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Call for Member Surveys

Since its inception, CSRS has a history of fostering research & education regarding the diagnosis and treatment of cervical spine injury and disease. The research and educational components of our organization are embodied in many different ways. These currently include our annual cme events, the instructional course, annual meeting and FOSA Specialty Day, as well as our annual research grant and research award programs.

CSRS leadership has determined that surveys are an effective mechanism for obtaining data on topics that are central to our organization and that provide value to our membership. An increasing number of inquiries to circulate surveys have resulted in the formation of a new committee specifically charged with soliciting and reviewing survey requests.

Survey submissions will take place twice a year and will be reviewed by the Member Survey Committee to determine whether the survey is original, of interest to CSRS Members, has a sound study design and is suitable for collecting information that will effect change in our thought process.

Investigators of all distributed surveys are required to submit an abstract to be considered for presentation at the annual meeting.

Important Information . . .

Submissions:

Submissions will be solicited twice per year on December 15 and September 15.

Deadline: Submission deadlines will be January 30 and October 30.

Requirements:

- ✓ Survey Monkey format
- ✓ Blinded (no investigator information)
- ✓ No more than 10 minutes for completion
- ✓ Subsequent abstract submission and/or podium presentation

Application: Submit your request via e-mail to csrs@aaos.org to include:

- ✓ Survey description and what question you wish to answer
- ✓ Survey Title and link
- ✓ Contact information for all investigators

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