Society of Infectious Diseases Pharmacists Educational Grant Program

SIDP is committed to our vision of safe and effective antimicrobials for now and the future. Therefore, we offer the opportunity for individuals or other non-profit organizations to apply for funding to support educational initiatives that align with the mission, vision, and core values of SIDP. Proposed programs are encouraged to be multidisciplinary, provide public education, and/or support novel training mechanisms for healthcare professionals. Involvement of a pharmacist is encouraged in design and/or target audience. Programs that generate educational content that will be made free and publicly available will be scored favorably. This grant is not intended to fund stewardship research projects with an individual hospital or healthcare system. Financial support is limited to $2,500 per individual budget request.

**SIDP Mission/Vision**

Mission: ADVANCE infectious diseases pharmacy through collaboration, research and education and LEAD antimicrobial stewardship to OPTIMIZE the care of patients with infections in every practice setting.

Vision: Safe and effective antimicrobials for now and the future.

**Core Values**

- Challenge, empower, and mentor our members to achieve the highest levels of professional excellence.
- Innovate and collaborate to create solutions that advance responsible use of antimicrobials and improve patient outcomes.
- Embrace and promote a culture of integrity, diversity, equity, inclusion and beneficence.

Examples of previously funded proposals:

- Sponsorship of SIDP member keynote speaker at Alabama Infectious Diseases Society Conference
- Establishment of a regional urinary antibiogram to optimize treatment of urinary tract infections
- Creation of statewide antimicrobial stewardship training modules for high school students (content is modifiable for general use across any state)
- Development of virtual microbiology lab “tour” via a series of educational videos
- Community pharmacy Antibiotic Take Back Day
- Informational Video on Infectious Diseases Pharmacists for Undergraduate and Pharmacy Students

Required grant sections (500 words max) should include the following information:

1. Description of the project or event and how it relates to SIDP’s mission, vision, and core values
2. Description of expected project deliverables
3. Description of expected audience
4. Detailed budget and justification for the requested funds

Deadlines for each cycle can be found on [https://sidp.org/Grants](https://sidp.org/Grants). Requests can be sent to info@sidp.com and will be reviewed by the Board as received.

This mechanism is not intended to support research projects. Please refer to our website [www.sidp.org](http://www.sidp.org) for information on our research award opportunities.

**Who we are:** The Society of Infectious Diseases Pharmacists (SIDP) is a 501c3 professional organization dedicated to the appropriate use of antimicrobials through education and training, research, and policy. SIDP is the premier organization for pharmacists engaged in infectious diseases, with more than 2000 pharmacist and other healthcare professional members. Part of our mission is to develop collaborative relationships with other professional and regulatory organizations involved in education, clinical practice, research, and policy development related to the prevention and management of infectious diseases. We are committed to the embracement of diversity, equity and inclusion in every element of our mission, vision and values including, but not limited to SIDP members, external partners and the patients we serve.