



The ICHP Continuing Pharmacy Education (CPE) Mission

The Illinois Council of Health-System Pharmacists CPE mission is to develop, maintain and enhance the knowledge and skills of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians in health-system settings by providing adult education on important issues relevant to contemporary pharmacy practice.

Goals of the ICHP Continuing Pharmacy Education Mission

- To identify through bi-annual needs assessments and ongoing activity evaluations the educational needs of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians as it relates to the provision of all aspects of medication therapy in healthcare settings.
- To address the educational needs identified with 80% live and 20% home-study educational programming annually, in an interactive format that engages learners and facilitates improved learning, retention and application of knowledge and skills.
- To provide educational programming that includes both knowledge-based and application-based activities, with a goal of 80% knowledge-based and 20% application-based activities at our statewide meetings.
- To provide educational programming that is fair, balanced and void of commercial influence at all times.
- To promote Continuing Professional Development (CPD) through state wide meetings and the ICHP website, as a means by which pharmacists and pharmacy technicians may acquire and maintain critical pharmacy practice competencies.
- To establish and maintain quality assurance training for faculty (both speakers and authors) to ensure optimal educational activities for pharmacists, and pharmacy technicians.