



American
Society for
Adolescent
Psychiatry

BUSINESS MEETING

Wednesday, May 13, 2026, 7:30PM – 8:30 p.m. ET

Abbreviated Minutes

Attendance: 10 members, 7 guests

1. Call to Order, Announcements, and Updates

- The meeting was called to order by Dr. Colon-Rivera at 7:30PM ET
- The minutes of the May 15, 2025 business meeting were reviewed and approved.
- Daetara Davis of PRMS spoke of the benefits PRMS offers ASAP members and invited all participants to consider them.
- Dr. Barclay presented the abbreviated financial report for 2025 which showed positive margin (income over expense) and progress made in developing and expanding non-dues revenue.
- Dr. Sagot presented the Membership Report, highlighting the features of organizational membership and current plans to streamline membership dues and levels as well as expanding benefits to enhance member retention and recruitment.
- Dr. Colon-Rivera presented the Marketing and Recruitment Report in Dr. Shah's absence, emphasizing the need to expand marketing to key niches to make others aware of ASAP and ABAP.

2. Awards and President Report

- Dr. Colon-Rivera congratulated Dr. Cathryn Galanter, recipient of the 2026 Schonfeld Award.
- Dr. Colon-Rivera congratulated Dr. Adam Sagot, recipient of the 2026 Staples Award.
- Dr. Colon-Rivera interviewed the 2026 Lois T. Flaherty Best Resident Award Winner, Zoya Khalil, M.D. regarding her winning paper on Food Addiction.
- Dr. Sagot interviewed James Aboagye, winner of the 2026 Poster Award for his work on stress reduction in African American Teens.
- Dr. Colon-Rivera summarized goals for ASAP for 2026-2027.
- The forum opened to General Discussion. Dr. Shapiro offered suggestions regarding ASAP's growth potential and possibility for approaching sister societies (adolescent medicine, AACAP, college psychiatry) to provide collaborative offerings and membership benefits as well as a review course.
- Volunteers were requested.

4. The meeting adjourned at 8:30PM ET. The [meeting slide deck](#) contains more specific details.

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