## Resolution

## Submitted by: NYSCHP Faculty Liaison Committee

## Adopted from Alston, Aziz and Sharabun from 2018 House of Delegates

Topic: The Bachelor in Professional Studies (B.P.S.) in Pharmaceutical Studies degree

Whereas, B.P.S. in Pharmaceutical Studies degree offers students appropriate preparation for entry into careers and/or graduate study in areas such as pharmaceutical and cosmetic manufacturing, marketing, insurance, regulatory affairs and sales.

Whereas, B.P.S. in Pharmaceutical Studies degree has wide applicability in pharmaceutical-related fields that do not require licensure as a pharmacist.

Whereas, B.P.S. in Pharmaceutical Studies degree grants pharmacy students completion of credits in liberal arts and sciences.

Whereas, B.P.S. in Pharmaceutical Studies degree grants a student in such a rigorous program the opportunity to obtain a degree if unfortunate events require them to leave the program.

Whereas, B.P.S. in Pharmaceutical Studies degree is incorporated in some but not all of New York State schools of pharmacy.

## Be it resolved that:

The New York State Council of Health-system Pharmacists supports the recommendation to request that all New York State schools of pharmacy offer the opportunity to obtain a Bachelors in Professional Studies Degree to the students enrolled in their professional program with additional areas of study and opportunities in the career of pharmacy.

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