



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Texas Association for Healthcare Quality, Inc.

Membership Renewal New Application

Membership Category *See Page 2 of Application for Categories

Membership

Price Varies on Membership Category

This membership is available to individuals who are involved in the healthcare quality field or have an interest in healthcare improvement. Members may vote, serve on teams, and hold office. Benefits of membership include subscription to the quarterly newsletter; access to the member's only section of the website, free monthly webinars, mentorship program, reduced registration for TAHQ sponsored educational conferences and eligibility for educational grants.

*Due to the nature of a membership fee, dues are non-refundable. We encourage all to take advantage of the great benefits of membership.

Name: Credentials:

Work Title:

Employer:

Work Mailing Address:

City State Zip County:

Indicate mailing preference. USE WORK ADDRESS USE HOME ADDRESS

Home Mailing Address:

City State Zip:

Work Phone () - EXT

Fax# () -

Home Phone (optional) () -

Unless requested, home phone will not be published.

E-mail:

I am interested in serving TAHQ in the following areas:

- TAHQ Board President Elect Secretary/Treasurer Local Area Chair Membership Chair Nominating Chair Communication Chair Education Chair Member At Large Mentorship Chair

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Bylaws Membership Awards Newsletter Nominations Legislative Committee Education Finance Mentor/Mentee

If you would like to include a tax-deductible donation to the TAHQ Educational Grant Fund, please indicate the amount here. Include that amount with your payment. You will receive a receipt for tax purposes.

AMOUNT TO DONATE: \$

NAHQ INQUIRY

Are you a member of NAHQ? YES NO

LOCAL ASSOCIATION INQUIRY

Are you a member of a local TAHQ chapter? YES NO

Please indicate the type of setting in which you practice: (Check one only as the primary setting)

- General, acute Ambulatory Managed care Long term, rehab Behavioral health QIO/Regulatory Home health Multi-system Consultant/service Hospice Federal, acute Critical Access Other:

Please indicate your practice responsibilities: (Indicate only one with a P for "primary responsibility" but check all that apply)

- Organization QA/QI Utilization management Medical Staff QA/QI Administrative Nursing QA/QI Case management Risk management Consultant Information mgmt Analysis/research Other

Who can we thank for referring you to TAHQ? (Name/Address)

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: DATE:

IF PAYING BY VISA, MASTERCARD, OR DISCOVER, MAIL APPLICATION TO ADDRESS LISTED BELOW WITH CREDIT CARD INFORMATION, SCAN TO INFO@TXQUALITY.ORG.

Amount: \$ Circle One: Visa MasterCard Discover

Card Number: Card Expires: /

Print card holder's name as it appears on the card:

Signature:

IF PAYING BY CHECK, MAIL APPLICATION AND CHECK TO: TAHQ, 251 W. Lancaster Ave., PO Box 1041, Ft. Worth, TX 76102

Phone: (877) 756-4400 Scan to: info@txquality.org

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Of course, to enjoy the great benefits described above, you must be a member! The TAHQ is pleased to offer the following membership categories:

Individual Membership - \$85

For individuals involved in the field of healthcare quality. Members may vote, serve on teams, and hold any association office. Benefits of individual membership include access to members only section of website, monthly e-newsletter, member directory, free CEU opportunities, and reduced registration for TAHQ (state) educational conferences.

Organizational Membership - \$250

For healthcare organizations providing direct patient services. Organization must be located at a single address or join for each physical location. Two designated contacts will be provided full individual membership benefits and be listed in the membership directory. Designated organizational members may vote, participate on teams and hold office. ALL organizational employees who register will receive the e-newsletter, have access to free CEUs and the Member Directory and receive reduced registration rates for TAHQ educational conferences. The organization will be listed in the Member Directory, have right of first refusal for sponsorship of TAHQ events, and will receive reduced advertising rates for TAHQ website.

Academic Membership - \$150

Covers full individual membership for up to four faculty members and listing of four members and educational organization in Member Directory.

Student Membership - \$40

Must be a full time student enrolled in a health occupation profession major or be a health professional seeking a higher degree full time. Membership includes full individual member benefits but the individual cannot hold office or vote. Proof of student status must accompany application.

Dual Membership - Variable

This category incentivizes a quality professional to join and be an active member of both a local and the state association. Texas Association for Healthcare Quality will reduce the normal annual Texas dues by up to \$20.00 per year, as offset by up to \$20.00 in annual local association fees. All persons applying for this membership category must maintain simultaneous active membership in their Affiliated Local Association and the Texas Association for Healthcare Quality. Prior to approving dual membership, the Local Association membership must be verified and for a period not less than ten (10) months of the coinciding Texas Association for Healthcare Quality membership.