

SEMPA Education Committee

The SEMPA Education Committee will make recommendations for and direct the planning and implementation of education meeting(s) as well as education tools and resources, in addition to the marketing of educational offerings. The committee may designate subcommittees to address specific tasks.

1. Research and evaluation
 - Assess long-range planning needs
 - Review needs assessment, evaluations and comments, market research, and other data to determine member educational needs
 - Identify gaps in educational offerings
 - Utilize emergency physicians, groups, advisors to help further determine the emergency medicine knowledge, skills and practice needs for the EMPA
2. For education meeting(s), develop and finalize educational program
 - Review the survey instruments and course evaluation tools
 - Assess reports, surveys and course evaluations and recommend any needed changes
 - Develop course objectives
 - Determine educational topics
 - Develop course schedule
 - Determine the faculty
 - Provide assistance in ensuring faculty submit their materials (syllabus, faculty contracts, disclosure forms, etc.) in a timely manner
 - Choose the site for educational offerings
3. Identify emerging trends in emergency medicine CME and develop recommendations for new products and future direction of existing products
4. Pursue strategic partnerships with publishers and other organizations that will contribute to the continuing medical education goals and objectives
5. Assist in making introductions with corporations and other entities, when possible, that could advance SEMPA's ability to offer members quality educational tools and resources
6. Assist in developing international physician assistant programs as it pertains to emergency medicine.