

SWPONL Standing Committee Descriptions and 2018 Chairpersons

Bylaws Committee

The Bylaws Committee reviews the bylaws a minimum of once a year and recommends changes as necessary to meet the objectives of SWPONL. The Bylaws Committee chairperson is the Chair-Elect.

Chairperson: Jacqueline Collavo Jacqueline.COLLAVO@AHN.org

Education Committee

The Education Committee reviews and provides input and recommendations to the Board of Directors on issues affecting leadership education as well as recommending, developing, coordinating and credentialing SWPONL education programs. Currently, the budgeted formal education programs include two networking sessions and one annual conference.

Chairperson: Deb Vehec DVehec@itxm.org

Membership Committee

The Membership Committee is responsible for the recruitment and retention of members and for developing marketing strategies to promote SWPONL. It defines the process for application and brings concerns or revisions to the membership process to the Board.

Chairperson: Michele Carlson michele.carlson@chp.edu

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee prepares a slate of candidates for President-Elect, Secretary/Treasurer and Board of Directors for each election. The slate of candidates should provide a choice to the membership, reflect the bylaws, reflect the broad program interest of SWPONL, and represent a broad geographic distribution. It must submit the list of candidates, with their bios, to the secretary-treasurer at least 60 days prior to the annual meeting. The Nominating Committee chairperson is the Past Chair.

Chairperson: Diane Hupp diane.hupp@chp.edu

Practice/Legislation Committee

The Practice/Legislation Committee is responsible for:

- reviewing legislative initiatives and issues that are related to the delivery of patient care
- enhancing communications and grass roots efforts from the members of SWPONL to respond to legislative issues by utilizing the SWPONL website
- monitoring the corporate internal environment and serve as liaison to the regions
- providing input and recommendations to the Board of Directors on the development of SWPONL policy and the organizational legislative priorities.

Chairperson: Michael Simon Michael.simon@ahn.org