

PLEDGE MANUAL



KAPPA PSI PHARMACEUTICAL FRATERNITY

Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity

Presented to

Pledge _____

By

_____ Chapter

PROLOGUE

This manual is presented to you, as a pledge of Kappa Psi with the compliments of the Chapter. In it, you will find much information which is pertinent to your pledge training. In addition, you will notice that places have been provided for recording data which will be transmitted to you by your pledge master.

You are urged to familiarize yourself with this manual as well as *The Handbook of Kappa Psi*. These publications constitute the basis of your pledge training.

Best wishes for a rewarding pledgeship. We look forward to greeting you as a Brother in Kappa Psi and the rewards which will be yours.

William A. Fitzpatrick
Executive Secretary

PLEDGE OATH

SIR ! I pledge my solemn oath that I will receive the initiation and obligations of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity unless the Chapter sees fit to revoke it before the time of initiation and in all cases to hold secret to all non-Kappa Psi persons all dealings concerned directly with my pledge and initiation.

Date _____ Pledge _____

PLEDGE OF SECRECY

SIR ! I solemnly pledge that I will never discuss Fraternity matters with any person unless I know that he is a member of Kappa Psi. I further pledge I will never discuss ritualistic, financial or other matters in the presence of non-Kappa Psi persons. I consider this pledge an important fraternity obligation and will observe it at all time.

Date _____ Pledge _____

SIR ! My name is PLEDGE _____

SIR ! My address is _____

SIR ! My nickname is _____

SIR ! My Big Brother is _____

SIR ! My date of birth is _____

SIR ! My place of employment (if any) is _____

SIR ! My class schedule is:

Time: M T W T Fr. Sat.

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STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP

This Statement of Membership is issued by The Central Office of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, Incorporated under authority granted by the Executive Committee of The Grand Council. This Statement is intended to serve as a guide for the Members of the Fraternity, and a information for non-members of the Fraternity to whom it may be of use or interest.

1. Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity receives into membership [except Honorary Members] men who are teachers in, students in or graduates of schools and colleges of pharmacy which meet the requirements of the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education.

2. No person otherwise eligible for membership in Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity may be excluded from membership for reasons of race, creed or religion.

3. Election of members must be by secret ballot in the manner prescribed by the Chapter's By-Laws. The Chapters of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity are permitted to select the method by which its members are to be elected. A Chapter is permitted to elect members by a regular vote of the Chapter's Members, but in no case shall any candidate for membership be elected who has received less than an eighty (80%) per cent affirmative vote of the Chapter's Members. A Chapter may employ the traditional "Black Ball" system, but in no event shall a candidate for membership be elected who has received three (3) or more blackballs.

4. The Fraternity recognizes three types of members: Collegiate Members, Graduate Members and Honorary Members. Members are elected as follows:

a. Collegiate Members may be elected from the undergraduate or graduate student bodies of schools or colleges of pharmacy at which a Collegiate Chapter of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity has been chartered by the Fraternity's Grand Council. A member remains a Collegiate Member as long as he is enrolled in and attending the school or college of pharmacy at which the Collegiate Chapter has been chartered. If a Collegiate Member of one Chapter transfers to another school or college of pharmacy at which a Collegiate Chapter of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity is chartered, he may become a Collegiate Member of that Chapter upon presentation of proper credentials identifying himself as a Member of the Fraternity. Graduate students who were Collegiate Members at a school or college of pharmacy from which he received his undergraduate degree may become Collegiate Members of a Chapter, if one is chartered, at the school or college of pharmacy in which he is enrolled as a graduate student. Graduate students who become Collegiate Members are not liable for payment of the Grand Council Per Capita Fee, but are liable to pay dues to the Collegiate Chapter as the Chapter's By-Laws may require.

