

CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PHARMACY



SoCal Mixer March 1st, 2025

On March 1st, Chapman University School of Pharmacy (CUSP) hosted the 4th Annual SoCal Pharmacy School Mixer. Activities like the pharmacy career showcase, leadership workshops, and fun games offered various networking and leadership development opportunities for attendees. This was a great event for student pharmacists to develop new connections with students from other pharmacy schools, as they continue to network amongst themselves and other professionals in the pharmacy field.



Walk To Feed OC March 15th, 2025

Walk to Feed OC was a meaningful event held at Tanaka Farms in Irvine, aimed at raising awareness about food insecurity in Orange County. The event drew over 1,500 attendees, including 30 students from CUSP, who completed a 1.5-mile walk, enjoying both the scenic nature and the sense of community. The event also featured a variety of engaging activities such as mini-golf, face painting, and games, creating a lively and welcoming atmosphere for all visitors. The event was a great opportunity for students to show support for the community, connect with others, and take a well-deserved break from studying.

HIV Prevention Awareness Event March 19th, 2025

In collaboration with the CUSP SNPhA Chapter, CSHP/ASHP-SSHP held an HIV Prevention Awareness Event. The purpose of this event was to help raise awareness about HIV prevention, destigmatization, and pharmacists' role in PrEP and PEP to combat the spread of HIV. This was a hybrid event where students and participants were able to attend the in-person event on Chapman University's Orange campus, or attend the virtual viewing event on the Rinker Health Science campus in Irvine. The speakers included a patient on pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), a board-certified HIV pharmacist, an ID physician, and a PrEP Navigator. Amongst the speakers was one of our faculty co-advisors, Dr. Jerika Lam, who shared her perspective as an HIV pharmacist and played an instrumental role in the planning of this event. This was a powerful event as students, faculty, and all other attendees were able to learn more about HIV and our effort towards prevention and destigmatization!



CSHP Policy & Legislative Day April 7th, 2025

With sponsorship from former CSHP President Dr. Kenneth Schell, one of our CSHP Delegates, Mariana Velarde-Alvarez, traveled to Sacramento for CSHP's Policy and Legislative Day! She flew in that morning for a day full of active support for pharmacy policy and heard from guest speakers including Anne Sondergren, Executive Director of the California Board of Pharmacy, Tim Valderrama, a CSHP Lobbyist, and Heath Flora, CA Assemblyman (District 9). Mariana represented our chapter at the event and supported many important bills, the primary one being AB 1366, advocating for pharmacist reimbursement for MTM services outside of a community pharmacy setting. Attendees also met with California legislative members, including Senator Lena Gonzalez (District 33). She emphasized the importance of investing in pharmacists to provide better healthcare services, especially within the context of healthcare budget cuts. Overall, Legislative Day offered valuable insights into advancing pharmacy legislation and improving public health!

Kaiser Permanente Networking Night May 12th, 2025

On May 12th, our CSHP chapter hosted the 9th Annual Kaiser Permanente Networking Night. This year, we were honored to host the event on our campus in person and invite Kaiser pharmacy professionals from several different locations in Southern California including Irvine, Downey, Riverside, and more. Our night started off with dinner and a presentation from our keynote speaker, Dr. Shelly Fisher, the South Bay Area Pharmacy Director. After hearing her inspirational words of advice, we held three roundtable sessions where students could choose which specialties they wanted to hear from. The different tables were organized into leadership and management operations, outpatient, inpatient, ambulatory care, and PGY1/PGY2 residents. To end off the night, KP Human Resources led a session on future career opportunities within Kaiser. Overall, this event was an amazing way for students to build their networking skills and learn more about different specialties within the pharmacy field. We are extremely grateful to all of our Kaiser guests and students for joining us for this memorable event!



P3 Residency Match Panel May 15th, 2025

As our P3s came to the end of their pharmacy school journey, we held our highly anticipated P3 Residency Match Panel where we invited five P3 students that matched into various PGY1 residency programs. Our panelists shared their experiences and valuable advice for getting through the intense residency application, interview, and matching process. The event ended with a Q&A session where P1 and P2 students could ask their own questions to our panelists. A special thank you to our amazing panelists, and congratulations to the Class of 2025 and the P3s who matched into residency. We look forward to seeing your post-graduate achievements!



MGFA Community Health Fair

May 31st, 2025

On May 31st, our CSHP chapter participated in the Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America (MGFA) Community Health Fair. In the first part of the event, the volunteers helped with set up and assisted visitors with event check-in. Additionally, our student pharmacists had the opportunity to present poster boards on poison prevention, hypertension, and myasthenia gravis, allowing them to apply their knowledge from class.

We also engaged with attendees by hosting a "Myasthenia Gravis Experience Table," where they could participate in simulations such as eyelid drooping/double vision and muscle weakness to highlight the symptoms MG patients face on a daily basis. The students were also able to connect with other vendors including professionals from industry and advocacy groups to develop professionally as healthcare providers at this meaningful event!



CSHP/ASHP-SSHP Induction Banquet

June 10th, 2025

On June 10th, our CSHP/ASHP-SSHP Induction Banquet was held at Brio Italian Grille to celebrate the transition of the Executive Board. The outgoing student officers and new board members were joined by our faculty advisors for a special dinner filled with laughs and lasting memories.

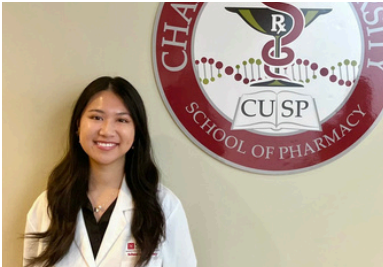
To end off the evening, Dr. Dustin Le, past President of CSHP/ASHP-SSHP at CUSP, inducted the newly elected board members into their positions with our traditional candle-lighting ceremony. The flames of the outgoing officers went out as the candles of the new officers brightly lit up, symbolizing the passing of leadership, service, and legacy of our organization. Thank you to the 2024-2025 CSHP/ASHP-SSHP Board for all they have accomplished during their term for our chapter. Our 2025-2026 Board looks forward to following in your footsteps!



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