

Membership Application

About AALHA

The Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association (AALHA) is a non-profit membership organization for assisted living home owners in Arizona, along with providers of products and services to our members. We also help families seeking elder care services or assisted living options for a loved one residing in Arizona.



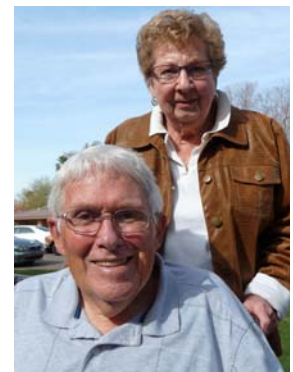
Assisted living is one of the most preferred and fastest growing long-term care options for elder care in the nation, with more than 36,000 communities nationwide. For many people, long-term care options are confusing, and can be overwhelming. AALHA is a valuable tool and resource for those seeking information and assistance.

We offer many services and features to our members, providers, and elder care industry specialists.

Benefits of Membership

If you are an assisted living home owner or provider, and are considering membership with AALHA, ask yourself:

- ◆ Do you want to be on the fast track to learn about governmental rule changes?
- ◆ Are you informed about DHS rules and their interpretation?
- ◆ Are your surveys deficiency free, or could you use some assistance?
- ◆ Are you missing out on networking opportunities that can help you with staffing, residents, and other challenges?
- ◆ Do you need help with marketing your business and finding residents? AALHA members are often offered discounts, or other advantages, from our Associate provider members.
- ◆ Are you a provider looking for ways to develop relationships with home owners?



AALHA is an important assisted living resource, and a valued liaison. It is a strong professional association that will help you understand care home legislation, provide valuable networking opportunities, maximize your marketing efforts, and much more. We are here to help you and your business grow.

Assisted Living Home Membership Options

Member (one home)

\$250/year

Membership includes:

- ◆ Listing in the <http://AALHA.org> member directory with option to upgrade to enhanced listing
- ◆ Voting rights for annual Board of Directors elections (one vote per home, maximum of 2 votes per homeowner)
- ◆ Free annual conference admission for two (2) people
- ◆ Use AALHA logo on marketing materials and advertise as AALHA member
- ◆ Eligible to run for a position on the AALHA Board of Directors
- ◆ Eligible to serve on committees or as a volunteer for AALHA activities and events
- ◆ Participate in all AALHA functions (forums, meetings, and social events)
- ◆ Prorated membership if submitting application after March 31 is \$25 per month for each month remaining in the calendar year

Member (additional homes, same ownership)

\$150/year

Membership includes all of the above with the following exceptions:

- ◆ Free annual conference admission for one (1) person
- ◆ Voting rights for annual Board of Directors elections (one vote per additional home, maximum of 2 votes)
- ◆ Prorated membership if submitting application after March 31 is \$15 per month for each month remaining in the calendar year

Basic Member (per home)

\$100/year

Membership includes:

- ◆ Listing in the <http://AALHA.org> member directory
- ◆ Discounted annual conference admission for two (2) people
- ◆ Eligible to serve on committees or as a volunteer for AALHA activities and events
- ◆ Use AALHA logo on marketing materials and advertise as AALHA member
- ◆ Participate in all AALHA functions (forums, meetings, and social events)
- ◆ Basic member dues for those electing to upgrade to full membership in any one calendar year will have their paid dues applied against the cost of full membership

Payment Plan Option: We understand the impact the current economic climate is having on our members, and are now offering a payment option of \$50/month payments until your membership is paid in full (5 months for full membership, 2 months for basic membership). If you choose the payment plan, please check the payment plan box on page 3. Your webpage becomes active upon receipt of the final payment.

Associate Membership Options

Associate Member

\$350/year

Membership includes:

- ◆ Listing in the <http://AALHA.org> member directory with option to upgrade to enhanced listing
- ◆ Discounted exhibitor option at annual conference – includes admission for two (2) people
- ◆ Voting rights for annual Board of Directors elections (one vote per business)
- ◆ Non-exhibitor annual conference admission for two (2) people
- ◆ Use AALHA logo on marketing materials and advertise as AALHA member
- ◆ Participate in all AALHA functions (forums, meetings, and social events)
- ◆ Eligible to run for a position on the AALHA Board of Directors
- ◆ Eligible to serve on committees or as an AALHA volunteer
- ◆ Opportunity to sponsor one monthly forum per year
- ◆ Prorated membership if submitting application after March 31 is \$35 per month for each month remaining in the calendar year

