

# CARDIOLOGY & CARDIAC SURGERY

## SECTION MEMBERSHIP

**This section welcomes the following Member type:**

1. **AAP Member Types:** Fellows, Specialty Fellows, Corresponding Fellows, International members, Dual Fellows, Honorary Fellows, Life Fellows, and Emeritus Fellows who have been sub-board certified in Pediatric Cardiology by the American Board of Pediatrics.

**Note:** Exception to this latter requirement may be considered individually by the Section Executive Committee; if such a candidate is by reason of unusual qualifications considered desirable for membership in the Section on Cardiology, his or her name may be submitted by mail vote to the entire Section in which case a two-thirds Majority of respondents for approval is required.

**Applicants who meet the above criteria must submit:**

- Completed application form and any necessary fees.

2. **Specialty Fellows** who are

- a) boarded by the American Board of Thoracic Surgery, or verified international equivalent,
- b) devote 50% of their practice to the care of infants, children and adolescents
- c) **AND** currently hold a staff level position at a hospital.

**Applicants who meet the above criteria must submit:**

- Completed application form and any necessary fees.

3. **Post-Residency Training members and Candidate members** who have begun Cardiology subspecialty training and are engaged in activities leading to cardiology subspecialty certification.

**Applicants who meet the above criteria must submit:**

- Completed application form and any necessary fees.
- A sponsor statement from their training program director.

4. **Resident** who have an interest in Pediatric Cardiology and/or Pediatric Cardiovascular Surgery

**Applicants who meet the above criteria must submit:**

- Completed application form and any necessary fees.

## SECTION AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP

International candidates who practice pediatric cardiology or cardiovascular surgery will be accepted for Affiliate membership.

**Section applicants who meet the above criteria must submit:**

- Two sponsor letters from members of the Section in good standing.
- A letter from the Chief of Pediatrics, Cardiology, Surgery or equivalent position documenting that 50% of their practice is with children or young adults.
- Completed application form and any necessary fees.

❖ For more information about this section, visit [www.aap.org/sections/cardiology/](http://www.aap.org/sections/cardiology/)

**Dues/year:** Residents - \$10\*, All other member types - \$30\*

\*In addition to national dues