

# ABA Member Center

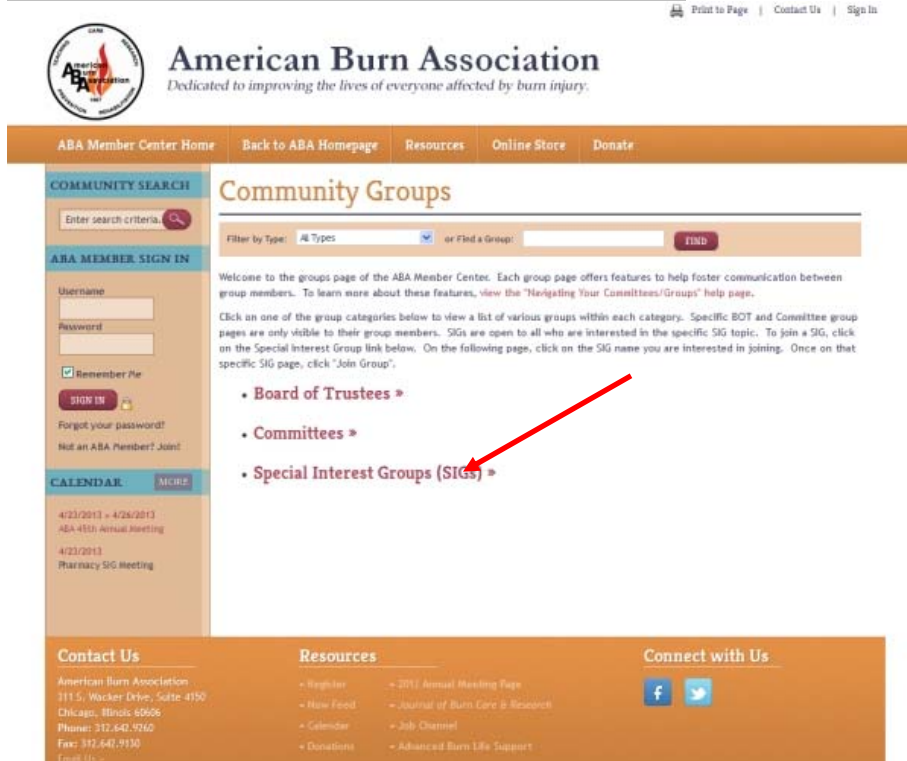
## Viewing SIG Pages and Joining a SIG

**Step 1:** Under Resources menu item, click on “ABA Groups”.



The screenshot shows the American Burn Association Member Center homepage. The navigation bar includes links for 'ABA Member Center Home', 'Back to ABA Homepage', 'Resources', 'Online Store', and 'Donate'. The 'Resources' dropdown menu is open, with a red arrow pointing to the 'ABA Groups' link. Below the navigation bar, there is a 'COMMUNITY SEARCH' section with a search criteria input field. To the right, there is a banner for 'ADVANCED E ABLS LIFE SUPPORT' with the text 'Click Here To Learn More About ABLS Educational Offerings, Including The New ABLS Handbook'. Below the banner, there is a 'Welcome to the New ABA Member Center!' message and a list of links for logging in, editing preferences, and navigating committees.

**Step 2:** Click on “Special Interest Groups (SIGs)” link.



The screenshot shows the American Burn Association Member Center 'Community Groups' page. The navigation bar includes links for 'ABA Member Center Home', 'Back to ABA Homepage', 'Resources', 'Online Store', and 'Donate'. The 'Resources' dropdown menu is open, with a red arrow pointing to the 'ABA Groups' link. Below the navigation bar, there is a 'COMMUNITY SEARCH' section with a search criteria input field. To the right, there is a 'Community Groups' section with a filter by type dropdown set to 'All Types' and a 'FIND' button. Below the filter, there is a list of group categories: 'Board of Trustees >', 'Committees >', and 'Special Interest Groups (SIGs) >'. A red arrow points to the 'Special Interest Groups (SIGs) >' link. Below the list, there is a 'Contact Us' section with the American Burn Association address and phone number, a 'Resources' section with links to the 2013 Annual Meeting Page, Journal of Burn Care & Research, Calendar, Job Channel, Donations, and Advanced Burn Life Support, and a 'Connect with Us' section with Facebook and Twitter social media icons.

