TFA Membership

Organizational Membership

Organizational memberships allow up to FIVE members to join for one fee that is based on the organization's budget. An organization may pay for multiple organizational memberships to accommodate more than five employees, board members, volunteers, members, or others affiliated with the organization. Indicate the organization's budget below and how many organizational memberships are requested. Submit a separate form for each individual who will be a part of the organizational membership(s).

_____ Up to $75,000 annual budget
FEE: $50

_____ $75,001 - $150,000 annual budget
FEE: $100

_____ Over $150,000 annual budget
FEE: $150

Individual Membership

_____ Under age 60 FEE: $50

_____ Age 60 and over FEE: $25

_____ Student FEE: $25
(College ID required)

Mail membership form(s) and check payable to TFA to:
Angie Scott Beach, TFA Treasurer
102 East College Street
Jackson, TN 38301
ascott@swtdd.org
Or to pay fees via VENMO:
Tennessee Federation for the Aging; TFA Code: 5360

TFA History & Structure

The Tennessee Federation for the Aging (TFA) was organized in 1968 and incorporated in 1969 to secure funding for senior citizens' programs and services, and to serve as an advocacy group for older adults. Over the years TFA has coordinated with various local, regional, and statewide organizations to offer service provider training, educational workshops, and advocacy to align efforts to improve the overall quality of life for older Tennesseans.

TFA membership includes representatives of government agencies, Area Agencies on Aging and Disability, older adult activity centers/senior centers, home care companies, nutrition providers, day services providers, older adults in the community, long-term care facilities, law enforcement and other first responders, family caregivers, legal services professionals, and college students majoring in fields serving older persons.

TFA is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit charitable organization. Any donations or contributions made to TFA are greatly appreciated.

For more information about TFA:

Email us at tnfedaging@outlook.com

OR

Visit our website at www.tnfederationfortheaging.org for a full listing of member organizations and benefits.

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Improving the Lives of Older Tennesseans Since 1969

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TFA: Your Voice on Aging

TFA's Purpose & Vision

The purpose of TFA is to strengthen and grow the network of members, organizations, and community partners to enhance the overall lives of aging Tennesseans through education, advocacy, social and professional connections, resources and supports.

We envision aging Tennesseans have open and ready access to the full network of resources and supports to meet their individual needs.

TFA Goals

- Initiate and encourage efforts that enhance the overall wellbeing of older Tennesseans
- Identify and collaborate with other constituent groups with similar objectives
- Support programs designed to assist older adults in maintaining their independence
- Review proposed and recent legislation affecting older people
- Encourage continuing education and training for providers of a wide range of services
- Strengthen the aging network through conferences, information sharing, workshops, and webinars
- Serve as a statewide voice and public advocate for public policies, social attitudes, and practices that promote vital aging

Benefits of Membership

Networking

One of the most exciting benefits of joining TFA is the opportunity to network with active older Tennesseans, policymakers, advocates, first responders, aging network professionals and providers, legal experts, housing and healthcare staff, and many others. There are opportunities at quarterly TFA Board meetings, media and advocacy outreach, and TFA's conference.

Annual Training Conference

TFA members in good standing receive reduced registration rates for the yearly conference!

Media

Members can participate in TFA media outlets, including Facebook, the TFA website, and our newsletter, where TFA events and members are promoted and our work is shared. Partner organizations are listed on the TFA website and may participate in special promotional events.

Advocacy

For most of the past forty years TFA has sponsored Aging Day on the Hill, bringing together adults and advocates across TN to raise awareness of key issues and share a unified message about the needs of older citizens. TFA also requests that the governor declare each May as Older Tennesseans Month to encourage education in local communities about the needs of the older persons there.

How to join TFA

Please complete this form and submit it and dues as instructed elsewhere in this brochure. Organizational membership holders **must** submit a separate form for each person in the membership. Please ensure the information is fully legible, including the full unique email address for each member.

NAME _____

_____

TITLE _____

ORGANIZATION _____

ADDRESS_____

CITY _____ ZIP_____

EMAIL _____

PHONE _____

I am interested in helping with:

_____ Training & Conference Planning

_____ Aging Day on the Hill & Advocacy

_____ Membership & Recruitment

_____ Marketing & Outreach/Website/Social Media/Newsletter

_____ Grants Committee

_____ Nominating Committee

_____ Other; please specify _____