As the national association representing primary pharmaceutical distributors, HDA is committed to ensuring its members are heard and understood on Capitol Hill. As the companies who deliver healthcare products to every healthcare setting in the country, distributors are in an extraordinary position to educate lawmakers about the distribution industry, how the supply chain operates and the importance of the safe and efficient delivery of pharmaceutical products to patients across the nation.

The HDA PAC is the political arm of the Alliance. It is a voluntary, non-partisan political contribution fund that is powered exclusively through the generous contributions of HDA staff and member company executives.

**What does the HDA PAC do?**

✔ **Supports** candidates across the country for federal office who understand and share our pro-business, pro-distribution philosophy.

✔ **Educates** members of Congress on issues important to our industry and your company.

✔ **Provides** an easy and effective means for HDA members to take political action.

✔ **Amplifies** the political impact of all of our broader advocacy efforts.

**Who can give?**

HDA and member company employees who have given prior approval may contribute to the PAC.

Prior approval is a formal permission document that allows HDA to communicate with you about PAC activities with no obligation on your part to contribute. It allows us to speak openly and freely about the work the HDA PAC is doing on behalf of our industry. (You may only grant prior approval to one trade association in any given year.)

**How does the HDA PAC work?**

HDA raises money from HDA staff, the HDA Board of Directors, and member company executives each year to support candidates and committees.

The HDA PAC had a great year in 2019, raising nearly $115,000 in contributions. The HDA PAC funds support both Republican and Democratic candidates from all over the country.

While our PAC is supported by 75 percent of HDA's eligible staff and 50 percent of HDA's eligible members, we still have room to grow! We are setting an ambitious goal of 100 percent participation from our eligible HDA Board of Directors in 2020.

**How can I help?**

Voluntary contributions to the HDA PAC are the best way for you to advocate for your business on a national level. Your support for the HDA PAC — and your support for pro-distribution members of Congress — has a lasting impact on the issues that matter to your company, your suppliers, your customers and our industry.

1. **Join** the HDA PAC today.

2. **Increase your contribution** if you are already a member of the HDA PAC.

3. **Champion** the HDA PAC by asking your eligible colleagues to support our efforts.

Visit [www.hda.org/pac](http://www.hda.org/pac) for more information or to contribute.
**HDA PAC 2019 by the Numbers**

### Disbursements by Committee

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### Disbursements by Party Affiliation

- **Republicans:** 28
- **Democrats:** 18

### Disbursements by Chamber (Candidates and Committees)

- **$40,000** to U.S. Senate
- **$64,000** to U.S. House

### Receipts

- **2019 PAC to PAC Contributions:** $15,000
- **2019 HDA Staff Contributions:** $28,000
- **2019 HDA Member Contributions:** $72,000
- **Total Raised in 2019:** $115,000

### Receipts by Category

- **25%** ($100–$999)
- **35%** ($1,000–$2,999)
- **40%** ($3,000–$5,000)

### Receipts Year by Year

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