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**Step 3:** Click on the name of the SIG you would like to view.

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### COMMUNITY SEARCH

Enter search criteria.

### ABA MEMBER SIGN IN

Username

Password

Remember Me

[SIGN IN](#)

[Forgot your password?](#)

[Not an ABA Member? Join!](#)

### CALENDAR [MORE](#)

4/23/2013 - 4/26/2013  
ABA 45th Annual Meeting

4/23/2013  
Pharmacy SIG Meeting

## Community Groups

Filter by Type: [Special Interest Groups \(SIGs\)](#) or Find a Group:  [FIND](#)

### SIGs

The Special Interest Groups (SIG) hold meetings in conjunction with the Annual Meeting of the ABA. These meetings provide an opportunity for exchange of ideas, networking with colleagues, and information sharing. All ABA meeting participants are encouraged to attend these meetings, which are scheduled at times that do not conflict with the general meeting. These meetings are open to both members and non-members of the ABA. Currently, there are 22 Special Interest Groups.

Following are links to various SIG forms:

[Guidelines for Establishing a New SIG](#)

[SIG Speaker Grant Application](#)

[SIG Chair Responsibilities](#)

[New SIG Request Form](#)

[SIG Program Planning Worksheet](#)

[SIG Chair Timeline](#)

[SIG Attendance Record](#)

[SIG Evaluation Form](#)

[SIG Budget Request Form](#)

[ADVANCED PRACTICE RN/PA](#)

1 Registered Members

[ANESTHESIOLOGY/RESPIRATORY](#)

1 Registered Members

[BIOENGINEERING/BIOPHYSICS](#)

0 Registered Members

[BURN CAMP](#)

0 Registered Members

[BURN CENTER DISASTER PLANNING](#)

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**Step 4:** The resulting page is that SIG's group homepage. Anyone can view the calendar, blog, forums, and photos that the SIG group members have contributed. However, due to privacy concerns, you can only view SIG member's contact information and join a SIG if you are signed in as a member. **After you are logged in as a member, click on the "Join Group" icon to join this SIG.**

The screenshot shows the American Burn Association website. At the top right, there are links for "Print to Page", "Contact Us", and "Sign Out". The main header features the ABA logo and the text "American Burn Association Dedicated to improving the lives of everyone affected by burn injury." Below the header is a navigation bar with links: "ABA Member Center Home", "Back to ABA Homepage", "ABA Member Search", "Resources", "Online Store", and "Donate".

The main content area is titled "Special Interest Groups (SIGs): Advanced Practice RN/PA". Below the title, there is a "Directory & Features" section with a "Join Group" button highlighted by a red arrow. To the right of the "Join Group" button is a "Group Directory" section with links for "Group Directory", "Calendar", "Blogs", "Forums", and "Photo Gallery".

The "GROUP FEED" section contains a post from Thomas C. Rutan RN APNC, UMDNJ - University Hospital, dated Tuesday, March 05, 2013. The "RECENTLY UPDATED PROFILES" section lists Thomas C. Rutan APRN BC, Westchester Medical Center. The "UPCOMING EVENTS" section lists "Advanced Practice, Registered Nurse, Physician Assistant SIG" on Tuesday, April 23, 2013.

**Step 5:** Confirm that you would like to join this SIG.

This screenshot is similar to the one above, but it shows a confirmation dialog box overlaid on the "Join Group" button. The dialog box contains the text "Are you sure you want to join the group?" and two buttons: "OK" and "Cancel". A red arrow points from the "Join Group" button to the dialog box.