



Fellow of the Michigan Pharmacists Association Application

All pharmacists who belong to Michigan Pharmacists Association (MPA) are invited to apply for Fellow of the Michigan Pharmacists Association (FMPA) designation. The FMPA Award recognizes the recipient's achievements and dedication to the practice of pharmacy and the community. The distinction signifies the recipients' actions well beyond regular pharmacy practice.

Qualifying applicants will receive an exclusive lapel pin, a certificate, recognition in *Michigan Pharmacist* journal and an invitation to receive their award during the Annual Banquet & Awards Ceremony held each February during the MPA Annual Convention & Exposition.

The fellowship is divided into three areas: professional actions in practice, public service and pharmacy association participation, all of which help define a well-rounded pharmacist. Applicants are required to earn a minimum of 25 points in each category, with a total of 100 points needed overall to earn the fellowship. All points may be retroactively added from the beginning of an applicant's pharmacy career.

To apply, return the FMPA application along with all supporting materials to: MPA, 408 Kalamazoo Plaza, Lansing, MI 48933.

I. PROFESSIONAL ACTIONS IN PRACTICE (minimum of 25 points in this category)

A. Number of years in practice

1. 5-10 (3 points)
2. 11-15 (7 points)
3. 16-20 (11 points)
4. 20+ (15 points)

B. Therapeutic interventions – Describe three different situations where your intervention had a significant impact on patient outcome during the last year. Attach applicable documents to this application. (5 points)

C. Publishing – List publication, article and date (maximum: 20 points)

1. In-house publications (3 points)
2. State/national publications (7 points)

D. Presentations at in-services and/or meetings. (Maximum: 10 points)

1. To other pharmacists (2 points)
2. To other health care professionals (2 points)
3. To staff (2 points)

- E. Program development at work site – Describe program, date and location **(maximum: 15 points)**
 - 1. Innovations/new programs (5 points)
 - 2. Cost/time containment (5 points)
 - 3. Restructuring/operations improvements (5 points)
 - 4. Improving financial status of business, percent per year (5 points) _____

- F. Preceptor/educator of student pharmacists – List preceptor license number or name of school (if faculty member), name(s) of the student(s), date and major accomplishments while at site **(3 points/student; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- G. Additional professional skills certification – List areas **(5 points each; maximum: 15 points)** _____

II. PUBLIC SERVICE (minimum of 25 points in this category)

- A. Work for a charitable organization **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- B. PTA board member – List school name and year **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- C. Elected as government official – List office held and year(s) **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- D. Sports coach/leader – List sport, league and date **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- E. Voluntary campaign worker for a political party – List date **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- G. Youth organization leader – List name of organization and date **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)** _____

- H. Community education – Describe activity and date **(5 points/year; maximum: 15 points)**
 - 1. Public speaking
 - 2. Newspaper articles, lay publishing
 - 3. Radio/TV programming _____

- I. Volunteer public safety – List community and date (5 points/year; maximum: 15 points) _____
- J. Church leader – List church and date (5 points/year; maximum: 15 points) _____
- K. Service organizations – List name and date (5 points/year; maximum: 15 points) _____

III. PHARMACY ASSOCIATION PARTICIPATION (minimum of 25 points in this category)

- A. MPA membership (1 point/year; maximum: 10 points) _____
- B. Pharmacy PAC membership (2 points/year; maximum: 10 points) _____
- C. National membership (5 points/current membership; maximum: 10 points) _____
- D. Professional fraternity/sorority alumni membership (5 points; maximum: 5 points) _____
- E. Professional awards (5 points each award; maximum: 25 points) _____
- F. Leadership positions in pharmacy organizations (maximum: 30 points)
 - 1. Officer (5 points/year) _____
 - 2. Committee member (3 points/year) _____

TOTAL POINTS FROM ALL CATEGORIES (minimum 100 total points) _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____