

Supporting The Counselor

ORCA is dedicated to the growth and development of counselors in Oregon. Members actively utilize ORCA's services and resources to enhance and expand their professional effectiveness.

Benefits of an ORCA membership include:

- "The Counselor" - our newsletter dedicated to timely topics and resources for Oregon's professional counselors.
- Professional Liability Insurance - available to ORCA members through the ACA trust.
- Job Openings - posted monthly
- Leadership Opportunities - Expand your skills while broadening your resource bases through leadership responsibilities in ORCA.
- Professional consultation on issues related to your discipline.

Supporting The Counseling Community

As counselors, our effectiveness increases dramatically when we have the support of our legislators, insurance groups and communities in which we serve.

- ORCA is an active advocate for the Oregon Counselor at the state and local levels.
- ORCA is actively involved in the dissemination of national public policy information affecting professional counselors.
- As a united forum, ORCA has the strength and credibility to effectively address public policy issues.
- Our strength in numbers not only presents a very powerful voice, but also offers our communities and the media a very rich source of information, direction and education.

ORCA members can be found throughout communities, upholding the ACA ethical standards and promoting the good work of our profession.

OREGON COUNSELING ASSOCIATION

The Oregon Counseling Association (ORCA) is affiliated with over 50,000 professional counselors across the US. ORCA has been serving Oregon counselors for more than 60 Years. ORCA's divisions have been formed to provide members with focused information and on-going networking opportunities.

ORCA Divisions

ORCA Divisions are operated under a dedicated leadership group to provide benefits specific to the interest of their members:

OACES – Oregon Association for Counselor Education and Supervision focuses on the needs and issues of counselors who are primarily employed as counselor educators and supervisors of counselors.

OCCA – Oregon Career Development Assoc. serves counselors who are interested in the theory and practice of career development.

Supporting The Counseling Profession

As the oldest counseling organization in Oregon, ORCA draws upon its vast resources to raise the professional and ethical standards found in the state's counseling profession.

- The annual Fall Conference provides an engaging forum for continuing education, professional interaction and networking. This event is well attended by counselors and presenters across disciplines and is regarded as a cornerstone in the continuing education program
- ORCA takes an active role in spearheading supervision by maintaining a current list of professional counselors from across the state who are qualified to provide supervision for licensure.
- ORCA is recognized by the National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC) to offer continuing education for National Certified Counselors which assists Oregon counselors in meeting CEU requirements for certification and licensure.

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Please join Oregon's organization for counseling professionals.

- *Serving counselors across disciplines since 1947*
- *Focused on educational, legal, & informational matters important to the counseling profession.*

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Oregon Counseling Association
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 Membership Renewal/Application (Please type or print)

Name _____ Renewing New Member
 Mailing Address _____ City/State/Zip _____
 Home Phone _____ Place of Employment _____
 Work Phone _____ E-mail Address _____
 Credentials (certifications, licenses, etc.): NCC LPC LMFT LCSW CADC Other: _____

ORCA Membership (choose one):

Professional - Must hold a master's degree or higher in counseling, or a closely related field, from a college or university accredited by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation.

New Professional - Must have graduated with a master's degree, or higher, in counseling or a closely related field in the past 12 months.

Regular - Individuals whose interests and activities are consistent with those of ORCA but who are not eligible for professional membership. (Cannot hold office of ORCA President)

Student - Must be a student at the college level having interests in the area counseling or closely related field.

Retired - Must hold a master's degree or higher in counseling, or a closely related field, and be retired from the counseling profession.

- Professional \$55.00 Regular \$55.00 New Professional \$35.00 Student/Retired \$35.00
 American Counseling Association (ACA) Ethical Standards Booklet \$ 5.00
 I agree to the Ethical Standards of ACA and the Oregon Counseling Association (required for membership).

Signature _____ Date _____

Student Membership Certificate: I am a full-time student at (name of institution) _____

My major professor's name is _____ Signature of Professor _____

DIVISIONS – (optional membership to one or both)

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- Oregon Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (OACES) \$15.00 \$ 5.00 - Student/Retired
 Oregon Career Development Association (OCDA) \$20.00 \$10.00 - Student/Retired

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Please mail this application with payment to ORCA at: PO Box 523, Gresham, OR 97030.

We accept VISA, MasterCard or checks made payable to ORCA.

VISA or MasterCard Authorization: Authorized Amount \$ _____ Signature _____

Card # _____ Exp. Date _____ / _____

Billing Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

OREGON COUNSELING ASSOCIATION (ORCA) has served the counselors of Oregon for over 60 years. As an affiliate of the American Counseling Association (ACA), ORCA has successfully united counselors from all disciplines in legal, educational and informational matters. “The Counselor,” is published quarterly, covering timely issues, providing important event details, and presenting an opportunity for members to publish articles, opinions, and ideas. The annual fall conference is a cornerstone of the organization, presenting educational and networking opportunities to all attendees. As a united body, ORCA also provides an opportunity for counseling associations to work together for the benefit of all members and client populations their members serve. ORCA members may also elect to join specialty divisions that provide targeted information and networking appropriate to work setting and professional areas of interest.

For information about ORCA, Professional Liability Insurance, or any of the divisions visit our website at: www.or-counseling.org or call 503-722-7119.