



Revised AGD Mastership Award Requirements Hours needed in new subject areas

Effective January 1, 2017 any AGD member applying for the AGD Mastership Award (MAGD) must have completed a minimum of 12 hours each in the new Orofacial Pain and Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation and Pharmacology areas.

- The 12 required hours in Orofacial Pain can be earned in any delivery method: lecture, hands-on, self-instruction, teaching or publication.
- The 12 required hours in Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation and Pharmacology areas **MUST** be earned by attending hands-on participation hours.

Members applying for the 2015, 2016 and 2017 Mastership class are not required to meet these new requirements. (*To qualify for the 2017 class members must have met all requirements by December 31, 2016. The new requirements go into effect on January 1, 2017.*)

To find the new codes, reference the [AGD subject code list](#). See the 200 and 340 series. For more information on the full MAGD award reference the [full MAGD requirements](#).

Keep in Mind:

Until December 31, 2016

- Hours submitted using the new Orofacial Pain codes will be applied to the 180: Myofascial Pain/Occlusion requirements.
- Hours using the new Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation, Pharmacology will be applied either to the 010: Basic Science or 130: Electives requirements
 - Hours earned in the new codes 340, 341, 342, 343 and 349 will be applied to the 130: Electives requirements
 - Hours earned in the new code 344 will be applied to the 010: Basic Science requirements.

Effective January 1, 2017:

- Hours using the new Orofacial Pain codes will be applied to the new 200: Orofacial Pain Requirements
- Hours coded using the new Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation, Pharmacology codes will be applied to the new 340: Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation, Pharmacology requirements
- Hours coded as 016: Pharmacotherapeutics will be applied to the new 340: Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation, Pharmacology requirements. (*Prior to Jan. 1, 2017 these hours were applied towards the 010: Basic Science requirements.*)
- Hours coded as 132: Anesthesia and Pain Control, 134: Prescription Medication Management, 163: Conscious Sedation and 164: Oral Sedation will be applied to the new 340: Anesthesia, Pain Management, Sedation, Pharmacology requirements. (*Prior to Jan. 1, 2017 these hours were applied towards the 130: Electives requirements.*)

By December 31, 2017 hours using the “old” codes will be converted to reflect the new codes found in the 200 and 340 series.

Questions regarding the new subject areas can be emailed to www.education@agd.org.