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The Secret Sauce of MAHCR

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The History of MAHCR

- Originated in 1975 as BANR-Baltimore Association of Nurse Recruiters
- Goal: To pool resources and share best practices to source and hire nurses in a challenging healthcare environment.
- Committees were formed immediately- educational, task force for strategic planning- membership
- In 1995 BANR and BAHCR merged to become MAHCR
- Goal: "promote and exchange sound and ethical principles of health care recruitment".

What Makes a Great Chapter?

- Sound structure
- Strong, passionate leadership
 - Responsive leadership
- Smooth, reliable operations
- Consistent communication processes
 - Sustaining finances

What do Members Want Most?

- Educational opportunities
- Networking opportunities
- Current, relevant information
 - Mentoring support
- Professional development opportunities
 - Feeling of belonging

How do you engage members?

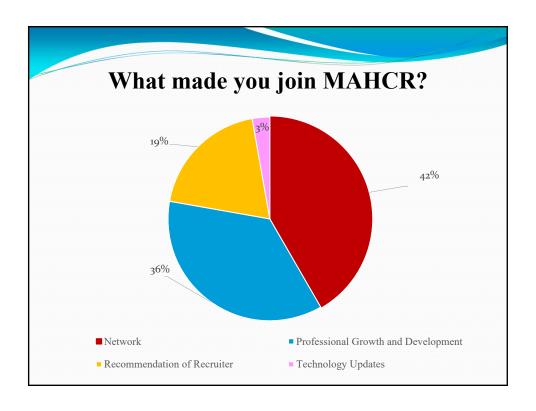
- Welcoming leaders
- Way to participate BIG or small
 - Get to know members
- Long-lasting relationships with fellow members
 - Programs that give back/help others
 - Ask them

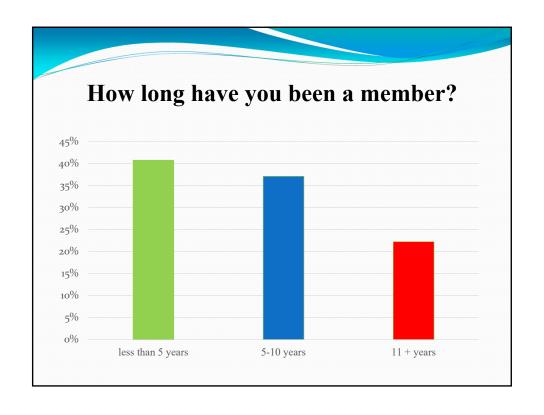
Survey Results

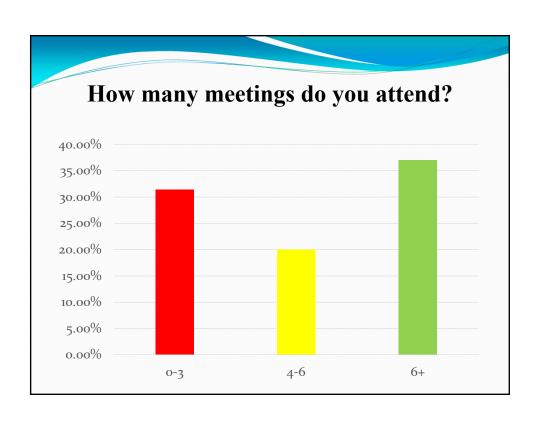
Membership survey was conducted on "The Future of MAHCR"

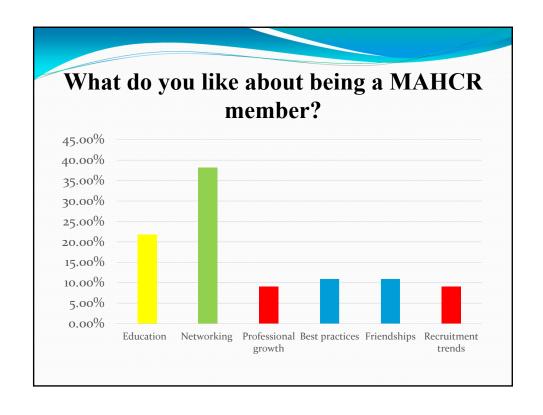
We had 35 respondents to our 10-question survey

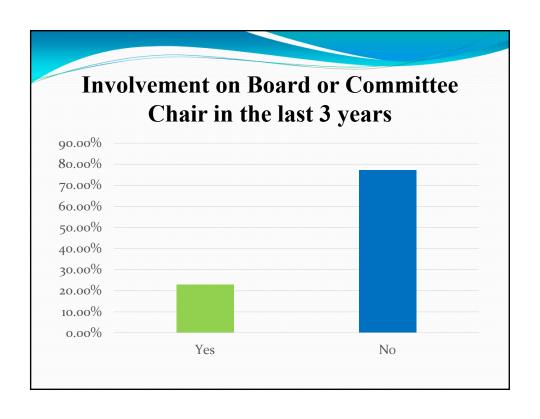
Here are some of items that demonstrate our success:











Chapter Structure

Board Members

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

Committee Chairs

- Member Services
- Regional Conference
- Scholarship
- Career Day
- Student Outreach
- Website Liaison
- Social Media

Membership Structure

• Stand Alone Facilities:

Less than 3 recruiters: \$150.003 or more recruiters: \$300.00

• Facilities with Centralized Recruitment function serving 2 or more facilities: \$500.00

• Institutional member: \$500

MAHCR Today

- Monthly Board Meeting
- Monthly General Membership
 - NAHCR Involvement
 - Educational Offering

- Member Involvement
 - Social Activities
- Support the Community
 - Round Table

MAHCR Today Continued

- CEU's offered
- Raffles at meetings
- NAHCR Scholarship for involvement (\$1,500.00)
- Cindy Fife Award
- National Distinguished
 Member Award
- Chapter Gold Status
 Recognition- Three Times
- Chapter Platinum Status
 Recognition- Two Times



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