

The Association of Pharmaceutical Student's Japan (APS-Japan)

Annual Report

Report 2011-2012

- Vampire Campaign(Blood donation campaign)-

Vampire Campaign was held to promote the donation of blood by pharmaceutical students and ordinary people and to rescue many people by the donation of blood. About 20 students dressed up like vampire. This campaign makes the number of blood donor three times more than ordinary.

- Home healthcare Seminar

This forum aimed to the students who concern about home medical care. In recent years, with the increasing demand that pharmacist cover home care service with another medical staff, it is expected new role for 6grade system students. So we invited about 20 community pharmacies where engage in homecare and a famous doctor who manages pharmacy. It was very helpful for students to know about home care.

- Team Medical Study Meeting

This study meeting is held twice a year with International Federation of Medical Students' Associations (IFMSA –Japan) It is aimed to make good relationship between medical stuffs in the future. We discussed about medical problem, each function and so on.

- Pharmaceutical Japan Tour

This tour was aimed to make an opportunity to feel Japanese culture and pharmacy for both of Japanese and foreign pharmaceutical students. We had held this tour from 13th to 18th February. Participants from other countries were 24 students. They were from Taiwan, Singapore, Indonesia, The Czech Republic, Tunisia, and Malaysia. Japanese staff and participants were about 60 students. The program included sightseeing and visiting Tokyo University research laboratory, hospital and Kampo museum.

- Patient Counseling Event Marathon

Patient Counseling Event is held to give our junior undergraduates (Year1 ~2) a better understanding of how pharmacists go about counseling their patients.

APS-Japan held in some university continually. It invited working pharmacists to talk on what they did daily after which, a patient counseling role-play was carried out with students given a chance to counsel a pseudo-patient.

- Chinese herbal medicine cooking lesson

As an corroboration event with department of nutrition students, Chinese herbal medicine cooking lesson was held. In Japan, Chinese herbal medicine is attracting attention as good for self-medication. Pharmaceutical students were taught how cook Chinese herbal medicine foods and how effect on health.

- The 13th Annual Congress of APS-Japan

The 13th annual congress was held in 13th-15th March. It gathered about 260 pharmaceutical students (It included about 30 stuffs). We prepared about total 20 workshops, and every night party. We APS-Japan organizers made this congress look as much like IPSF world congress as possible. We wanted to make Japanese students to feel IPSF spirit. It was first time for us to hold congress for three days, but we could make it success.



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