

The Executive Committee manages the PCPA on behalf of its members. The Executive Committee leads the PCPA at a strategic level and monitors the effectiveness of our endeavours. It is responsible for developing the role of the PCPA within primary care and representing our members and their needs in the development and delivery of healthcare policy.

It is comprised of the Chairs from the PCPA Specialist Interest Groups and representatives from sectors within primary care pharmacy. The PCPA President and the Director of the PCPA are responsible for appointing members to the specialist interest groups in collaboration with the Executive Committee and Chairs of the Specialist Interest Groups

The specialist interest groups are each chaired by a leading practitioner in the relevant field and is appointed by the executive committee. The Chair of the specialist group, the PCPA President and Director are responsible for appointing the group members who will represent UK regions, Northern, Midlands, London, South, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

The PCPA is a not for profit unincorporated association **https://www.gov.uk/unincorporated-associations** As with most other professional associations in this sector we are funded through membership fees and corporate sponsorships.

For information and guidance on working with the industry, visit the ABPI site for their guidance and disclosure policy **http://www.abpi.org.uk/ethics/**

When polled our membership voted overwhelmingly for a low membership fee and regulated industry sponsorship. Please <u>click here</u> for a full list of our sponsors

Please **click here** for our working with the industry policy as well as a list of sponsorship levels and the services provided by PCPA for sponsorship. We are grateful to our industry partners, without their support we would not be able to offer free event attendance to our members.

PCPA sponsorship packages support our symposium and conferences, through the purchase of exhibition space, Delegate places and the sponsorship of satellite workshops. There is guidance and oversight from the PCPA committee on the content of supported workshops. Which are clearly advertised within the conference programmes. A full list of all exhibitors and sponsors is also clearly published on our conference programmes.

PCPA currently has 2890 members (February 2018).

The membership fee is currently £48 for Pharmacists and £39 for Pharmacy Technicians. Please <u>click here</u> full list of membership fees. Some members have taken advantage of promotional offers.

All revenue is spent on membership services, such as our PCPA office support, website, resources, medicines matters, events, and guides. Please <u>click here</u> for a full list of membership services and benefits.

We are extremely grateful to our hard working and dedicated committee members. Who give up so much of their time and energy every day to support the PCPA, it's members and the pharmacy profession. Committee posts are completely voluntary.

The payments made by PCPA to its committee members are for the delivery of workshops and sessions at our events. On occasion we may commission the development of original materials and resources, such as Medicines Matters and these activities are paid a minimal hourly rate. We also pay out of pocket expenses to committee members. Expenses are restricted to standard travel and accommodation only.

If you would like any further clarification please call 0203 590 3943 and our office team will be happy to help.

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