Committee Members: Denise Markstrom, chair; John Brubaker; Daniel Chung; Ronda Hawkins; Sister Phyllis Klonowski; Michael Kraft; Shawna Kraft; Jackie Morse; Rachel Neu; Maxwell Norris; Katelyn Patterson; Gregg Potter; Andrew Richards; Troy Shirley; Kevin Szyskowski; Preston Taylor; and Shanelle Covington, MPA staff liaison

Meeting Dates: Jan. 22 and May 14

I. Progress Report for 2019 Committee Charges

Charge #1: Consider the House of Delegates resolution(s) referred to the Committee by the MPA Executive Board

- Resolution 19-01: Drug Shortage
  - The Committee supports the resolution with amendment clarifying toolkit as a quick link that can be accessed from the MPA website homepage
- Resolution 19-02: Removal of Marihuana-Infused Edibles Category
  - The Committee does not support this resolution
- Resolution 19-04: Pharmacist-Led Cannabis Task Force
  - The Committee supports this resolution with amendment to expand dissemination of evidence based recommendations to a broader audience
- Resolution 19-05: Methadone for Opioid Addiction
  - The Committee tabled this resolution pending resubmission for additional clarity (as presented the Committee agreed that the description was too vague)

Charge #2: Manage all aspects of the NASPA-NMA Student Pharmacist Self-care Championship to ensure participation by each college of pharmacy and revise the competition procedure manual, as necessary.

The tenth NASPA-NMA Student Pharmacist Self-care Championship was held at the 2019 MPA Annual Convention and Exposition (ACE) on Feb. 23. The competition was hosted by M. Kraft, Brubaker served as co-host, and Klonowski, S. Kraft and Chair Markstrom served as judges. It was well received by the students, pharmacists and technicians who attended. Color coding of buzzer wires for each school greatly reduced set-up time.
Suggestions for improvement include:

- Update game file in real time during January/February meeting
- Consider using survey monkey to survey student’s opinions on event
- Ensure event room before session is empty at least an hour before hand to allow enough time for set-up

**Charge #3: Evaluate and maintain up-to-date pharmacy career information and resources within the MPA Career Center**

S. Kraft and Lauren Asherman, Pharmacy Student, have written an article on Hae Mi Choe, Clinical Associate Professor and Director of Innovative Ambulatory Care Pharmacy Practices at the University of Michigan.

**Charge #4: Solicit authors and topics focused on patient safety for the April, July, October and January 2020 issues of Michigan Pharmacist journal.**

The following articles were authored and published by the following Committee members:

- Chair Markstrom, Suicide Prevention, January
- Chung/MPA intern, Collaborative Practice Agreements, April*
- Klonowski, New Opioid CE Requirements for Pharmacists, July
- Brubaker, Ketogenic Diets and Drug Interactions (slated for October 2019)

*Articles submitted but not published due to communication issues and staff changes

**Charge #5: Review and update the MPA’s online patient safety resources and work to promote the utilization of the resources available on the MPA Website.**

Review was distributed amongst committee members. A Google Doc form was created by S. Kraft and members documented any links that were non-functional. The list was sent to Mike Wolf for correction of any deficiencies.

**Charge #6: Publish an article in the MPA Journal highlighting pharmacist collaborative practice agreements (CPA) no later than March 31, 2019.**

Chung along with an MPA intern authored the article. Due to communication issues and staff changes the article has not been published. It slated for a later date.

**Charge #7: Review advanced practice services by pharmacists and determine the feasibility of implementing these services in Michigan.**

MPA staff reviewed this charge and concluded that pharmacists in Michigan can perform advanced services through either collaborative practice agreements (CPAs) or delegation. S. Kraft stated that MSHP is working on a guidance toolkit with resources on how to utilize CPAs, including information on credentialing and privileging. The toolkit will be available soon.

**Charge #8: Submit the annual Committee progress report to the MPA Executive Board by Aug. 1, 2019**

Completed.
II. Other Committee Activities
Nothing to report.

III. Recommendation(s) for Next Year’s Charges
- Consider the House of Delegates resolution(s) referred to the Committee by the MPA Executive Board
- Manage all aspects of the NASPA-NMA Student Pharmacist Self-care Championship to ensure participation by each college of pharmacy and revise the competition procedure manual, as necessary.
- Evaluate and maintain up-to-date pharmacy career information and resources within the MPA Career Center. Suggestions for improvement include information on pharmacy technicians (possibly partnering with MSPT) and consultant pharmacists.
- Solicit authors and topics focused on patient safety for the April, July, October and January 2021 issues of Michigan Pharmacist journal.
  - Consider articles on STD Expedited Partner Therapy, Steadi-Rx
- Review and update MPA’s online patient safety resources and work to promote the utilization of the resources available on the MPA website.
- Send letter/email to new recipients of the Dean’s Professionalism Award to inform them of Committee responsibilities and solicit their interest on serving on the Committee.

IV. Recommendation(s) for Next Year’s Committee Members
Chair Markstrom would like to remain as chair. All members would like to remain on the Committee. Rachel Henegar has shown interest in joining the Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Markstrom, chair