

If you're interested in:

- Education, training and professional development opportunities
- Advocacy for the assisted living industry with legislators and regulators
- The opportunity to network with other assisted living providers . . .



**LOUISIANA ASSISTED
LIVING ASSOCIATION**

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**All this and more can be yours
with membership in LALA!**

Since its founding in 1999, the Louisiana Assisted Living Association has grown to become the primary voice for assisted living communities in Louisiana, with over 70 members. Preserving resident choice, promoting dignity in care, and responding with advocacy on issues related to senior living are the hallmarks of our Association. As a member of LALA, your community and staff will receive the following benefits:

- Opportunities to network with other providers and suppliers who are committed to providing quality goods and services to seniors;
- Attend Association sponsored education programs at member discounts and receive continuing education credits (CEUs);
- Participate in LALA's Regional Meetings, held periodically during the year in each of the four regions in Louisiana;
- Receive information and assistance regarding regulatory compliance issues, fire marshal inspections, health inspections, etc.
- Receive member updates with the latest news regarding assisted living communities and relevant regulatory or legislative issues and/or proposed regulatory changes;
- Participate in advocacy efforts relative to assisted living communities;
- Keep up to date on the latest trends and developments in the assisted living industry.



Membership Categories & Fees

Provider Member

This membership category is open to individuals/companies that own, operate, manage or develop assisted living residences, personal care homes and retirement/independent living communities. A facility under development is qualified to be a provider member. To qualify for membership benefits, corporate-owned communities must pay dues for all facilities owned in Louisiana.

The LALA annual membership fee for Provider Members is \$24 per unit (based on the # of units/apartments for assisted living communities and the maximum # of residents for personal care homes). A minimum of \$250 in dues is required annually for communities with 10 or fewer units/residents. For communities under development, the fee structure is based on your projected number of units and is pro-rated for the first three years of membership. Please contact the LALA office at 225-791-5811 for more information.

LALA is an affiliate of the Assisted Living Federation of America (ALFA). LALA members are eligible to join ALFA. For more information, visit the ALFA website at www.alfa.org or call 703-691-8100.

Note: LALA Provider dues are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes, but a portion of dues may be deductible as a business expense. LALA estimates that 43% of a provider's dues are not deductible as a business expense because of LALA's legislative activities on behalf of its members.

Industry Partner

Industry Partners are vendors to assisted living residences, senior housing facilities or similar type of facilities or has an interest or involvement in the industry but that do not own, operate or manage long term care, assisted living or senior living facilities. The membership fee for Industry Partners is \$350 annually.

Supporting Partner

Supporting Partners are individuals who are not associated with any company that develops, owns operates or manages assisted living residences, senior living facilities or similar types of facilities but would like to take advantage of LALA Member Benefits. The membership fee for Supporting Partners is \$100 annually.

Note: Industry Partner and Supporting Partner dues are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes, but may be deductible as a business expense. Industry Partner and Supporting Partner dues are not used for legislative activities.

In compliance with the bylaws, all member applications shall be approved by the LALA Board of Directors. In addition, dues must be paid in full before membership can commence.



2010 Member Information Form

Community/Company Name _____

Total # of Licensed Assisted Living Units _____ Licensed Capacity _____ DSS License # _____

Dementia Care Unit: ___ Yes ___ No If yes, how many units? _____

Primary Contact _____ Title _____

Mailing Address _____

Street Address _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ Cell _____

E-mail Address _____

Parent Company Name _____

Parent Co. Contact _____ Title _____

Mailing Address _____

Street Address _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ Cell _____

E-mail Address _____

If you would like additional staff from your community to receive email updates from LALA, please list their names, titles and email addresses below:

Name _____ Title _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Name _____ Title _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Name _____ Title _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please list below information/news regarding changes or new developments at your community (expansions, new services offered, key staffing changes, etc.):

**Please fax your completed form to the LALA office at 225-791-5812 or mail to:
LALA, PO Box 1231, Denham Springs, LA 70727.**