

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: 11/1/21 - 10/31/22

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, 2021 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2022

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 • PO Box 783397 • Winter Garden, Florida 34778
(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 \$5000. Upon your death, your designated beneficiary will receive all dues you have paid in consecutively, up to \$5000 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. Members receive greatly reduced rates for all FCA programs and many online webinars are offered for free.

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, with many statutory references added to give more authority for you and better access to your services by Floridians.

MEMBERS ONLY PRIVATE INSURANCE EXCHANGE

The FCA brings its members an exclusive program of member benefits - the FCA Private Insurance Exchange. The Exchange has been designed as an online marketplace where FCA members, their staff, and dependents, can compare and purchase products from industry-leading insurance providers. Available for individuals as well as employer groups, the Exchange offers a variety of insurance products: Health, Term Life, Long-Term Disability, Employer Group Exchange, Vision, Lifelock, Dental, Pet Insurance and other products are available. Visit their website or call 800-282-8626.

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 quarterly publication reaches the entire membership in and outside of Florida as well as chiropractic colleges and state chiropractic associations. Each publication focuses on an issue of importance to all chiropractors.

FCA WEB SITE

Access the Members Only section of the FCA Web Site for a searchable directory, calendar of events, leadership, government relations and legal information, committee and council reports, insurance and recordkeeping information and a vast array of free manuals, forms and links that save you big dollars. Your listing in "Find a Doctor" makes it easy for new patients in your area to find you. The FCA web site has become 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 5-6 getaway weekends with educational seminars for license renewal plus expositions featuring the latest in chiropractic products and services to enhance your practice. THE NATIONAL by FCA is the largest chiropractic convention and 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.

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, the FCA collaborates with national councils in Sports, Orthopedics, Pediatrics, Neurology, Nutrition, Chiropractic Internist, Acupuncture and others to offer specialty training and certification CE opportunities at FCA events and through ChiroLearn, based on member demand.

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 strongest PACs in Florida. Its strength insures chiropractic's continued role as a major player in influencing state legislation affecting the profession.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The FCA is a longtime and large annual contributor to the Foundation for Chiropractic Progress, seeking to further public relations for the profession throughout the USA. Because of its strong support of the Foundation, all FCA members are group members of the F4CP and have access to its many materials for you to use in your own community public relations programs. These include sample ads, press releases, proclamations, and many other PR tools with which you can build the image of chiropractic in your local community.

MEMBERSHIP DISCOUNTS AND MEMBER BENEFIT PARTNERSHIPS

FCA in conjunction with Vendor Partners offer approved Membership Benefits discounts for products and services.

