



## Apply Today to be a Founding Member!

- **YOUR SOCIETY:** *BY* and *FOR* the Global Congenital Heart Disease (CHD) Interventional Community
- **OUR GOALS:** Education, Quality, Advocacy, and Leadership
- **OUR VISION:** A world where anyone who can benefit from minimally invasive techniques to treat CHD has access to safe, effective care.

Please complete this two-page form on your computer (**this is an editable pdf form**) then save your file. Next, email the form to [membership@CHDinterventions.org](mailto:membership@CHDinterventions.org). You do not need to provide the other necessary documents today (described on next page); our Membership Department will assist you as necessary. Thank you.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Month/Year finished training \_\_\_\_\_ Approximate number of interventional procedures after training (FPICS candidates only) \_\_\_\_\_

### Discounted Founding Member Rates *(12 months dues plus one-time processing fee). See next page for qualifications.*

<b>FELLOW (FPICS)</b> Experienced MD, Scientist, Nurse/Allied Health Professional	<b>MEMBER</b> Physician or Scientist; <i>Training completed</i>	<b>MEMBER</b> Nurse/Allied Health Professional	<b>FELLOW-IN-TRAINING</b> <i>In fellowship program</i>
<input type="radio"/> \$200 plus \$25 admin fee (US/Canada)	<input type="radio"/> \$200 plus \$25 admin fee (US/Canada)	<input type="radio"/> \$75 (US/Canada) <input type="radio"/> \$15 (All other)	<input type="radio"/> \$0 (Now in training) <input type="radio"/> \$0 (Accepted into training)
<input type="radio"/> \$50 plus \$10 admin fee (All other)	<input type="radio"/> \$50 plus \$10 admin fee (All other)		

### Payment *Payment can be made with Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Check.*

Visa    MasterCard    American Express   Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder Name \_\_\_\_\_

Check *(Please make checks payable to **The PICS Society**, and **MAIL TO:** M. Wallig, Attn. PICS Membership, 10151 Avenue N, Chicago, IL 60617 USA)*

Patient advocate, industry or related partner interested in membership?

**Contact [membership@CHDinterventions.org](mailto:membership@CHDinterventions.org)**



**Membership Categories and Required Documents**

**CATEGORY #1: FELLOW (FPICS)**

Becoming a PICS Society Fellow is our profession’s highest mark of distinction. The FPICS designation after your name and the FPICS diploma recognizes those who show deep experience in the field of minimally invasive treatment of congenital heart disease. *Please email three documents to membership@CHDinterventions.org:*

1. This completed two-page application form.
2. Your professional resume.
3. Ask a colleague or supervisor to email us a reference letter on your behalf. The letter should additionally attest that you have performed at least 100 minimally invasive congenital heart procedures (post-training) as 1st operator.

**Note:** *FPICS eligibility requires 1 years’ experience following completion of training. If you have less than 1 years’ experience as 1st operator, apply as a “Member” (Category #2) and we will contact you once you meet the experience milestone.*

**YOUR NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**CATEGORY #2: MEMBER**

Members serve vital roles in the PICS Society, receiving benefits and representing numerous medical & scientific disciplines. See our website for details. *Please email two documents to membership@CHDinterventions.org:*

1. This completed two-page application form.
2. Your professional resume.

**CATEGORY #3: FELLOW-IN-TRAINING (FIT)**

If you are in (or have been accepted into) a CHD interventional fellowship program, your membership will be FREE during training. *Please email three documents to membership@CHDinterventions.org:*

1. This completed two-page application form.
2. Your professional resume.
3. A letter from your training program director confirming the start/end dates of your fellowship.

**The PICS Society has many Volunteer Opportunities. Please tell us a little about yourself:**

**“I am interested in the following areas”**

(CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

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| <input type="radio"/> Adult CHD                     | <input type="radio"/> Fundraising                          | <input type="radio"/> Online Professional Education | <input type="radio"/> Research              |
| <input type="radio"/> Budgeting/Admin               | <input type="radio"/> Global Partnerships                  | <input type="radio"/> Patient Advocacy              | <input type="radio"/> Simulation Technology |
| <input type="radio"/> Clinical Guidelines           | <input type="radio"/> Industry Relations                   | <input type="radio"/> Physician Certification       | <input type="radio"/> Social Media          |
| <input type="radio"/> Early Career Development      | <input type="radio"/> Member Recruitment                   | <input type="radio"/> Public Education              | <input type="radio"/> Lab Accreditation     |
| <input type="radio"/> Educating the Next Generation | <input type="radio"/> Nursing, Allied Health Professionals | <input type="radio"/> Quality Improvement           |   |
| <input type="radio"/> Educational Seminars          |  | <input type="radio"/> Regulations & Reimbursement   |   |

Other Interests (briefly describe): What is the **single most important goal** the PICS Society can accomplish for YOU?

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**Note:** Congenital Cardiology Today (CCT) is the Official News & Information Partner of the PICS Society ([congenitalcardiologytoday.com](http://congenitalcardiologytoday.com)). All PICS Society members receive a complimentary subscription to CCT’s monthly publication. If you do not wish to receive CCT you can unsubscribe at any time.

**OUR MISSION**

Gobally promoting the highest quality of care for children and adults with congenital heart disease (CHD), through minimally invasive cardiovascular techniques. The Society partners with the congenital interventional community to further the knowledge and skills of all involved in the specialty, and to foster research and advocacy on behalf of patients worldwide.