The Ohio Society of Health-System Pharmacists Position Statement on Excellence in Health-System Pharmacy Practice

The Ohio Society of Health-System Pharmacists strives to promote excellence in healthsystem pharmacy practice.

In support of this goal, OSHP promotes life-long learning by practicing pharmacists, pharmacy students, and supportive personnel. OSHP also supports development of the highest standards of practice. OSHP seeks documents describing and promoting high standards of practice that are both practical and challenging. Such documents are posted with this position paper on the OSHP website. The documents provide valuable guidance to pharmacists seeking to establish new programs such as those described, or a useful baseline of quality for programs already established.

OSHP encourages pharmacists to incorporate these high standards into their practice. As the standards improve the quality of pharmacy practice, they increase the value society places on the profession of pharmacy.

See the following documents:

- 1) Joint Ohio Colleges of Pharmacy (Toledo, Ohio Northern, Ohio State, Cincinnati) Objectives for Advanced Practice Hospital Pharmacy.
 - a) Objectives for Student Experiences
 - b) Pharmacist Practice Guidelines
 - c) Preceptor Standards
- 2) Medication Management in Geriatric Patients

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