



GNABC Membership

Application Methods

Year: June 1/10 – May 31/11

August 12, 2010

Attention all GNABC Members & Potential New Members,

The provincial Gerontological Nurses Association of British Columbia (GNABC) would like to encourage interested folks, along with current and previous members to apply for GNABC membership for the current membership year (i.e., June 1, 2010 to May 31, 2010). You will find the benefits and levels of membership, along with the application and fee on the GNABC website (www.gnabc.com).

Members renewing for June 1/10-May 31/11 year must do before Sept. 1, 2010 to be considered a renewal. If you renew Sept. 1st and later, you will be considered a new member.

Please see the different options below of how to register whether you are new or renewing:

Method of Registration	Details
<p><u>Online:</u></p> <p>www.gnabc.com</p>	<p>Go to www.gnabc.com website and click on "Members" tab. In the "Members" section, it will explain the benefits of joining, along with the levels of membership. It will also provide the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a direct link to online application (and pay by credit card) • a link to step-by-step tutorial if doing online application and need help • a link to PDF Membership Form that you can review and/or print off. <p>Both online and step-by-step tutorial links require you to set up a login and password if you do not have one already.</p>
<p><u>Telephone:</u></p> <p>CGNA Head Office Tel.: 604-874-4004</p>	<p>Call CGNA head office between Mondays to Fridays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Pacific Time). If you call after office hours, you may leave a voicemail message and they will call you back. <u>Note:</u> CGNA head office business services is called Malachite Management, so you will hear the latter name on the outgoing message.</p> <p>After you have spoken to someone at CGNA head office and they took all your registration information, you will need to mail CGNA your cheque (payable to CGNA) if paying by cheque.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Prior to phoning CGNA to register, it would be helpful for you to go to www.GNABC.com website and click on "Members" tab. In the "Members" section, it will explain the benefits of joining, along with the levels of membership. Click on link to PDF Membership Form and print for reference or review what information you will need to know when you make the phone call to register. Also have your credit card ready for the phone call if paying by credit card.</p>

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<p><u>Fax:</u></p> <p>CGNA Head Office Fax: 604-874-4378</p>	<p>Go to www.GNABC.com website and click on "Members" tab. In the "Members" section, it will explain the benefits of joining, along with the levels of membership. Click on link to PDF Membership Form. Print this form. Complete the form, including method of payment (e.g., credit card or cheque payable to CGNA). Fax completed form to CGNA website (fax number is on bottom of PDF Membership Form). Then if paying by cheque, you will also need to mail the cheque to CGNA head office as indicated on the bottom of the PDF Membership Form. CGNA prefers that you also mail a copy of your individual membership form for reference along with the cheque .</p>
<p><u>Mail:</u></p> <p>CGNA Head Office 375 West 5th Ave, Suite 201, Vancouver, BC V5Y 1J6</p>	<p>Go to www.GNABC.com website and click on "Members" tab. In the "Members" section, it will explain the benefits of joining, along with the levels of membership. Click on link to PDF Membership Form. Print this form. Complete the form, including method of payment (e.g., credit card or cheque payable to CGNA). Mail completed form to CGNA website (address is on bottom of PDF Membership Form). Include cheque (payable to CGNA) if paying by cheque.</p>
<p><u>In person</u> at a GNABC chapter meeting, GNABC provincial conference or national CGNA conference.</p>	<p>Go to www.GNABC.com website and click on "Members" tab. In the "Members" section, it will explain the benefits of joining, along with the levels of membership. Click on link to PDF Membership Form. Print this form. Complete the form, including method of payment (e.g., credit card or cheque payable to CGNA) and bring this form to a GNABC chapter meeting, a GNABC provincial conference or the CGNA national conference. Also bring your cheque payable to CGNA or cash if paying by cheque or cash. Submit your completed membership form (along with your cheque or cash if paying by one of these methods) to the person responsible for membership registrations. If paying by credit card, you will enter that information on the membership application.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> There are blank membership application forms available at the provincial and national conferences and are usually available at the chapter meetings.</p>

You can also visit the CGNA (Canadian Gerontological Nursing Association) website (www.cgna.net) and click on British Columbia to get to the GNABC website.

Sincerely yours in Gerontological Nurses Association of BC,

GNABC Executive