

**Association for Spiritual, Ethical and Religious Values in Counseling**

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*Your way to connect and stay current.*



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## What is ASERVIC?

ASERVIC is an organization of counselors and human development professionals who believe that spiritual, ethical, and religious values are essential to the overall development of the person and are committed to integrating these values into the counseling process.

Through research and practice, ASERVIC empowers and enables the exploration, development, and expression of spiritual, ethical, and religious values relating to the person, society, and counseling professional.

ASERVIC members appreciate diversity and respect the uniqueness of each person's journey of growth, development, and transcendence.

## Who Joins ASERVIC?

ASERVIC members include followers of a variety of religious faiths and beliefs, as well as those whose spiritualities are not connected with traditional world religions.

See ASERVIC on the Web at [www.aservic.org](http://www.aservic.org).

For information on how to contact ASERVIC leaders, please visit our website at [www.aservic.org](http://www.aservic.org). The website will also provide information on additional resources and copies of the ASERVIC newsletter, *Interaction*.

## Benefits of Joining ASERVIC

- National and regional meetings that provide opportunities for interaction and collaboration with people of like interests
- Publications, such as *Counseling and Values*, a journal published three times a year, *Interaction*, a quarterly electronic newsletter, and a variety of books. All members receive electronic access to the journal, including the full digital archive. (*Print copies are available for a fee. See application for details.*)
- Research grants for the study of spiritual, ethical, religious, and other value issues
- Grants for state projects related to the development of state ASERVIC divisions
- A community of people from diverse backgrounds and beliefs who share a profound respect for the spiritual and religious dimensions of the person
- Many locally based state divisions that enable you to get to know others in your area who share similar interests and issues

- Public policy and legislation representation as it relates to advocating for professional issues facing counselors.
- Support through interactions with professionals who share similar activities and interests.
- Leadership opportunities through committee activities or elected positions on the ASERVIC Executive Board.

## Types of Membership — *Joint ASERVIC/ACA*

**Professional:** Individuals who hold a master's degree or higher in counseling or a closely related field from a college or university accredited by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.

**Regular:** Individuals whose interests and activities are consistent with those of ACA, but who are not qualified for professional membership.

**New Professional:** A New Professional is someone who has graduated with a masters or a doctorate within the past 12 months. Status is good for one year.

**Student:** Individuals who are enrolled at least half-time in a college or university program.

**Retired:** Members who are retired from the counseling profession and have been active ACA members for the past 5 consecutive years.

## ASERVIC Membership Only

**Regular (Affiliate):** Individuals whose interests and activities are consistent with those of ASERVIC, but who are not qualified for professional membership. A Regular (Affiliate) member may not vote, nor may the Regular (Affiliate) member serve in a leadership role nor serve on the ASERVIC Board.

**Division Processing Fee:** To join ASERVIC without joining ACA, a processing fee of \$10 will apply.

JOIN NOW

**Online** [counseling.org/membership](http://counseling.org/membership)

**Phone** 703-823-9800 x222  
800-347-6647 x222  
M–F 8:30 am – 5:30 pm, ET

**Mail** Application and payment to:  
American Counseling Association  
Attn: Accounting  
6101 Stevenson Avenue, Suite 600  
Alexandria, VA 22304

# Your Passion. Your Profession. Our Purpose.

## Are You Taking Advantage of All That ACA Has to Offer?

ACA is the leading advocate for you and your career. When you become a member of ACA, you become part of the largest network of counseling professionals in the world. That means direct access to the resources and education you need to stay at the top of your game, unlimited ways to connect with other counseling professionals for guidance and support, and powerful representation on the topics and issues that affect your career.

## Professional Development

### Career Advancement Resources

Take advantage of ACA's Career Central, where you have access to free resume critiques, mock interviews, job listings, search strategies and much more. ACA members also have opportunities to nominate and be recognized with more than 20 members-only awards.

### Continuing Education

ACA makes earning your CE credits easy in our affordable, quality online courses available for you to take at your convenience. Presented by experts in a variety of subject areas, you can learn in webinars, book chapters, journal articles, practice briefs and much more.

*Members Get FREE CE! ACA membership quickly pays for itself, as you earn one FREE CE credit each month (members are notified of opportunities in our email newsletter). That's a \$264 value.*

### ACA Conference & Expo

No other event gives you access to the education and networking you need to learn and grow in your counseling career. Each spring, you can access more than 30 hours of in-person CEs in hundreds of unique sessions created specifically for counseling professionals.

### News, Information & Inspiration

Whether it's the monthly *Counseling Today* magazine, quarterly electronic counseling research journal, *Journal of Counseling & Development* (print copies available for a fee), or the weekly updates in our free *Counseling Insider* and *Member Minute* email newsletters (special focus editions also available), you have access to countless, timely resources at your fingertips.

### ACA Bookstore

Keep up with your professional reading in hundreds of titles all at a special member discount. ACA members enjoy discounts of up to 30% off the list price on books written for counselors by counselors.