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- b. Any graduate of a school or college of pharmacy, which meets the requirements of the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education, may be elected to membership as a Graduate Member by a Collegiate Chapter of the Fraternity, if he was not a member of any other pharmaceutical fraternity as an undergraduate student, or is not a member of another pharmaceutical fraternity, and has not been rejected for membership in Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity at any time.
 - c. Honorary Membership in Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity may be conferred on any person who has distinguished himself in pharmacy, or who has made significant contributions to the profession at the national level.
5. Members of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity are prohibited from becoming other than honorary members in any other pharmaceutical fraternity, except purely honor societies.
 6. Membership in Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity is for life and no member, in any event, may relinquish his membership voluntarily by resignation.
 7. Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity recognizes no inactive status for its Collegiate Members who are enrolled in and attending a school or college of pharmacy at which a Chapter of the Fraternity is chartered.
 8. Any member of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, or any candidate for membership in Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity who has been elected but not yet initiated, may be expelled for conduct unbecoming a member of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity. Such misconduct includes:
 - a. Acts which reflect upon or injure the reputation and the prestige of the Fraternity
 - b. Acts which reflect upon the character and/or professional integrity of the members of the Fraternity
 - c. Acts which constitute a violation of the Vow of Allegiance and Obligations
 - d. Refusal to pay dues
 9. At any time previous to the initiation of a member-elect, objections to his initiation on Constitutional grounds only may be made by a Member-in-good-standing of the Chapter to which the member-elect is pledged. Objection(s) must be presented in writing to the Chapter's Judicial Committee in writing. If such objection(s) is sustained, the election of the member-elect shall be declared null and void by the Chapter's Regent.
 10. A Collegiate Chapter of the Fraternity shall have the authority to punish and/or expel any of its Members. The Grand Council shall have the authority to punish and/or expel any and all members of an inactive Chapter of the Fraternity, Collegiate or Graduate.
 11. No Member of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity may be punished and/or expelled from the Fraternity without the due process of a hearing a trial as set down by The Grand Council in

The Constitution. Any Member punished and/or expelled by a Collegiate or Graduate Chapter of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity may appeal the verdict of the Chapter to the Executive Committee of the Grand Council concurs in the verdict of the Chapter which has punished and/or expelled the Member, to appeal the verdict to The Grand Council of the Fraternity, the court of last resort. The decision of the Grand Council of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity is final in all respects.

The Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, by intent, design and organization, is a professionally oriented social order bringing together for a common cause men in pharmacy of diverse religious, ethic, economic and social backgrounds. The Fraternity has as its stated cause, a fraternal organization for the mutual benefits of its members; advancement of pharmacy, educationally, fraternally and socially; the inculcation of industry, sobriety, fellowship and high ideals among its members; the fostering of scholarship and research in pharmacy; and the advancement of the community through professional service.

As a social order, the Fraternity receives into membership men who are willing to subscribe to the principles and objectives for which the Fraternity was founded and is perpetuated.

As a social order, Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity demands that each member subvert himself to the established social principle, necessary to an orderly society, that the rule of the majority shall decide in all matters, social and professional. Under no circumstances and in no event may the opinions of the minority be subject to cloture except as may be provided in Robert's Rules of Order, which serves as the parliamentary guide for the conduct of all business of the Fraternity. As a social order, however, Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity demands that the minority and its opinions, having had full hearing and the privilege of vote on any and all matters, subvert themselves to the rule of the majority. Furthermore, the Fraternity demands the full cooperation of the minority with the majority to achieve the goals and objectives of the Fraternity.

The Constitution of the Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, The Uniform Constitution for Chapters and the Provinces and their individual By-Laws and Robert's Rules of Order serve as a safeguard to protect the interests of the Fraternity, its subordinate organizations, its members or persons eligible for membership in the Fraternity.

In all events and under all circumstances, the hazing of any person pledged to Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity is prohibited whether such hazing is done formally, or informally, individually or collectively. Any Member responsible for, or who engages in, hazing of pledges is subject to immediate expulsion from the Fraternity as provided in The Constitution. Any Chapter which engages in hazing of persons pledged to the Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity is subject to having its Charter revoked as provided in the Constitution.

12. Hazing includes, but is not limited to, any act or acts which may result in personal injury, which reflects upon the prestige or reputation of the Fraternity, or which reflects upon the character and personal integrity of its members. Specifically, but not limited to, hazing includes:

1. Complete disrobing of any pledge during the initiation of members, or any pledging activities precedent or subsequent to the initiation of new members.
2. Any act of physical force or violence against the pledge at any time.
3. Any threat of physical force or violence against the pledge at any time.
4. Any conduct which may be morally offensive.
5. Any act required of a pledge which may be illegal or immoral, or any acts, although not illegal or immoral in themselves, which may result in a consequential act which is illegal or immoral.
6. Any acts required of a pledge which a reasonable prudent person can presume may result in circumstances, conditions, or conduct which will reflect upon the character or professional integrity of its members.

