



**Sonderregger Research Center
for Improved Medication Outcomes**
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UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

Pharmacy Practice Enhancement and Action Research Link (PearlRx) Member Policy

Purpose of the PearlRx Member Policy:

To describe the PearlRx enrollment process and what members can expect from participation.

Enrollment:

- 1) Pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and student pharmacists can join PearlRx by updating their online profile on the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin website or contacting the PearlRx Program Administrator.
- 2) PearlRx membership status will be maintained in an electronic database by the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin and the Sonderregger Research Center.
- 3) Members are not required to be Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin members to join PearlRx, but some research opportunities may be limited to specific pharmacist or pharmacy characteristics (e.g., WPOC certified, inpatient pharmacists, etc.).
- 4) No research background or credentials are required to join PearlRx.
- 5) No additional fee is required to join PearlRx.

Membership:

- 1) Members will receive a PearlRx newsletter email no more frequently than every 2 weeks describing project opportunities and/or network updates.
- 2) There is no minimum participation requirement.
- 3) Members may discontinue membership in PearlRx by contacting the PearlRx Program Administrator or updating their online profile on the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin website.

Use of Information:

The Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin will provide updated demographic information for active PearlRx members to the Sonderregger Research Center up to four times each year. Demographic information of individual members will be kept confidential by the Sonderregger Research Center. Aggregate, de-identified demographic information may be used to describe the membership of the network publicly and in communication with researchers. Contact information of PearlRx members will be used to solicit participation in research projects that have been approved by the PearlRx Coordinating Committee.



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