

MIDWEST SOCIETY FOR PEDIATRIC RESEARCH, INC.

Nomination for Membership

(Please submit all documents in **triplicate**)

Name _____

Mailing
Address _____

City _____ State/Prov _____ Zip Code _____

Birthdate _____ E-Mail Address _____

Telephone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Academic Affiliation _____

Postdoctoral Training Institutions

Residency _____ Years _____

Fellowship _____ Years _____

Major Research Interest _____

Major Independent Research Publication(s) (include copies) _____

Nominated by _____

Seconded by _____

Nomination packet, including all of the below in **triplicate**

1. This form
2. Current curriculum vitae
3. Nominating letter attesting to the candidate's qualification for membership in MWSPR
4. Seconding letter
5. Reprint(s) or preprint(s) of at least one publication documenting independent scientific productivity

Entire packet must be received by September 1, 2009:

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Instructions and Eligibility Criteria

Nominations for membership in the Society are strongly encouraged. To be eligible, an individual should be pursuing an active, full-time career in academic pediatrics as a faculty member at a teaching institution in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Western Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Manitoba, or Saskatchewan. The nominee must have made a scientific contribution, as documented by first authorship of at least one published paper in a refereed scientific journal. Case reports and review articles are not generally considered to satisfy this requirement. A copy of at least one such publication should be submitted along with two letters of recommendation and current curriculum vitae that includes a bibliography and review of academic activities. The two letters of recommendation are required and may be submitted by active or emeritus members. Council members may not nominate or second the nomination of new members. **If a candidate is a member of the national Society for Pediatric Research and/or American Pediatric Society, a letter from the candidate indicating desire for membership and a current curriculum vitae will be sufficient.** Applicants who have been considered for membership previously but not accepted and who are reapplying must submit a new application for consideration. All documents must be submitted in **triplicate**.

PLEASE NOTE: Form deadline date and destination noted on front.