

ANA Massachusetts membership has many hidden benefits

Members (and those not yet members) may not be aware of the many benefits offered with the American Nurses Association and ANA Mass membership. When you join ANA Mass, you are automatically a member of ANA, your professional nurses association.

ANA offers many fact sheets, tip cards and toolkits to help guide you in your work with patients and colleagues. Topics cover a vast range from dealing with bullying and workplace violence to what you need to know about social networking for nurses.

Members can also download the Code of Ethics, Social Policy Statement, Scopes and Standards of Nursing Practice and the full text of ANA's principles and position papers.

The 25th Edition of the Interagency Council on Information Resources in Nursing (ICIRN) Essential Nursing Resources list is presented as a resource for locating nursing information and for collection development. The list includes print, multimedia, and electronic sources to support nursing practice, education, administration, and research activities. These resources are also available to ANA Members.

ANA membership gives you free access to a variety of professional tools such as CINAHL, PubMed Citations and other essential nursing resources to help your professional needs. Some examples are the Drug Name Error Finder Tool, The Global Disease Alert Map, PubMed citations, Essential Nursing Resources, ANA Pubs Archive, ANA Principles and ANA Foundation Documents.

As a nurse and ANA member, you are committed to providing superior care to your patients. It is your passion, and you invest all of your energy in your work. But who is taking care of you while you take care of others? Through ANA's Personal Benefits, we are here to help with five important programs that every nurse must consider. ANA has carefully screened partners committed to providing ANA member nurses with great value, and we make it easy to cover yourself in these critical areas. ANA provides discounts to members on professional liability insurance, auto insurance, long term care insurance, term life insurance and financial planning.

ANA Mass also has discounted rates for members on the Savory Living eating program, Walden University and Chamberlain College. ANA Mass members are provided with free research recruitment notices, discounts on ANCC certifications, discounts on conferences and events, free CE webinars and career position notices.

All that plus, great networking opportunities, exposure to world renowned speakers, opportunities to meet living legends in nursing, the chance to influence legislation and public policy, career development and discounted fun social events!