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HOPA Publishes Anti-Harassment Statement, is Committed to Welcoming Environment

Milwaukee, WI (December 15, 2020) The Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Association (HOPA) has published its anti-harassment statement on hoparx.org. The new statement was approved by the HOPA Board of Directors in December 2020, and reads, in full:

HOPA is committed to a welcoming environment for all participants in its events and users of its resources. All participants and users are required to conduct themselves in a professional manner while attending HOPA events and while using HOPA resources. Any participants who engage in inappropriate behavior at HOPA events, either virtual or in-person, or while using HOPA resources may be excluded from current or future events and resources and other discipline may be applied. Complaints about inappropriate behavior may be directed to the HOPA Executive Director and/or the HOPA President. If you feel personally unsafe at a live HOPA event, please contact building security or the local police immediately as well as contacting the HOPA Executive Director and/or HOPA President.

HOPA has made its anti-harassment statement and a complaint process readily available to its 3,800 members nationwide, as well as its customers and event attendees. “The statement punctuates our commitment to a safe and welcoming environment for all,” says David DeRemer, HOPA Board President. “Whether a member or customer, or collaborator, presenter, or sponsor, you are valued.”

About HOPA:

The Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Association (HOPA) supports hematology/oncology pharmacy professionals and promotes the role of the pharmacist in collaborative cancer care. Founded in 2004, HOPA provides crucial education, networking, and advancement opportunities frequently sought by pharmacists, pharmacy interns, residents, fellows, students, technicians, researchers, and administrators who specialize in hematology/oncology pharmacy. Its vision is to ensure that all individuals affected by cancer have a hematology/oncology pharmacist as an integral member of their care team.

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