



NMDP and SAE

2026-27 CHAPTER CHALLENGE

Compete with other SAE chapters across the realm from 10/1/26 to 5/31/27 to help patients receive their life-saving cell therapy.

3 WAYS TO WIN:

TOTAL Points—Fundraising—Volunteer Hours

New registry registrations X response rate = TOTAL Points

TOTAL POINTS: Earn points by helping others join the NMDP Registry and their response rate after swabbing. Educate all those registering & swabbing that they must respond to the post-registration texts/emails. They must respond “Yes” to be added to the registry and be a potential donor. **EXAMPLE:** If 100 individuals register and swab, and 92% respond to the post-registration text or email, your chapter earns 92 total points.

The chapter with the highest TOTAL POINTS receives a “Minerva” statue and \$1000 SAE Store credit. 2nd Place earns \$800 SAE Store credit; 3rd gets \$600 SAE Store credit; \$400 for 4th place, and \$200 credit for 5th place.

FUNDRAISING: The SAE chapter with the highest average NMDP fundraising total per member wins \$500 SAE Store credit. A team must be set up on NMDP’s fundraising platform at <https://nmdp.org/sae>

VOLUNTEER HOURS: The SAE chapter with the highest average volunteer hours per member wins \$500 SAE Store credit. A volunteer team must be set up in NMDP’s volunteer portal at <https://volunteer.nmdp.org/my-teams>

SAE chapter participation will require a short 30-minute education session (live or virtual) for chapter members to learn about NMDP. **NOTE:** A chapter must register at least 35 new registry members to be eligible.

Ready to start?

Contact us to schedule your team kickoff! Reach out to your local NMDP representative or email college-partners@nmdp.org so we can connect you with your local representative, who will help your chapter plan & organize your event(s). When we help save lives together, we ALL WIN!