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Gerald C. Henney, Ph.D.

Executive Secretary

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PLEDGE

1. The pledge must learn the goals and ideals of Kappa Psi and how to fuse them with his own.
2. He must learn to place the good and welfare of the group above his personal desires.
3. He must learn the proper attitude toward scholastic achievement.
4. The pledge must learn to live, work, and socialize with his fellows.
5. During his training period, the pledge must (1) subordinate himself to the Chapter through his Pledge Master, (2) He must learn the assigned material in the allotted time, (3) He must learn group cooperation, (4) He must exhibit an attitude of dignity and respect at all times, (5) He must endeavor to complete all assigned tasks when due.

GENERAL PLEDGE RULES

1. A pledge must wear his Pledge Pin over his heart at all times during pledging.
2. He must carry his Pledge Manual at all times.
3. A pledge will dress with special care during pledging. Except where a laboratory coat is required, he will wear a suit coat, sport coat or other dress in good taste. He will wear a shirt and tie and shoes that are brightly shined. Hair must be well groomed and pledges must be neatly shaven. Personal carelessness and untidy appearance will not be tolerated.
4. All written assignments must be turned in on time and prepared as instructed by the pledgemaster.
5. Signatures will be obtained from active Brothers once a week; signatures of faculty Brothers will be obtained at least once during pledging.
6. Pledges will interview all actives and obtain the active's signature for the interview.
7. Greetings are to be given while standing with book in hand and facing the active.
8. There should be no obscenities in the pledge book.
9. Comments may be placed in the pledge book by active members only.
10. Never pass on what happens in Fraternity meetings or gatherings.
11. Never make damaging remarks toward other fraternities.
12. There is no duty too large or too small that a Kappa Psi pledge cannot endure.

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THE OFFICERS OF KAPPA PSI

The Executive Committee of the Grand Council of Kappa Psi is composed of the following:

Grand Regent _____

First Grand Vice-Regent _____

Second Grand Vice-Regent _____

Third Grand Vice-Regent _____

Grand Historian _____

Grand Ritualist _____

Grand Counselor _____

Executive Secretary _____

Graduate Member-at-Large _____

Chairman of the Advisory Committee _____

Immediate Past Grand Regent _____

Appointed Graduate Member _____

Appointed Graduate Member _____

Appointed Collegiate Member _____

Appointed Collegiate Member _____

Editor of the Mask _____

THE OFFICERS OF KAPPA PSI

The Executive Committee of the Province Assembly is composed of the following:

Satrap _____

Vice-Satrap _____

Secretary-Treasurer _____

Historian _____

Chaplain _____

Supervising Grand Officer _____

_____ Chapter is part of
Province _____

The other Chapters of our Province are:

THE OFFICERS OF KAPPA PSI

The Chapter Officers are:

Regent _____

Vice-Regent _____

Secretary _____

Treasurer _____

Historian _____

Chaplain _____

Sergeant-at-arms _____

Grand Council Deputy _____

THE GREEK ALPHABET

Greek Letter	Name	English Equivalent	Pronunciation
A α	alpha	A	āl'fā
B β	beta	B	bā'ta
Γ γ	gamma	G	gā'mā
Δ δ	delta	D	dēl'tā
E ε	epsilon	E	ēp'-sī-lōn
Z ζ	zeta	Z	zā'tā
H η	eta	E	ā'tā
Θ θ	theta	Th	thā'tā
I ι	iota	I	ī-ō'tā
K κ	kappa	K	kāp'ā
Λ λ	lambda	L	lam'dā
M μ	mu	M	mū
N ν	nu	N	nū
Ξ ξ	xi	X	zi
O ο	omicron	O	ōm'īkrōn
Π π	pi	P	pī
P ρ	rho	R	rō
Σ σ	sigma	S	sīg'mā
T τ	tau	T	tō
Υ υ	upsilon	U	ūp'sī-lōn
Φ φ	phi	Ph	fī
X χ	chi	Ch	kī
Ψ ψ	psi	Ps	sī
Ω ω	omega	O	ō-mē'ga

A fraternity man should have a knowledge of the Greek alphabet and be able to identify and pronounce correctly any Greek character or combination of characters.