



## Chi Alpha Epsilon (XAE) Honor Society

The Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society (XAE), originally formed in 1989 at West Chester University of Pennsylvania by Dr. Elbert Saddler, received its recognition as one of the Pharmacy Governing Council's (PGC) umbrella organizations in September 2009. The Gamma Psi Chapter of XAE at the Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy was formed in 2003. Since then, its membership has grown and become more active and involved with the community.

The primary purpose of this honor society is to recognize and acknowledge the academic success of students that are part of the Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) Program. Each spring, students are nominated and honored at a special induction ceremony.



The XAE chapter at the Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy is very active in community service initiatives such as RU4KIDS and Adopt-A-Family during the holiday season. The membership is especially active in promoting awareness through participation in the ADA Diabetes Walk, MS Walk, the Heel to Heal Walk and Walk for Autism. Members also volunteer their time to assist in office sponsored high school outreach programs, peer mentorship opportunities, and provide tutorial services.