## Practice Support

### Professional Liability Insurance

ACA members are offered a full line of professional liability insurance products through the Healthcare Providers Service Organization (HPSO). Benefits include complimentary coverage

for Master's students with ACA student membership, up to a 60% discount for new professionals individually insured through HPSO, a 10% discount for all other individually insured ACA members, an opportunity for an additional 10% off with completion of CEs at the ACA conference, and up to a 15% risk management orientation discount for private practices or incorporated entities.

### Health Insurance Programs

ACA provides assistance with dental, life, disability and long-term care insurance through special plans.

### Ethics Consultations

Get the support you need when you need it. Consultations are available at no cost exclusively to ACA members 5 days a week with a 72-hour inquiry response time.

## Advocacy

From advocating for critical legislation on Capitol Hill to promoting the value of professional counselors and counseling to the public, ACA is leading the charge to ensure that you receive the respect and support you deserve.

## A Community of Your Own

### ACA Connect

This online members-only networking tool allows you the opportunity to find friends and colleagues with similar interests, contribute practical tips and ideas, ask questions and get answers in real time, share powerful education resources, see who is attending events, watch brief instructional videos and so much more.

### Social Media

ACA is highly engaged on Facebook (@American.Counseling.Association), Twitter (@CounselingViews) and Instagram (@AmericanCounselingAssociation). Like and follow us to get news, deadline reminders, information about special promotions, contests, deals and more.

### ACA Divisions & Branches

Take your membership to the next level. Divisions and Branches represent the best opportunity to stay connected with colleagues working in your specific interest and practice areas or gain access to other counselors in your own neighborhood.

## ACA Discounts

Members receive exclusive discounts on auto, home and personal insurance products as well as savings from industry leaders in travel, hotel, credit cards, office products and much more.

**Find out more about all that ACA membership has to offer at [counseling.org/membership](https://www.counseling.org/membership).**

# ASERVIC and ACA Membership Application 2018–2019

## Applicant Information *(Fill out if paying by check or money order)*

If ACA Member, please provide your membership number \_\_\_\_\_  
Full Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Country \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Work Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**ASERVIC/ACA Membership Dues:** *Membership in ACA means that you will abide by ACA's Bylaws and other governing documents and are qualified for the membership category selected. By becoming an ACA member, you are agreeing to be subject to the rules and regulations of the ACA Code of Ethics which can include appropriate sanctions up to suspension or expulsion from ACA and public notice about any such action. The ACA Code of Ethics is available at [counseling.org](http://counseling.org).*

## Membership Desired

**Joining ASERVIC and ACA:** Select your member category below, complete the application and fax or mail it to the American Counseling Association or join online at [counseling.org/membership](http://counseling.org/membership).

**ACA Members:** *Division dues are prorated to coincide with your ACA membership expiration date. To add a Division to your ACA membership, log on to [counseling.org](http://counseling.org) with your username and password and select "Add a Division," or contact an ACA Engagement Specialist at 800-347-6647 x222, M–F 8:30 am – 5:30 pm, ET.*

### Joining ASERVIC and ACA, check one

	ASERVIC	ACA	Total
<input type="checkbox"/> Professional	\$40.00	+	\$185.00 = \$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular	\$40.00	+	\$185.00 = \$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> New Professional*	\$20.00	+	\$102.00 = \$122.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Student*	\$20.00	+	\$102.00 = \$122.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Retired ( <i>see qualification</i> )	\$20.00	+	\$102.00 = \$122.00

### Joining ASERVIC only, check one

*Without joining ACA a \$10 processing fee is applied.*

	ASERVIC	Fee	Total
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular (Affiliate)	\$40.00	+	\$10.00 = \$50.00

\***New Professionals** please indicate date of graduation (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ and institution \_\_\_\_\_.

\***Students** please indicate expected date of graduation (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ and institution \_\_\_\_\_.

*There shall be no discrimination against any individual on the basis of ethnic group, race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, age, and/or disability.*

### Journal print fee *(optional)*

All ASERVIC/ACA members receive electronic access to the *Journal of Counseling & Development (JCD)* and *Counseling and Values*, including the full digital archive. To receive a print copy of these journals, check below and add the annual print fee to the total amount due. All members should update their email address in the space provided above, regardless of how you wish to receive your journal.

<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Journal of Counseling &amp; Development (JCD)</i>	\$35
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Counseling and Values</i>	\$20

## Payment Method

Check or money order, payable to ACA in U.S. funds.

**AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit Card Payments:** To join using a debit/credit card, log on to [counseling.org/membership](http://counseling.org/membership) to pay online, or contact an ACA Engagement Specialist at 800-347-6647 x222, M–F 8:30 am – 5:30 pm, ET, to pay by phone.

**Three-month Payment Plan Option** (*by phone using a Debit/Credit Card Only*) A \$2 processing fee will be charged on both the 2nd & 3rd installments. To sign up for the payment plan, contact an ACA Engagement Specialist at 800-347-6647 x222, M–F 8:30 am – 5:30 pm, ET.

**Mail application to: American Counseling Association**  
Attn: Accounting, 6101 Stevenson Avenue, Suite 600  
Alexandria, VA 22304

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