

BYLAWS AND MEMBERSHIP

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Committee Members

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FY23 Membership

As of 2/9/2023

Dues Tier (# of faculty in dept)	# in each tier
Emeritus	13
<50	32
50-99	30
100-149	23
150-200	21
201-300	12
>300	26
TOTAL:	157 (149 in 2022; 5% increase from last year)



Proposed Bylaws Changes

ARTICLE III

Membership

SECTION 1. Designation, Qualifications and Rights.

Membership is open to Pediatric Department Chairs in the United States ~~or~~, Canada, ~~or Puerto Rico~~ meeting each of the following criteria:

1. Must be Chair of the Department of Pediatrics of a Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) accredited allopathic medical school, OR, *Chair of the Department of Pediatrics of a Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation (COCA) accredited osteopathic medical school,* OR, Chair of a hospital sponsored Department of Pediatrics that is affiliated with an LCME *or COCA* accredited ~~allopathic or~~ medical school and that has an ACGME-approved pediatric residency program. A significant relationship to an LCME *or COCA* accredited Medical School is evidenced by meeting each of the following three criteria:

- a). Appointment as Chair of the Department of Pediatrics must be made by the Medical School, or if made by the Hospital, approved by the Medical School or accompanied by a letter from the Dean stating that the Chair is accountable to the Dean for the educational and scholarly activities of the program and aligned with the mission of AMSPDC.
- b). Performance as Chair must be evaluated by the Dean or a designated official of the Medical School.
- c). Must have a reporting relationship to the Dean of the Medical School regarding educational and scholarly activities.

2. Chair of the Department must have significant administrative authority, as evidenced by responsibility for faculty evaluation, recruitment, appointment and retention, influence over curricular matters.

