









NASW-CA Member Benefits

make the most of your investment in your membership

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NASW-CA Members have unique access to benefits on the national and state levels! Contact us at membership@naswca.org for help with any of the following.

Career Search

- Resume Review
- Career Coaching & Interview Tips
- Job Listings in California (job board to be announced soon!). In the meantime, follow our <u>LinkedIn page</u> to stay in the loop.

Professional Development

- 1. Licensure Guidance and Consultation
- 2. NASW-CA Members are eligible for free or discounted or free continuing education:
 - Pre-licensure courses
 - Ongoing Continuing Education courses
 - ► License Exam Preparation courses:
 - A. Attend our live NASW-CA Exam Prep course for only \$150 with included access to key exam content areas, six-month access to full Exam Guides, discussion board, study games, flashcards, a pretest, sample questions and comprehensive study guidebook
 - ▶ **B.** Access <u>ATAABS</u> virtual course and resources for an exclusive discounted price
 - C. Access <u>Therapist Development Center's</u> virtual course and resources for an exclusive discounted price
 - NASW-CA recommends members choose the course pathway that makes sense for them and does not recommend any particular course over the other. We are committed to offering a menu of options to ensure flexibilities for our members.
- Access free and/or discounted trainings on advocacy, political social work, policies, and social work research through NASW-CA and through the chapter's partnerships with other organizations.
- 4. Access discounted and/or free trainings on **NASW's national platform**.

Peer Support & Networking

- Free virtual peer support group monthly meetings. We meet every 2nd Monday of each month.
- Free Black, Indigenous, and other People of Color (BIPOC) social work support group
- ▶ Free networking mixers by region
- LGBTQ+ social work networking mixers
- Free self-care sessions tailored for social work professionals

Member Benefits:

Case and Ethics Consultations

NASW National Association of Social Workers CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

NASW-CA offers free case and ethics consultations for members Monday – Friday from 9am to 5pm. You can contact us via email at membership@naswca.org

or by phone at 916-442-4565

Leadership Opportunities

- Directly influence NASW-CA's legislative agenda by serving on the legislative or CalPACE committees. Learn about our recent advocacy work here.
- Run for office and serve on the Chapter Board of Directors.
- NASW-CA has several program Committees you can apply to join! <u>Click here</u> to learn more about our different committees and how to apply.
- Become active with NASW-CA's many special interest councils across the state: Some of our councils include Native American Social Work Council, LGBTQ+ Council, Social Work Occupational Council, Technology Council. <u>Click here to see all of</u> <u>our councils</u>.

Marketing and Communications

NASW-CA is proud to offer for free to its members a far-reaching communications platform to share your work. Our newsletter reaches over 25,000 social workers, partners and stakeholders.

As of June 2021, our followers on social media are as follows: Instagram: >6K, Twitter: >1K, Facebook: >7K, LinkedIn: >4K, with a total of nearly 20K total across all platforms. Our members are the faces of our digital footprint!

- Post job listings for free, or a discounted rate for dedicated announcements
- Publicize your business, office space, and/or services for free or at a discount
- > Publish an op-ed in our opinions section
- Publish your academic papers/articles
- Apply to be a statewide trainer! <u>Contact</u> <u>our Director of Capacity Building</u>.

Email Paul, Marketing & Communications Coordinator, at **pvallejo.naswca@socialworkers.org** for help with any of these requests!

Community Presentations

Did you know? Anyone can request a free presentation (<u>use this request form</u>) from NASW-CA staff to talk about:

- About the NASW-CA Chapter
- Social Policy & Advocacy
- The Social Work profession for students or professionals
- > The Licensure Process

<u>Visit here</u> to learn more about national level member benefits! Job & discussion boards, practice resources, peer support, networking, and much much more!

Keep your NASW member account current. If you move, return home, use a new email address, or change your practice area, let us know so we can provide social work resources important to you.

Is there something missing? Have an idea for additional benefits? Let us know! Email membership@naswca.org