



## REQUIREMENTS, TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR SASS MEMBERSHIP

### 1. Membership Fees

Yearly membership fees as determined by the Executive Committee are payable before the annual congress in May/June [http://www.saspine.org/03\\_fees.html](http://www.saspine.org/03_fees.html)

Membership fees should be fully paid-up before registering for the Annual Congress

Members whose membership fees are in arrears will not qualify for the members discount when registering for the annual Congress

When any Member shall be in default in the payment of dues for a period of one (1) year from the period for which such dues become payable, his membership may thereupon be terminated by the EXCO

You are liable for all membership fees due until we receive your resignation or termination in writing to [membership@saspine.org](mailto:membership@saspine.org)

New members who are conditionally approved by Exco may qualify for the members discount when registering for the annual congress

### 2. Congress Attendance, Questionnaires & Research Activities

It is a condition of continued membership that Members have to attend at least one (1) annual scientific meeting/congress of the Society every two (2) years and such a member must respond to questionnaires or research queries originating from the office of the South African Spine Society (SASS)

### 3. Resignation of SASS Membership

Any member may resign in writing directed to the Secretary. Please notify us of your resignation in writing

You are liable for all membership fees due until we receive your resignation or termination in writing to [membership@saspine.org](mailto:membership@saspine.org)

### 4. Termination of Membership

Membership shall terminate upon resignation, death, dissolution, non-payment of dues for a period of one (1) year, or for non-attendance at the annual scientific meeting for two (2) consecutive years and/or consistent non-participation in SASS sponsored research activities