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Answers to Questions relevant for reinstatement at the GA in Stockholm, Sweden, September 2026

1. Members list (Position, First Name, Last Name, Country, E-mail) on website (with elected officers and date of elections) form is attached

- have at least 20 members, from different regions
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YES: see members list on the website; elected officers will be specified, the date of election included
Thirty participants from 11 countries, including Southeast Asia, East Asia, North America, Central America, and Europe, are taking part.
New members during the period: Multazam Noor from Jakarta, Nikita van der Vinne from the Netherlands

- have held an election for the Scientific Section Committee and officers
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YES: The board has agreed on a nominee for the position as section chair, official elections will be carried out during GA. A new secretary (Keiichiro Nishida, Japan) has been elected in 2024

- have updated information on the website on activities and publications of the Section and its members
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YES: The board takes care of updated information on the website. We had a Section Meeting held on December 18, 2025. We will upload the activity soon.

2. Action plan (completed for year 2025 and planned for 2026, according to Section's triennium plan)

- have presented a plan of action at the start of the term
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YES: To further energize the group, we have expanded our scope to include the field of neurostimulation, which is closely related to neurophysiology, and we are currently applying to change the name to "Psychiatric Electrophysiology and Neurostimulation". Going forward, we plan to carry out collaborative activities together with researchers working in brain stimulation.

3. Information about organized symposia

Year, congress, symposia

- have organized at least two symposia at WPA meetings in the three-year period between General Assemblies
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YES: Intersectional Symposium in Malta 2022 Section Symposium in Vienna, 2023.
Applied for a SOA Lecture in Mexico 2024
WPA section symposium at the congress of the WFSBP in Berlin 2025

4. Other activities (link or documents)

position statements -

published materials supporting WPA educational programmes -

carried out relevant research work

YES: We are preparing the statement “Clinical Necessity of EEG in Psychiatric Practice” with EEG and Clinical Neuroscience Society. This is very important because recently the importance of EEG has been underestimated, and we feel it is necessary to issue a statement given that differential diagnoses with various conditions, including neurology and epilepsy, tend to be overlooked.