



Why should I join the NDCA?

Mission Statement: The purpose of the NDCA is to promote the science, philosophy and arts of the chiropractic profession, and unity of chiropractic in the state of North Dakota, and to provide for its perpetuation. We advocate and encourage the highest standard of ethics in the practice of chiropractic.

The NDCA:

- Is the ONLY OFFICIAL organization that represents North Dakota Doctors of Chiropractic in the state and nation.
- Negotiates with BC/BS and WSI (Worker's Comp.) for fair and equitable reimbursement for services rendered to patients.
- Provides liaison for members to negotiate with BC/BS when problems are present with claims submission and reimbursement.
- Medicare/Medicaid information resource.
- Provides education and tech support for new laws and regulations that affect practices.
- Provides relevant seminars to its members at reduced fee.
- Is a legislative "watch-dog" for Bills that affect chiropractic in North Dakota.
- Hires and educates lobbyists and people to testify on behalf of chiropractic.
- Sends fellow DC's (who take time away from their practices) to represent North Dakota at national conferences (Congress of Chiropractic State Associations & National Chiropractic Legislative Conference).
- Offers members a listing in the NDCA directory.
- Provides new doctor orientation.
- Provides timely information via the "Bulletin" and District Meetings.

The NDCA:

- Provides a web site for information and a patient information site.
- Offers an opportunity to help direct the association down its path.
- Provides a central office and an Administrative Manager to answer questions.
- Utilizes an attorney on the Board of Directors to assist in all legal decisions.
- Gives significant financial contributions to Foundation for Chiropractic Progress (F4CP) and Council on Chiropractic Guidelines and Practice Parameters (CCGPP).
- Provides a GREAT annual Convention and Membership Meeting to gather, exchange ideas, network and to have fun!
- Provides a way to give back to our profession.
- Maintains an excellent communication line with our supportive National Congressional Delegation (Senators Conrad, Dorgan and Representative Pomeroy).
- Inclusion in Find a Chiropractor on the website.
- The NDCA is a MEMBERSHIP driven organization and we want and need YOUR involvement.

Help us help YOU.

JOIN TODAY!

“Every [one] owes a part of [their] time and money to the business or industry in which [they are] engaged. No [one] has a moral right to withhold [their] support from an organization that is striving to improve conditions within [their] sphere.” –Theodore Roosevelt.

Dues Schedule:

New Member (1 st year in practice)	Free
Second Year	\$200
Third Year	\$350
Full Membership	\$500
Spouses Together	\$750
Seniors (62+ or retired)	\$250
Honorary Life Member	Free

What are the benefits of being an NDCA member?

It seems that the bottom line in joining any sort of organization is “what’s in it for me?” That is just human nature. Here is a reminder of what you get out of being an NDCA member.

- ✓ Provide chiropractic with a larger voice and presence
- ✓ Opportunity to network and meet people
- ✓ Advocacy on both state and federal level
- ✓ Up-to-date news, trends and research
- ✓ Continuing Education
- ✓ Annual convention
- ✓ Voting privileges in the Annual election
- ✓ Being a part of a community of friends and colleagues
- ✓ Value of being recognized as a NDCA member
- ✓ Group Plan for Chiropractic Disability Insurance
- ✓ Access Member Only section of the website
- ✓ Professional Lobbyist
- ✓ Providing members with need-to-know information (HIPAA, Red Flag Requirements and other current issues)

What are the current NDCA projects?

- New state-of-the-art website for members & patients
- Contacting specialty Doctors to increase dialog and educate across disciplines
- National Health Care contacts and following issues
- Regulations on Chiropractic Assistant seminars

NORTH DAKOTA CHIROPRACTIC ASSOCIATION

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