



Ethics Committee
CHARGES
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Purpose: Collect and provide resources about ethics policies and practices. Promote an understanding and application of appropriate behaviors for orthopaedic practice professionals, the practices and departments they represent, their volunteer leaders, and their industry partners and consultants in the context of AAOE’s Standards of Conduct; oversee, manage, and participate in the grievance process.

Charges Committee reviews and recommends revisions to the AAOE Code of Ethics and other ethics-related or conduct-related documents. It monitors the activities of the AAOE, advises the Board and management on ethical issues confronting the AAOE, and adjudicates complaints through the established grievance process.

Time Commitment: The Ethics Committee will meet at minimum once every year to review its purpose, charges, forms, and process, and as needed when grievances are submitted.

Composition: President, President-Elect, Past President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Chief Executive Officer. Members terms match their board terms.

Relationship to Other Committees:

Board of Directors

Suggesting changes to documents and reporting findings and actions for grievances.



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