

Guidelines and Standards Committee

Committee Charge

The mission of the SCA Guidelines and Standards Committee is to be responsible for overseeing the development of standards and guidelines adopted and promoted by the SCA.

The goals of the SCA Guidelines and Standards Committee are to monitor existing SCA standards and guidelines and recommends revision or recession when appropriate to the Board.

Recommend new standards or guidelines as needed.

Recommend to the Board the acceptability of proposed standards, guidelines, and related documents. Guide and monitor the solicitation of member comment on SCA standards and guidelines through email distribution lists (listservs) before they are recommended to the Board.

Hold or delegate the holding of open hearings on standards when this option for gathering member comments is employed.

2024-25 Benchmarks

(Action items for upcoming year)

1. Complete Review of joint ASRA/SCA/STS guideline on pain management
2. Complete call for submissions, application review process, and award funding for 2-4 papers on guidelines and associated items
3. Establishing a conflict of interest form for the committee
4. Educate members of the committee on guideline development methodology/introduce the SCA white paper to all members

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