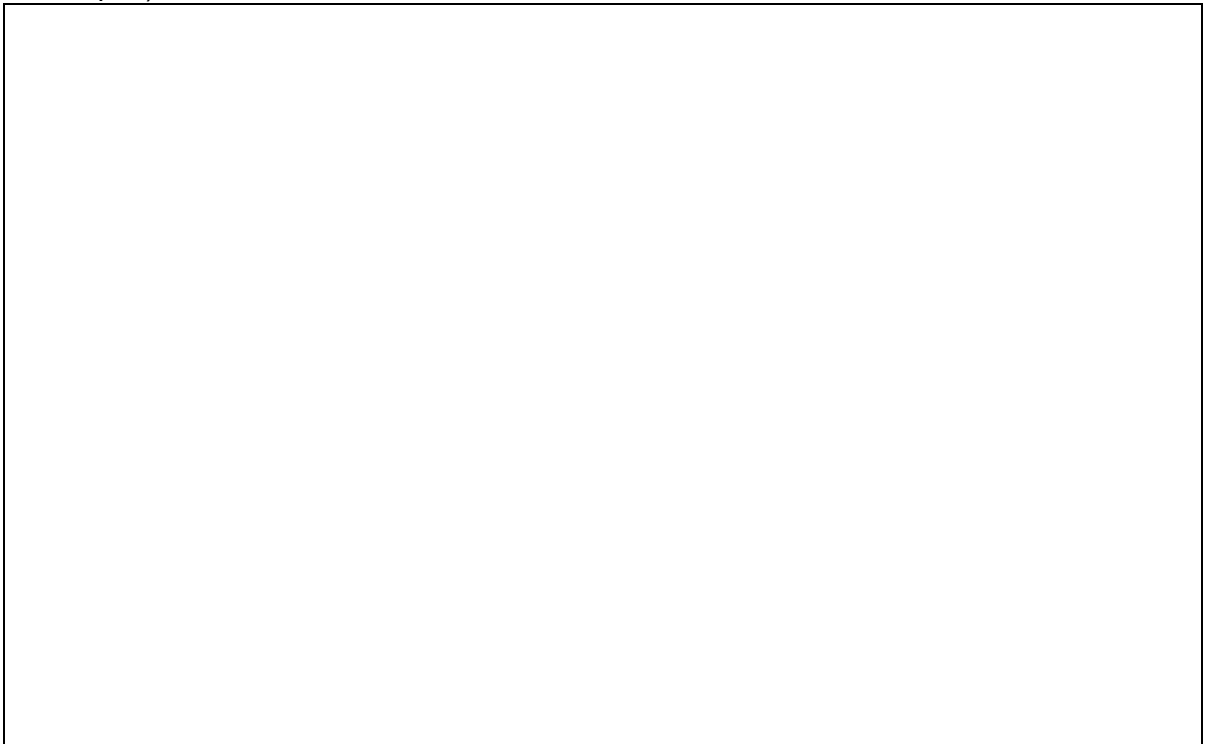
A. Poster to professional groups, organizations, and outside institutions

Year	Group / Organization	Title

B. Publications in the Professional Literature



C. Other (e.g. Newspaper articles, books, book chapters, reports, CE monographs, videotapes)



IX. Contributions to Institutional Excellence

(Candidate has exhibited excellence in pharmacy practice following pharmacy licensure. Activities and accomplishments exceed routine job requirements (can be internal) and reflect an ongoing commitment to practice excellence.)

- *Encourage writers of letters of recommendation to comment on candidate’s support of institutional excellence.*

A. In-Service Programs

(Educational programs provided within the candidate’s own institution)

Year	Institution	Title

B. Institutional Publications (e.g. Pharmacy or P&T Newsletters)

Year	Type of Publication	Title

X. Commitment to Education

(Candidate has demonstrated a level of involvement in, and commitment to, education, practitioners, residents, students, administrators, and/or the public through, for example, preceptorship or presentation of formal continuing education programs)

A. Teaching, Precepting and Mentoring Activities

(Briefly describe the candidates teaching and mentoring activities as they relate to students, interns, and/or residents.)

Dates	Institution / School	Brief description of teaching, preceptorship, or mentoring activities

B. Presentations of the Lay Public and Community

Dates	Group / Organization	Topic / Title