### Annual Chapter Report Outline

Please complete your Annual Chapter Report and submit to the National Office by May 15.

**Date of report submission:** 2016-05-12

**Name of School/College:** Presbyterian College School of Pharmacy

**Chapter Name & region:** Delta Omega Chapter – Region III (Mid-Atlantic)

**Delegate who attended the Rho Chi Annual Meeting:** N/A

**Date Delegate’s name submitted:** 0001-01-01

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**Introduction**

The Rho Chi Delta Omega Chapter strives to promote intellectual excellence and to use our knowledge to serve the community. This past year our chapter has become very passionate in our involvement with our community. We have excelled at using our knowledge to create protocols for treating Hepatitis C at a local clinic. Not only did we utilize our pharmacy knowledge to help treat and manage these patients, but also we expanded our knowledge through collaborative inter-professional practice experiences. In addition to promoting scholarship, we aim to promote leadership by encouraging our members to hold school leadership positions and through service in the community.

**Meetings** Please provide information on meetings held in the following tabular format

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| Date | Attendance | Agenda | Action Steps |
| 2015-05-04 | 2 Chapter Advisors, 17 members | Discuss role of officers. Elect officers for 2015 to 2016 year. Discuss Annual Report submission. Future Business: chapter bylaws, peer tutoring, service events, fundraising/funds for cords. | Planning for summer initiation ceremony for initiates from Class of 2014 to 2015. Meet next school year in August to discuss future business objectives. |
| 2015-09-29 | Chapter Advisor, all Chapter officers, 13 members | Review role of officers. Discuss possibility of offering peer tutoring services. Discuss future business objectives: admission criteria into Delta Omega Chapter, fundraising/funds for cords, initiation ceremony venue. | Chapter President and Advisor will look into Rho Chi offering one-on-one tutoring to possibly eliminate Supplemental Instruction sessions. Discuss future business objectives at next meeting. |
| 2016-02-02 | Chapter Advisor, all chapter officers, 13 members, and 4 faculty members | Vote on initiation of new members (Class of 2018)- 13 approved by unanimous decision. Discuss Initiation Ceremony: possible dates, location, guest speaker, cost of initiate dues, attendance requirements. Discuss cost of graduation cords, and fundraiser ideas. | Decide on initiation ceremony location, date, guest speaker, and fundraising ideas. |
| 2016-04-18 | Chapter Advisor, all chapter officers, 13 members, and 2 faculty members | Election of officers for upcoming year. Discuss role of officers and chapter annual report. | Chapter secretary and historian should meet to submit Annual Chapter Report by May 15th. |

**Strategic Planning:** What goals were set that relate to the Rho Chi mission?

Our goals this past year included:
– Becoming involved in an underserved community
– Creating opportunities for our members to enhance their intellectual abilities
– Advancing pharmacy practice through collaboration with other healthcare professionals

**Activities**

The president of our Delta Omega chapter, Chris Nappi, has initiated a working relationship with our local free clinic in Greenville, SC. During the course of our first year we have been collaborating with their clinical coordinator and staff to develop an evidence-based treatment plan for the clinic’s Hepatitis C patient population, which currently consists of roughly one hundred patients. We are also working to create a functional database to assist in managing these patients in the hopes of collecting data on treatment efficacy as well as drug side effects act be used by the clinic going forward.

**Financial Budgeting**

This past year we raised funds for the upcoming year by selling polos, t-shirts, and reusable shopping bags imprinted with our school’s logo. Additionally, we held a lunch fundraiser in which we sold grilled-cheese sandwiches with tomato soup for $4.00.



**Installation Function**

Our initiation ceremony was held on April 6, 2016 at 6:30 pm at Steve W’s Bistro in Newberry, SC. The keynote speaker was Dr. JoLaine Draugalis, Dean at the University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy. We initiated thirteen new members, all of which were second year PharmD candidates. All initiates and chapter officers, the Rho Chi advisor, the Dean at Presbyterian College School of Pharmacy, some faculty members, along with family and friends of the initiates were present at the ceremony. The event was photographed by Ms. Rebecca Laura, Media Specialist at Presbyterian College School of Pharmacy.

**Evaluation/Reflection**

This past year was our chapter’s first year operating as an active Rho Chi chapter. Our Delta Omega Chapter has fulfilled its mission to reach local underserved areas, to use our pharmacy knowledge to serve our community, and to collaborate with other health-care professionals. Not only have we served our community, but also we have encouraged our students to advance the profession of pharmacy and to promote their personal intellectual development. For example, many of our chapter members have become more involved in research in either the clinical side or basic sciences. Furthermore, many of our members are in pursuance of residencies, fellowships, or other postgraduate programs.

In the future, we plan to become even more involved in our community and to offer both our members and peers outside of Rho Chi more opportunities to advance their pharmacy knowledge through peer assistance initiatives and other activities geared toward promoting academic success.

**Other Information**

N/A