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ICD USA Bylaws - Article IV. Membership

Section 2. RETIRED FELLOWSHIP

- a. Privileges: The Life Retired Fellow shall all the privileges specified in Article IV, Section 8 of these bylaws upon payment of the prescribed annual fee [currently \$50] as established by the Board of Regents, plus state dues (if applicable).
- b. Eligibility: Any Active Member who has been a Fellow in good standing for at least five (5) years and has retired totally from active practice, research, administration, or teaching of dentistry shall be eligible for Life Retired Fellowship dues status if they so petition the Section.

Section 3. LIFE FELLOWSHIP

- a. Privileges: The Life Members shall be granted all of the privileges specified in Article IV, Section 8 of these bylaws upon payment of the prescribed annual fee [currently \$35] as established by the Board of Regents. Life Fellows will only receive publications electronically.
- b. Eligibility: Any Fellow in good standing, who has been an Active dues-paying member a minimum of fifteen (15) years and is at least seventy (70) years of age or has a combination of years of membership and age of eighty-five (85) may so petition the Section for Life Fellowship.

Section 4. LIFE EMERITUS FELLOWSHIP

- a. Privileges: Emeritus members shall be granted all of the privileges specified in Article IV, Section 8 of these bylaws; however, they will have all dues and assessments waived, and will receive all publications electronically.
- b. Eligibility: Any Fellow in good standing may petition the Section for life Emeritus membership if that Fellow has reached the age of eighty-six (86) and paid Active dues for at least 1 year.

Section 6. LIFE DISABLED FELLOWSHIP

- a. Privileges: The Life Disabled Fellow is exempt from the payment of dues assessments and shall be granted all of the privileges specified in Article IV, Section 8 of these bylaws.
- b. Eligibility: A Fellow of the Section who has suffered significant financial hardship because of a permanent or temporary disability may be granted Life Disabled Fellowship by the Board of Regents.
- c. If such Life Disabled Fellow returns to practice, research, administering or teaching of dentistry, the Fellow shall be reclassified to their previous class of membership upon the Fellow's notification to the Registrar of such a change.

Section 8. FELLOWSHIP PRIVILEGES

- a. To fully participate in all activities of the College.
- b. To hold office, and to propose, sponsor, and endorse candidates for Active, Master or Honorary Membership.
- c. To receive the publications of the U.S.A. Section and the College. Life Fellows and Life Emeritus Fellows will receive their correspondence and publications electronically.
- d. All elected officers of the College must be Active, Life Retired, Life, Life Emeritus, Master, or Disabled Members.
- e. Property rights. Members of the College acquire no rights to any of the Section or College property, which is declared to be vested in the corporation.
- f. Use of the name. Fellows are authorized to use the letters F.I.C.D. or M.I.C.D. when such use does not conflict with state law, the attainment of Fellowship status may be indicated in scientific papers, curriculum vitae, letterhead and stationery.