

Supplemental Charter, Bye-Laws and Regulations

APPENDIX ONE

Section VII. Corresponding Fellows, Corresponding Associates and Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates

1. Those and no others who at the foundation date were Corresponding Members of the Association are Corresponding Fellows of the College and upon complying with such requirements as may be prescribed by these Bye-Laws and the Regulations and by the Central Executive Committee, shall be registered as such.
2. Those and no others who at the foundation date were Associate Members of the Association are Corresponding Associates of the College and upon complying with such requirements as may be prescribed by these Bye-Laws and the Regulations and by the Central Executive Committee, shall be registered as such.
3. Those and no others who at the foundation date were ordinary members of the Association and who were not then eligible for Membership of the College are Foundation Affiliates and upon compliance with such requirements as may be prescribed by these Bye-Laws and the Regulations and by the Central Executive Committee, shall be registered as such.
4. (i) There shall be maintained Registers of Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates of the College. Persons registered thereon shall be known (and are in these Bye-Laws referred to) as "Affiliates", "New Associates" and "International Associates" respectively;
(ii) Any two Members of the College may apply to the Education, Training and Standards Committee for a qualified medical practitioner to be registered as an Affiliate or for a non-medically qualified member of a profession closely allied to psychiatry to be registered as New Associate or for a registered medical practitioner working as a psychiatrist outside the United Kingdom and outside Ireland to be registered as an International Associate and the Education, Training and Standards Committee may if it thinks fit approve registrations as such upon such terms respectively as shall from time to time be prescribed by the Regulations.
(iii) An Affiliate, New Associate or International Associate shall on approval by the Education, Training and Standards Committee pay such Registration fee as may be prescribed under the authority of these Bye-Laws and may thereupon be registered as such.
(iv) Not more than ten New Associates shall be registered in any one College year and there shall not be more than one hundred New Associates registered at any time.
5. "Corresponding Fellows of the College", "Corresponding Associates of the College", "Foundation Affiliates", "Affiliates", "New Associates", and "International Associates" of the College shall respectively be known (and in these Bye-Laws referred to) as "Corresponding Fellows", "Corresponding Associates", "Foundation Affiliates", "Affiliates", "New Associates" and "International Associates".
6. Corresponding Fellows, Corresponding Associates, Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates shall not be Members of the College nor, save as by these Bye-Laws prescribed, entitled either to vote as such or to any other of the privileges of Membership of the College, save that, upon such terms, including terms as to payment of subscriptions or otherwise, as may be prescribed by these Bye-Laws and the Regulations and by the Central Executive Committee, they shall be entitled, on registration as such, to receive the Journal, attend General and Scientific Meetings and use the Library and shall continue to be so entitled so long as they comply with all the requirements of these Bye-Laws and the Regulations and of the Central Executive Committee and continue to be registered as such.
7. Corresponding Fellows, Corresponding Associates, Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates registered as such may describe themselves as such but such description shall not be so used as to imply the holding of any qualification of the College.

Section VIII. Fees and subscriptions

1. Members of the College on election and Pre-Membership Psychiatric Trainees, Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates on approval shall pay such registration fee as may from time to time be respectively prescribed for each class thereof by an Annual General Meeting.
2. Fellows, Members, Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, New Associates, International Associates, Pre-Membership Psychiatric Trainees and Corresponding Associates shall pay annually by way of subscription such sum respectively as may for each such class be from time to time prescribed by an Annual General Meeting. Subscriptions in respect of each calendar year shall become payable on the first day of January of that year, provided that if any Members of the College, Affiliates, New Associates, International Associates or Pre-Membership Psychiatric Trainees are first registered as such during the course of a calendar year, their subscription shall in that year become payable on the date of their registration as such and the Regulations may permit the payment of a reduced subscription dependent upon the date of registration.
3. An Annual General Meeting may prescribe reduced rates of subscription for Members of the College, Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, New Associates, Pre-Membership Psychiatric Trainees and Corresponding Associates whose ordinary place of residence is outside the United Kingdom and outside Ireland, or in other cases which it may consider to be appropriate.
4. The Central Executive Committee shall have power to accept reduced rates of subscription or to waive any registration fee or any subscription in respect of particular categories or classes, or, in exceptional circumstances, of individuals.
5. (i) Fellows and Members of the College whose subscriptions are more than twelve months in arrears shall not be entitled to vote or to enjoy any of the privileges of Fellowship and/or Membership respectively of the College. Their privileges shall be restored when, but not before, all arrears have been paid.
(ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (i) of this Section, the Education, Training and Standards Committee may direct that any Fellow and/or Member of the College whose subscription is more than twelve months in arrears be allowed to continue to enjoy the licence to use after their names the respective Registered Trademarks prescribed by these Bye-Laws.
6. Any Foundation Affiliate, Affiliate, New Associate, International Associate, Pre-Membership Psychiatric Trainee or Corresponding Associate whose subscription being more than twelve months in arrears, shall have failed to make payment thereof after a special application to him or her by the Treasurer, shall be reported by the Treasurer to the Central Executive Committee which may thereupon direct that his or her name be removed from the register.

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VII. Affiliates, New Associates and International Associates

C. International Associates

Any two Members of the College may nominate for registration as an International Associate a qualified medical practitioner who is working outside the United Kingdom or Ireland and who has spent five years working full time in psychiatry (or its part-time equivalent). The Education, Training and Standards Committee shall consider all such applications.

VIII. Fees and Subscriptions

1. Members of the College, Foundation Affiliates, Affiliates, Inceptors, Corresponding Associates, New Associates and International Associates elected after 1st July in any calendar year shall for that calendar year pay half the subscription appropriate to their status during that year. The financial year of the College shall be the calendar year.

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