



AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION

APPLYING FOR FELLOWSHIP

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION – JUNE 1

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Eligibility criteria:

- General Member for at least five consecutive years
- Certification by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, or the American Osteopathic Association
- Three letters of recommendation from current Fellows, Distinguished Fellows, Life Fellows or Distinguished Life Fellows
- 90-day review period for the district branch to offer comments about the Fellowship candidate
- Approval by the APA Membership Committee
- Approval by the APA Board of Trustees

Applications and letters of recommendation must be submitted by June 1 to:

American Psychiatric Association
Membership Department
1000 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1825
Arlington, VA 22209-3901

To verify whether or not a colleague is a Fellow, Distinguished Fellow, Life Fellow or Distinguished Life Fellow, visit the Online Membership Directory at APA's website. Go to the website, www.psych.org and login to the Members Corner (upper right-hand corner). You will need to enter your membership id number and password in order to register your username (call the Answer Center at 1-888-35-PSYCH if you don't know your membership number). Scroll down to the APA Membership Directory, which you can search by last name, zip code, state, or district branch.

Applications will be sent to the Fellowship candidate's district branch for review. District Branches may submit comments to the APA Membership Committee within a 90-day time period (optional). The APA Membership Committee will review the nominations during their Fall meeting and final approval will be made by the APA Board of Trustees at their December meeting. All Fellowship nominees will be notified of their status in January.

Call 1-888-35-PSYCH if you have any questions.