



2012 Provider Membership Application

Your membership with the North Carolina Assisted Living Association (NCALA) and support of the assisted living industry is very much appreciated. One of our association's goals is to educate consumers, regulators, legislators, and the public about assisted living. For your consideration, the following is a list of specific benefits and services available to you through your NCALA membership.

NCALA 2012 Member benefits include:

- **Web Site**—NCALA members are featured on the NCALA Web site (www.ncala.org), which receives more than 10,000 visitors per month! Other features of our Web site include:
- **Online Membership Directory:** A listing of all members on the NCALA Web site;
- **NCALA News/Communication:** Updates, newsletters, plus ongoing articles of interest and of relevant issues specific to North Carolina on our Web site; regional and statewide meeting and training notices; and legislative updates and contacts.
- **The NCALA Advisor** (our newsletter): an e-mail and online newsletter discussing issues specific to North Carolina's assisted living professionals;
- **NCALA Legislative and Regulatory News Updates:** on our Web site, and also via e-mail;
- **Training Courses/Regional Meetings:** provided through our statewide conferences and regional training events. These are approved through NC DHHS, Division of Health Service Regulation (DHSR), for required continuing education units (CEUs);
- **Administrator Certification:** training program offered five times every year;
- **Reduced Member Rates** on all training events and materials; including our annual Fall Conference;
- **Consumer Referrals:** referrals to family members seeking an assisted living community and/or seeking industry vendors;
- **Legislative Monitoring and Involvement:** Evelyn Hawthorne, Governmental Relations Consultant, serves as our Legislative Consultant, educating legislators about industry-specific issues, lobbying for adequate reimbursement rates, and addressing specific state issues as they relate to the assisted living industry;
- **Operational and Licensure Technical Assistance:** available through the NCALA office; and
- **Member Involvement:** opportunities for involvement on committees and other leadership positions at the national and state level.

Please see reverse for fee schedule and application.

NORTH CAROLINA ASSISTED LIVING ASSOCIATION



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Provider Membership is available to:

Companies that own, manage, or operate an assisted living community or similar residence.

Number of Licensed Assisted Living Beds: _____ x \$17.50 = \$ _____ (\$150 minimum)

NCALA Provider dues are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes, but a portion of your dues may be deductible as a business expense. NCALA estimates that 15% of your dues are not deductible as a business expense because of NCALA's legislative activities on behalf of its members.

County _____ **Provider Member licensed bed count** _____

Member Company or Community Name _____

Contact Person/Title _____

Mailing Address _____

Street Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____ - _____

Telephone _____ **ext.** _____ **Fax:** _____

E-mail Address _____

Parent Company Name _____

Contact Person/Title _____

Mailing Address _____

Street Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____ - _____

Telephone _____ **ext.** _____ **Fax:** _____

E-mail Address _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Please forward your check, payable to "NCALA," to:
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If you have any questions or comments, we would love to hear from you. Please contact NCALA:

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