



Will your employer pay for PSNA membership?

Companies handle professional development benefits in various ways. If you're not sure about your employer's policy, below is an email template you can use to inquire. When you copy and paste this template into an email, make sure to edit the highlighted areas with your specific information.

Dear **SUPERVISOR'S NAME**,

I'm requesting your approval to **become a member / renew my membership** of the [Pennsylvania State Nursing Association](#) (PSNA). As you may know, PSNA is the top association for the nursing profession in Pennsylvania, with more than 3,500 members in the state. PSNA's mission is leading, advocating, educating, and connecting with registered nurses across the Commonwealth.

An individual membership fee costs just \$28.92 per month and grants me immediate access to the following:

- Involvement with nurse and patient advocacy through various PSNA-led legislative initiatives including legislative ambassador offerings.
- Opportunities to enhance leadership skills through volunteer efforts and positions on boards and committees.
- Free and discounted CE, including Pennsylvania's mandated "Identifying Child Abuse" education and the Star Leadership Institute.
- [American Nursing Association](#) (ANA) offerings including a Mentorship Program, CINAHL access, CE events and much more.
- Members-only savings and privileges on events, including regional conferences, RN networking mixers, and face-to-face and virtual education.
- Connections with new and experienced colleagues through PSNA's exclusive member portal, [my.pсна.org](#), that keep me up to date on healthcare priorities across the state.

I genuinely believe that a PSNA membership would be a wise investment into our organization and would positively impact our processes and my own professional development. I look forward to hearing from you soon to discuss this.

Best,

YOUR SIGNATURE HERE