

**PAYMENT METHOD**

- 1. **Annually** – in a single, **annual** payment by check or credit card
- 2. **Monthly** - by credit card draft or through the Electronic Dues Payment Plan (EDPP) where dues are automatically paid from your checking account. See “**Select Payment Method**” below for details.

EVERY NURSE COUNTS! JOIN TODAY.

Complete the Application for Membership and mail with check, or fax (512.452-0648) with credit card information. If choosing the EDPP, please complete the authorization form below. Secure, online membership payment with credit card is also available at [www.texasnurses.org](http://www.texasnurses.org).

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**  
**- TNA Tri-Level and TNA Direct -**

Fill out the requested information and mail with payment to: Texas Nurses Association, 7600 Burnet Road, Suite 440, Austin TX 78757-1292 or FAX with credit card information. FAX: 512.452.0648 • Phone: 800.862.2022 or 512.452.0645

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI	
BASIC NURSING EDUCATION	DEGREES /CREDENTIALS BY INITIAL		BIRTH DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
SCHOOL NAME	GRADUATION DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)		HOME PHONE
HOME ADDRESS			HOME FAX
CITY	STATE	ZIP	WORK PHONE
RN LICENSE NUMBER	STATE ISSUED	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	WORK FAX
EMPLOYER'S NAME	YOUR EMAIL		
EMPLOYER'S ADDRESS	STATE	ZIP	

HOW DID YOU LEARN OF TEXAS NURSES ASSOCIATION?  CONFERENCE / WORKSHOP  WEB SITE  EMPLOYER  MAIL  OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

FRIEND/GO-WORKER (NAME) \_\_\_\_\_

SELECT ONE MEMBERSHIP OPTION BELOW

- TNA DIRECT**
- TEXAS NURSES ASSOCIATION**  
 Indicate below your type of membership. Type of membership and TNA District determine your annual TNA dues rate. (Rates are provided in the Membership Dues Rates table.)  
*Check one circle below and a dash if applicable.*
- M** – Full Membership – 100% annual dues rate – for RNs employed more than an average of 20 hours a week.
  - R** – Reduced Dues Membership – 50% of full annual dues (please indicate below which Reduced membership applies to you).
    - \_\_\_ unemployed RNs or those employed less than 20 hours a week
    - \_\_\_ licensed RNs who are full-time students
    - \_\_\_ new graduates from basic RN programs joining within six months of graduation
    - \_\_\_ 62-years-of-age or older who are working and receiving Social Security
  - S** – Special Membership – 25% of full annual dues (please indicate below which Special membership applies to you).
    - \_\_\_ 62-years-of-age or older and not employed
    - \_\_\_ 100% disabled

SELECT A PAYMENT METHOD FOR TEXAS NURSES ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

- Indicate below your preferred method of payment
- Single Annual Payment by check  
(please enclose with application, payable to Texas Nurses Association)
  - Single Annual Payment by credit card (complete Required Information for Payment by Credit Card)
  - Monthly Credit Card Draft (complete Required Information for Payment by Credit Card)
  - Monthly Electronic Dues Payment Plan (EDPP). Each month your dues are automatically paid from your checking account; a small service fee is included in the monthly withdrawal. Authorization for EDPP is required. Please sign and date the applicable EDPP Authorization statement to the right for the Membership Option you select, and return with this application your check in the amount of the first payment.

REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD

Charge to my:   This Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card No.     -     -     -

Exp. Date

Credit card billing address if different from participant's mailing address:

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

EDPP AUTHORIZATION

To provide monthly electronic payments to American Nurses Association (ANA): (1) This is to authorize ANA to withdraw 1/12 of my annual dues and any additional service fee from my checking account each month on or after the 15th day of each month; (2) which is designated by the enclosed check for the first month's payment; (3) ANA is authorized to change the amount by giving the undersigned thirty (30) days written notice; (4) the undersigned may cancel this authorization upon receipt by ANA of written notification of termination twenty (20) days prior to deduction date as designated above.

