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Do you have an interest in craniofacial pain/TMD and sleep?

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Who We Are

Since 1985, AACP has been North America’s respected resource for education, credentialing, and research for practitioners in the areas of craniofacial Pain/TMD and sleep dysfunction. We provide advanced educational opportunities while still welcoming those just beginning their TMD training. AACP provides a forum for leading practitioners to share ideas, research, and advancements. Annual meetings, seminars, and “mini-residencies” for dentists, as well as training specifically created for TMD support staff, have kept us at the forefront of this growing field of dentistry.

“Leading the TMD and Dental Sleep Community” is more than a slogan. It is our mission. To achieve our goals, we are actively involved with leading organizations around the world, including:

- Research organizations, such as the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the National Institute of Dental & Craniofacial Research (NIDCR).
- Professional and political organizations, including the American Dental Association (ADA), state and local dental associations, licensing boards and the Food & Drug Administration (FDA).
- Ongoing clinical research that elevates professional standards of diagnostic testing, treatment protocols and outcome effectiveness.
As a member of AACP, you will receive unparalleled benefits, including:

- Access to our highly-regarded education programs, leading to credentialing and certification respected by colleagues and reassuring to patients.
- A referral service listing on the AACP website to help prospective patients find a member in their area.
- Subscription to CRANIC: The Journal of Mandibular and Sleep Practice.
- A subscription to TMDiary, the Academy’s monthly online newsletter offering up-to-the-minute news about technology, research and clinical developments along with continuing education news.
- Access to AACP webinars.
- Your own page with your photograph on the AACP website, giving your practice exposure on the Internet.
- A listing in and access to the annual Membership Directory to facilitate professional networking.
- Exclusive access to the “Members Only” section of the AACP Website where you’ll find a members only forum for posting questions and receiving advice, a Current Case Study and Current Clinical Tip, a bibliography of pertinent literature and more.
- Preferred customer status with select AACP vendors serving the TMD community.
- A membership certificate suitable for framing, and a lapel pin, indicating your status as a member.

Requirements for Membership

In order to become a Member, an applicant must possess a dental degree from an accredited university or college and must be licensed by the state in which he/she practices. Advancement to Fellow and Diplomate status is achieved through seminars, lectures, training, and testing. AACP is internationally respected because we maintain impeccable standards. Of course, appropriate licensing is required, and candidates must possess satisfactory ethical standards and abide by the Academy’s Code of Ethics.

Become a part of AACP

Please fill out the information on the next page.

Return the completed form with payment to the AACP. When your application and payment are received, you’ll begin receiving mailing and information immediately about upcoming events. To complete the membership process, the Executive Office will deliver your information to our Membership Chairman and Committee. At that time, you will be asked to submit additional data, which may include a photograph, membership directory information and other credentials.

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