



Joint National/State Chapter Membership Application

APSE is a rapidly growing national membership organization formed to improve and expand integrated employment services and outcomes for people with disabilities. APSE members include professionals in the fields of education and rehabilitation, employers, individuals with disabilities, disability advocates, and state and federal agency officials. Membership is open to individuals or organizations who want to join a grass-roots network committed to enhancing integrated employment opportunities for people with disabilities.

APSE Focus

There are many people with disabilities who want to work yet do not have access. Likewise, there are many employers who want to hire from this untapped labor pool.

APSE is the only national membership association focusing on bringing together employers and individuals with disabilities to enhance workplace diversity. Through the support of a strong membership, APSE works with legislators, employers, individuals with disabilities and rehabilitation organizations to expand integrated employment opportunities through cutting edge techniques.

APSE Goals

- Work with federal, state and local legislators to promote public policy benefiting integrated employment
- Promote collaboration between the business community and rehabilitation organizations
- Provide education and training to individuals and organizations on cutting edge techniques for integrated employment
- Provide resources and consultation to the business community focusing on recruiting, hiring, and retaining workers with disabilities
- Provide resources to individuals with disabilities to assist in accessing integrated employment opportunities

Membership Benefits

Publications

- **theAdvance**, a quarterly e-newsletter
- **Journal of Vocational Rehabilitation (JVR)** (free online or discounted print copy)
- **Choose Work Brochure**
- APSE Publications (see www.apse.org for specific titles)

Professional Development

Discounted Rates for:

- Annual national conference
- SE 101 Training
- APSE Tele-Training Series
- APSE sponsored topical trainings
- State chapter sponsored conferences

Public Policy

- Representation in Washington, DC for national legislative action/policy
- E-mail Action Alerts on Public Policy issues
- Consultation on federal and state legislative action

Professional Networking

- Access a national and international (European Union of Supported Employment) network of partners
- Connect with likeminded individuals and organizations from your state and region
- Opportunity to serve in a leadership capacity through state chapter involvement
- Referral services for employers, rehabilitation organizations, and individuals with disabilities or family members

APSE 2009 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name _____
 Organization _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone (_____) _____
 Fax # _____
 E-mail _____

Organizational Memberships

- Basic Organizational Membership:** includes member benefits and copies of **theAdvance** for up to 8 people and 1 vote in elections or other voting issues. Benefits of membership and discounted conference and training registration limited to 8 names provided with the membership. **\$700**
- Contributing Membership:** includes copies of **theAdvance** for up to 8 people and 1 vote in elections or other voting issues. Other membership benefits apply to anyone in your organization using your organization's membership number, plus unlimited discounted registrations to state and national conferences and training events for anyone in your organization using your organization's membership number. This constitutes significant savings over a year in registration fees. **\$900**
- Gold Contributing Membership:** includes copies of **theAdvance** for up to 8 people and 1 vote in elections or other voting issues. Other membership benefits apply to anyone in your organization using your organization's membership number, plus unlimited discounted registrations to state and national conferences and training events for anyone in your organization by using your organization's membership number (significant savings in registration fees) and Gold Contributor listing in newsletters and on the APSE website. Plus a certificate of recognition honoring your contribution for front office display. **\$1200**

Organizations must designate individuals who will be covered under an organizational membership below or attach a list of members.

Individual Membership

Includes 1 copy of *theAdvance*/1 vote
NOTE: APSE Dues are not tax deductible

- Individual Income and Membership Rate:**
- Professional - \$26,000 or more \$105
 - Professional - \$17,000 - \$25,999 \$85
 - Professional - less than \$17,000 \$60
 - Nonprofessional family member or student \$45
 - Supported Employee \$25

- Please provide the following information. I am a (n):**
- Consumer Family Member
 - Student (not yet working in the field)
 - Employer
 - Professional (please give your job title) _____

- My organization is a (n):**
- Advocacy Organization SE Provider
 - State Agency School
 - Federal Agency University
 - Local Agency Rehab Facility

**Payment Instructions: Send check, money order or credit card information with your application to:
 APSE • 1627 Monument Ave. • Richmond, VA 23220**

Canadian and other non-US members add \$20 to rate

Amount Enclosed (US currency only): _____
 or FAX credit card information to (804) 278-9377
Please Print clearly:

Name on Card _____
 Card Number _____
 Cardholder Signature _____
 Expiration Date : Month _____ Year _____

VISA MasterCard

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Membership Enhancements

*Journal of Vocational Rehabilitation (JVR)
 APSE Members: Electronic access free;
 print copy: \$48/yr*

- Yes! Apply my APSE discount and start/continue my subscription to a print copy of the Journal of Vocational Rehabilitation (JVR).**
- Yes! I want to contribute to the APSE Foundation in the amount of \$ _____.**
- Yes! I want to sponsor a consumer membership(s) at \$25.00 per membership.**

EIN: 54-1470501
Dues are NOT tax deductible as a charitable contribution.