

FCA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Name _____
Company Name _____
Street Address _____
City/St/Zip _____
Phone _____ FAX# _____
E-Mail _____
Chiropractic College _____ Date of Graduation _____
Florida DPR Lic. No _____ States Licensed In: _____
Lic. Date _____ Birthdate _____

I agree to abide by the FCA Bylaws and Code of Ethics, and the chiropractic statutes of Florida. I understand that my failure to remit dues will result in suspension of all rights and privileges and will result in the loss of membership.
I understand that dues are payable in full at the beginning of the membership year or in bimonthly installments.

Signature _____ Date _____

MEMBERSHIP DUES STRUCTURE: 11/1/20 - 10/31/21

FCA dues are billed in 6 easy bimonthly installments! A payment of at least 2 bimonthly dues installments is required with your application.

ACTIVE MEMBER PRACTICING IN FLORIDA

	Required w/app.	Yearly
First year from Florida Licensure Date	FREE*	FREE*
Second full fiscal year licensed (bimonthly installment: \$50)	\$100	\$300
Third full fiscal year licensed (bimonthly installment: \$64)	\$128	\$384
Fourth full fiscal year licensed and thereafter (bimonthly installment: \$80)	\$160	\$480

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Associate member* (bi-monthly installment: \$35) <small>*Associate member is a licensed chiropractic physician not practicing in the state of Florida; or a lay person in accord with the principles and objectives of the FCA (exhibitor, supplier, advertiser, chiropractic assistant, etc.)</small>	\$70	\$210
Student membership	FREE*	FREE*

FLORIDA CHIROPRACTIC ASSOCIATION, INC. FISCAL YEAR: NOVEMBER 1, 2020 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2021

Any member failing to pay dues in full by the last day of the fiscal year (October 31) shall be subject to a reinstatement fee of \$25 when he/she reinstates his/her membership. FCA dues are an INVESTMENT. As long as your dues remain current, your beneficiary will receive all the FCA dues you have paid in consecutively, up to a maximum of \$5,000, plus a 10% bonus, in the event of your death.

FCA USE ONLY:

Dues Received _____
Check No. _____
Society _____
Category _____
Application No. _____

PLEASE SEND FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

Florida Chiropractic Association • 30 Remington Road, Suite 1 • Oakland, Florida 34787
(407) 654-3225 • www.fcachiro.org

CHECK OUT ALL THE MEMBER BENEFITS THAT'LL COME YOUR WAY!

TAX-DEDUCTIBLE "RETURN OF DUES" LIFE INSURANCE PROGRAM

Your FCA dues yield much more than the prestige of membership or educational benefits. Each year the FCA accumulates the value of your dues for a life insurance benefit. The actual value of your return of dues benefit equals the accumulated amount invested in your dues paid to date, up to \$5,000. Upon your death, your designated beneficiary will receive all dues you have paid in consecutively plus a 10% bonus, provided your membership was uninterrupted. So FCA membership gives you a tax-deductible form of life insurance!

EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Each year the FCA provides a variety of education programs geared to the needs of the membership. Many qualify for license renewal, while others are purely informational. Programs are also provided for the chiropractic assistant and often fulfill ACRRT (X-ray tech) recertification requirements. FCA seminars are offered to members at reduced rates.

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

The FCA employs a team of eight lobbyists to monitor the legislative climate in Florida and represent your interests. The FCA Government Relations Committee also works hard on chiropractic at the grassroots level and in the Legislature. Significant strides for the profession have been made through the FCA's effective legislative program.

INSURANCE ACTIVITIES

The FCA Insurance Relations Committee takes on important issues within this area, keeps you up-to-date on the latest changes and continually strives to improve relations with the insurance industry.

FCA JOURNAL

This award-winning bimonthly publication reaches the entire membership in Florida as well as chiropractic colleges and state chiropractic associations. Each publication focuses on an issue of importance to all chiropractors. Also included are committee reports, calendars, college news, classified advertising, district reports and practice tips. Circulation exceeds 4,600.

FCA WEB SITE

Access to the Members Only section of the FCA Web Site, for searchable directory, calendar of events, leadership, government relations and legal, committees and councils, insurance and managed care information and an online market where you can order chiropractic publications and other professional items. Your listing in "Find a Doctor" makes it easy for new patients in your area to find you. The FCA web site is on its way to becoming the #1 resource for law and regulation changes and important documents needed for your Florida practice.

FCA MAILINGS

Informational mail-outs are sent to members only, presenting timely and pertinent materials and the latest in membership benefits.

CONVENTIONS & EXPOSITIONS

Each year the FCA offers five getaway weekends with educational seminars for license renewal plus expositions featuring the latest in chiropractic products and services to enhance your practice. FCA's annual fall convention offers the largest chiropractic exposition in the nation.

INFORMATION SOURCE

A knowledgeable, full-time staff is available to answer questions and to provide assistance. Call us at (407) 654-3225.

LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL

FCA offers many opportunities for personal growth and leadership. Many serve the profession by becoming involved in district activities, committee participation or special projects. The FCA is a democratic organization, you can become involved and make a difference in the direction and progress of the Association and the profession.

FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Looked in the FCA Journal classifieds lately? They're growing and so is our readership. Ads for equipment, practice sales and associates, to name a few, will be placed free of charge for members.

LOCAL SOCIETY MEETINGS

These meetings with 18 FCA affiliated local societies offer an excellent forum for specific issues of concern to DCs in varying areas of Florida. They also help to build camaraderie within the profession.

LEGAL ACTION

The FCA's General Counsel continually monitors legal issues of importance to the profession. When necessary, the Association takes action to protect the interests of the practitioner.

SPECIALTY COUNCILS

For members with special clinical interests, there are FCA councils in Physical Fitness and Sports, Orthopedics, Pediatrics, Neurology and Nutrition.

POLITICAL ACTION

Chiro-PAC, FCA's political action committee, solicits contributions from members and supports the election and reelection efforts of Florida legislators who are friends of the profession. Through one of Florida's most effective grassroots network, politically-inclined members are matched as key contacts to each legislator. Chiro-PAC is one of the ten strongest PACs in Florida. Its strength insures chiropractic's continued role as a major player in influencing state legislation affecting the profession.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

FCA sends out regular materials for you to use in your own community public relations programs. These include sample ads, press releases, Governor's proclamations, and many other PR tools which build the image of chiropractic in your local community.

MEMBERSHIP DISCOUNTS

There are a number of Discounts that Members are entitled to, outlined within the Member's Only section. These range from Discounted Attractions Tickets, Hotels and Rental Cars for you and your family to Credit Services and marketing materials for your business. We also know that personal insurance is an issue for many and we now have reduced rate Health, Life, and Auto insurance available for our members, who can get quotes online and request information on a whole range of insurance products