ANA will charge a \$5.00 fee for any returned drafts.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Note: If you are applying for either TNA Tri-Level or TNA Direct membership, \$9.00 of your membership dues is for a subscription to TEXAS NURSING. If you are applying for TNA Tri-Level membership, an additional \$5.42 is for a subscription to The American Nurse. Association dues are not deductible as a charitable contribution for tax purposes, but may be deductible as a business expense. However, the percentage of dues used for lobbying is not deductible as a business expense. The non-deductible percentage of dues for either TNA Tri-Level members or TNA Direct members is 23%.

**To be completed by TNA**    Date: / /    State:    District:    Expiration Date: / /    Amount Enclosed \$    Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_

# selecting YOUR MEMBERSHIP



When joining Texas Nurses Association, you can choose from two membership options:

- **TNA Tri-Level Membership** that includes a state membership in Texas Nurses Association (TNA), national membership in American Nurses Association (ANA), and a more local District membership.
- **TNA Direct Membership** that is state wide Texas only.

## TNA TRI-LEVEL MEMBERSHIP

Tri-Level Membership in ANA/TNA/District gives you the opportunity to influence nursing at every level – national, state and local. TNA Tri-Level members receive full voting privileges; opportunities to grow and connect beyond the workplace through service on committees, task forces and coalitions; unique pathways to professional development; a network of like-minded colleagues, and member discounts on a variety of conferences/workshops, publications and resources, goods and services, as well as ANCC certification.

Dues in TNA Tri-Level Membership are determined by your *TNA District*, the *Type* of membership that best describes you (i.e., fully employed, full-time student, retired, etc.), and preferred *method of dues payment*. See steps for Tri-Level Membership.

## TNA DIRECT MEMBERSHIP

For many registered nurses, influencing nursing in Texas where they practice is their main interest. That's why TNA offers the TNA Direct Membership. Pertinent to everyday practice in Texas, TNA Direct is a great membership choice for RNs who are interested in influencing nursing practice but have limited time or resources for full involvement.

A \$99 annual dues rate (or monthly payments of \$8.75 through the Electronic Dues Payment Plan) makes this Texas only involvement the perfect connection to professional nursing in Texas, and still provides many of the same personal benefits of Tri-Level ANA/TNA/District membership.

## MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY

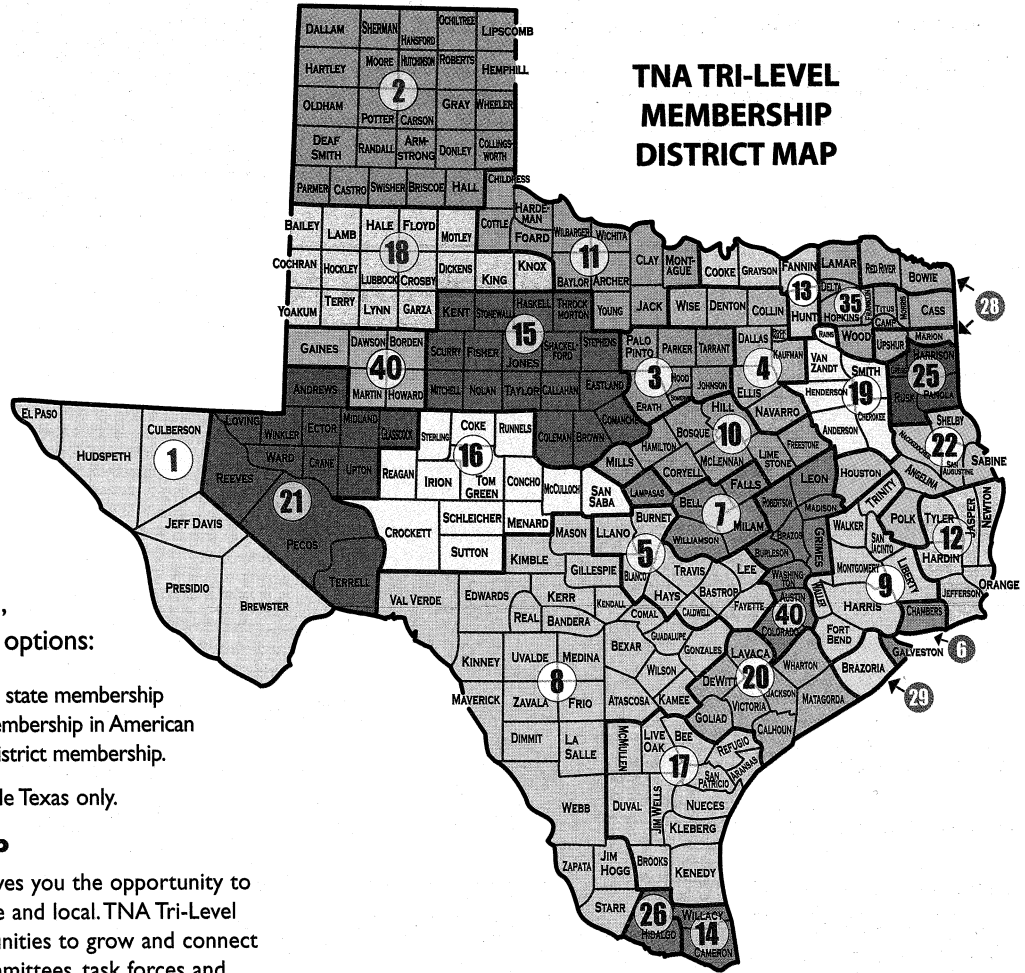
To be eligible for Tri-Level or TNA Direct membership, you must have been granted a license to practice as a registered nurse in a state, territory, possession or District of Columbia of the United States, and not have your license under suspension or revocation at any time.

## STEPS FOR TRI-LEVEL MEMBERSHIP

1. **Find your TNA DISTRICT.** Within the Texas map, locate your county of residence OR county of employment. The large circled number within the indicated boundary is your TNA District.



## TNA TRI-LEVEL MEMBERSHIP DISTRICT MAP



## MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR TEXAS NURSES ASSOCIATION

TRI-LEVEL	M-Full Dues		R-Reduced Dues		S-Special Dues	
	Single Paym't	Monthly Auto-draft	Single Paym't	Monthly Auto-draft	Single Paym't	Monthly Auto-draft
↓ Find Your District						
13,14,15,16,40	\$289.00	\$24.59	\$144.50	\$12.54	\$72.25	\$6.52
2,6,10,17,18,19,21,22,25,26,28,29,35	\$294.00	\$25.00	\$147.00	\$12.75	\$73.50	\$6.63
11,12	\$299.00	\$25.41	\$149.50	\$12.96	\$74.75	\$6.73
1,5,7,20,50	\$304.00	\$25.84	\$152.00	\$13.16	\$76.00	\$6.84
3,8	\$309.00	\$26.25	\$154.50	\$13.37	\$77.25	\$6.94
9	\$319.00	\$27.09	\$159.50	\$13.79	\$79.75	\$7.15
4	\$334.00	\$28.34	\$167.00	\$14.41	\$83.50	\$7.46
<b>TNA DIRECT</b> ALL OF TEXAS	\$99.00	\$8.75				

### 2. Select your TYPE of Tri-Level Membership.

- **M-Full** membership – for RNs employed more than an average of 20 hours a week.
- **R-Reduced Dues** membership (50% of annual dues) – for RNs who are unemployed or working less than 20 hours a week, licensed RNs who are full-time students, new graduates from basic nursing education programs joining within 6 months of graduation, and RNs 62 years-of-age who are working and receiving Social Security.
- **S-Special** membership (25% of annual dues) – for RNs over 62 years-of-age and not employed, or 100% disabled.