ALSHP Council and Committee Structure and Purpose

Council	Committee	Purpose	Main Functions
Professional Affairs	Resident and New Practitioner	Foster relationships among new practitioners within the state, effectively disseminate the opportunities within ALSHP to new practitioners, and transition new practitioners into full active membership roles	Host the Alabama Residency Conference (ARC) Coordinate new practitioner programming at meetings Maintain a current list of residency program contacts/RPDs
	Student Affairs	Facilitate activities between ALSHP and the student chapters at the Harrison College of Pharmacy (Auburn) and McWhorter School of Pharmacy (Samford)	Host residency showcase and associated student programming Coordinate with the Education Committee and meeting planners to provide student programming at other meetings, e.g., the Summer Meeting, or standalone student programs. Support the SSHP student chapters. Facilitate the awarding of Midyear travel stipends to Clinical Skills Competition winners at each SOP
	Technician Affairs	Facilitate activities between ALSHP and technician members including promoting membership of technicians and facilitating continuing education of technicians.	Outreach to technician members (needs surveys, etc.), assist with planning and coordination of technician-focused programming (webinars, at meetings), efforts to engage more technicians in Society activities
	Pharmacy Leadership Forum	Facilitate networking and the exchange of ideas between the health-system pharmacy leaders of the state	Host monthly PLF web meetings Coordinate with meeting planners to host the Pharmacy Leaders Forum meetings (aka "Directors' Meeting") at the Annual Clinical Meeting and Summer Meeting. Coordinate with meeting planners to host and facilitate the Reverse Exposition at the Summer and Fall meetings
Communicational Affairs	Newsletter and Social Media	Serve as a constant and updated source of information for the membership	Establish and manage ALSHP presence on social media

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			Publish a newsletter for the membership at a relevant frequency
	InPharmative	Assist with the publication of the quarterly ALSHP publication, *InPharmative Quarterly*	Peer-review and selection of articles. Formatting of each edition, including sponsor ads. Submit for upload to website and email blast announcing availability.
Educational Affairs	Educational Program Committee	Organizing and promoting educational and training programs	Plans and organizes educational content for meetings and webinars. Collaborates with other councils or committees when their programming seeks to award continuing education credit. Facilitates adherence to ACPE standards and assists with tasks required to maintain ACPE accreditation.
	Educational Review Committee	Peer-review of educational presentations to ensure quality and validity of content	Review of educational programming for scientific validity, bias, appropriateness to audience, etc.
	Research/Scholarship	Stimulate and encourage the development and promotion of research among the membership of ALSHP	Host poster sessions, research forums at meetings or as standalone events Process applications for Student Travel Awards to Summer Meeting
Organizational Affairs	Membership	Developing and implementing strategies to recruit and retain members	Member needs surveys, outreach to lapsed members, development of recruiting materiel and strategies

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	Networking/Social Events	Facilitate local networking opportunities for the general membership Facilitate networking opportunities for practitioners within specific practice settings	Coordinate with vendor reps to host sponsored programs, e.g., dinner speakers Organize networking events at meetings for "interest groups"
	FALSHP Selection	Facilitate the process of selecting new Fellows of ALSHP	Review and update FALSHP criteria and applications as needed Recruit current Fellows to serve on the review and selection committee Put out call for applications and process them in time for new Fellows to be announced the Annual Clinical Meeting
Legislative Affairs	Legislative Committee	Monitor proposed Federal and State legislation and proposed rules, changes, or additions by the State Board of Pharmacy and communicate to the membership	Maintain a presence at ALBOP meetings to represent ALSHP and report important BOP-related information to the membership Work with Advocacy Task Force to highlight legislative initiatives at federal and state level, promote pharmacy practice and resolve issues that affect the profession
	Advocacy Task Force	Establish and maintain networking channels between ALSHP and relevant entities, e.g., legislative bodies and regulatory departments, and facilitate communication with same on behalf of the interests of health-system pharmacy	Work with Legislative Committee to identify advocacy issues and plan and implement strategies to address same Identify and recruit members in each of Alabama's legislative districts
	Ambulatory Care Task Force	Working group focused on collaborative practice, reimbursement, evolving practice models as well as other topics affecting ambulatory care	Meet to discuss upcoming changes in collaborative practice, provide resources to those entering the collaborative practice process, share experiences

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		pharmacy practice within the changing healthcare landscape in Alabama	with various practice models and how to adapt them to collaborative practice, identify opportunities for reimbursement of clinical services, identify legislative advocacy opportunities related to collaborative practice and reimbursement, and increase engagement of ambulatory care practitioners across the state with ALSHP