Franchise Associate Member

\$350/year for first owner – \$150 for each additional owner

Membership includes all of the above with the following exceptions:

- ◆ Non-exhibitor annual conference admission for one (1) person per franchise owner
- ◆ Voting rights for annual Board of Directors elections (maximum of 2 votes per franchise group)
- ◆ Opportunity to sponsor one monthly forum per year per group
- ◆ Eligible to run for a position on the AALHA Board of Directors (one person from group)
- ◆ Prorated membership if submitting application after March 31 is \$45 per month for each month remaining in the calendar year

AALHA Membership Application

Membership is based on one calendar year. Please complete this application and carefully check that all information provided is accurate. You may submit your application or renew your membership online, by visiting <http://AALHA.org>.

Membership Information (as you want your business to appear on our membership roster)

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Tel: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Contact Name: _____ Contact Tel: _____

Category: One Home _____ Additional Home(s) Associate Franchise

Additional home(s) name(s) and addresses: (if more than 2, please list on a separate sheet)

Membership Type: Homes: Basic Membership Full Membership

Payment Plan Option (for assisted living home members only): \$50 per month until dues are paid in full

Associate Franchise: _____ # of owners

Franchise owners, please provide owner name(s) and addresses: (if more than 3, please list on a separate sheet)

Note: Each franchise owner must sign a separate Code of Ethics sheet.

Billing/Payment Information:

You may join or renew your membership online, by going to <http://AALHA.org>. Click on member services, then on join/renew, and follow the instructions.

Payment method: Check Visa MasterCard Payment Plan

If paying by check, make checks payable to: **AALHA**

If paying by credit card, please complete the following:

Cardholder Name: _____ Tel: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Email: _____

Card #: _____ Exp. Date _____ / _____ CCV # _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____

Code of Ethics - Please sign and date page 4.

Mail pages 3 and 4, with your payment, to:

AALHA, PO Box 21752, Mesa, AZ 85215

If paying by credit card, you may fax both pages to 480-917-0702.

Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association Code of Ethics

The Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association (AALHA) Code of Ethics is a statement of the common values and standards of this Association. It is to guide us in the decisions we make as businesses and individuals, and to assist us with our responsibilities to the assisted living home industry, our residents (our customers), employees, and the community.

AALHA's Mission

The mission of the Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association is to support, educate and promote its members, and to be an information source for members and the public at large.

AALHA's Core Values

We, as members of AALHA:

- ◆ Have established our businesses on a foundation of common high-quality, principled and ethical standards.
- ◆ Work in harmony with the community, promoting our goal of quality of life for all.
- ◆ Work to protect quality of life and care for our aging population.
- ◆ Recognize the interdependence of all aspects of the aging community.
- ◆ Understand that our homes are the foundation of the assisted living home industry.
- ◆ Support the human right to knowledge and choice in the marketplace.
- ◆ Recognize the need for assisted living homes and industry suppliers to be economically viable.

AALHA's Code of Ethics

As members of the Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association, we have a responsibility to our industry, our customers, the community, and our Association. We commit to:

- ◆ Maintain the highest standards of business conduct by using only legal and ethical means in all business activity.
- ◆ Actively promote and encourage the highest level of integrity within the assisted living home industry.
- ◆ Cooperate in every reasonable and proper way with other Association members and work with them toward the advancement of the assisted living home industry and AALHA.
- ◆ Be fair to and respectful of employer(s), employees, associates, competitors, customers, regulatory bodies, the public, and all business or professional relationships.
- ◆ Adhere to honesty in advertising and in all representations to the public concerning our businesses, AALHA, and the assisted living home industry overall.
- ◆ Commit to the development and use of the highest standards and practices in our assisted living homes and affiliated businesses.
- ◆ Observe all neighborhood, city, county, state and federal laws and regulations pertaining to the assisted living home industry.
- ◆ Represent AALHA, its positions, policies and members without rancor. Support the Association and the industry by participation, by helping to advance Association goals and objectives, and by contributing to effective change.

All AALHA members must agree to the Code of Ethics. The Code of Ethics is hereby incorporated and made a part of the membership application, and a signed copy of such must be on file for each member. Current members in good standing will agree to this Code of Ethics with their renewal application. A copy of this document may be found at <http://AALHA.org>.

I/we accept and agree to abide by the AALHA Code of Ethics as stated above. I/we understand and accept that if we are found to be in violation of this Code, we may no longer be recognized as a member in good standing of the Arizona Assisted Living Homes Association.

Signature: _____

Business Name: _____ Date: _____

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