

Committee Interest:

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- ☐ Publications/Journal Committee
- ☐ Quality and Safety Committee
- ☐ Residents Committee
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Affiliation: _____

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The ABS Wants You!

Want to get more involved with the ABS? Here's your chance! Our goal to reshape the vision and future of the ABS to best serve the industry continues to guide how we approach every aspect of the organization. We've revamped our volunteer opportunities to better meet your needs. If you're interested in being part of one our committees, please feel free to fill an interest form below and return it to the ABS registration desk.

We look forward to working with you!

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Annual Meeting Committee

Mission:

Help plan and schedule offerings of the Society as it pertains to the Annual Meeting.

Education Committee

Mission:

Oversees all educational offerings of the Society, to include the Society's Schools. The committee also reviews alternative learning mechanisms to include webinars and videos.

International Committee

Mission:

Enhance and facilitate international learning experiences and respond to international needs. Works to address the need of Global Education in brachytherapy, while networking and communicating with other brachytherapy societies around the world, as well as utilizing the IAEA for the dissemination of relevant ABS information.

Membership Committee

Mission:

Works to attract new members to the Society, recognize emerging markets for membership, retain current members on an annual basis and expand membership benefits. On an ongoing basis, review the class and qualifications of membership as well as the level of membership dues per membership category.

Physics Committee

Mission:

Responsible for monitoring and evaluating developments and problems in physics related to the current practice of brachytherapy or future developments in brachytherapy.

Publications/Journal Committee

Mission:

Those individuals involved the production of ABS publication, to include, but not be limited to, the Journal, the Newsletter, and the BrachyBlast.

Quality and Safety Committee

Mission:

Addresses medical event and quality assurance issues for practitioners and monitors related information coming from U.S. Regulatory Agencies.

Residents Committee

Mission:

Provides a conduit to the Board of Directors for ABS Resident Members. Works with the Board of Directors to recognize Resident trends, attract Resident members, advertise ABS educational options to Residents via Social Media and other means, while bringing forth ideas and suggestions from Resident members.

Socioeconomics Committee

Mission:

Advises CMS on the importance of brachytherapy to inform payment policies, conducts joint activities with ASTRO, ACR and AAPM regarding radiation oncology reimbursement and drafts membership awareness on coding changes and payment policy updates. Works to ensure brachytherapy has a strong presence in physician and patient decision making.

Social Media

Mission:

To engage medical community and the public about the American Brachytherapy Society, the Brachytherapy Journal, and key topics/studies in radiation oncology utilizing social media platforms.