

Assisted Living Association of Georgia

Enhancing the quality of life for those we serve.

Mission Statement

The Assisted Living Association of Georgia (ALAG) is a statewide nonprofit organization comprised of individuals and companies actively involved in the management and ownership of assisted living communities, senior communities, and homes for the mentally/physically disabled.

Membership is also extended to businesses that service and supply the communities and homes.

ALAG's primary mission is to inform the general public and involved professions of options and opportunities available, which will be helpful to them, either as consumers or providers of senior services. ALAG will be an advocate, wherever appropriate, for both its members and residents of assisted living and senior communities.

These purposes shall be achieved by:

1. The education of the membership and the public.
2. Advocacy on behalf of senior services homes and community owners and residents.
3. The pooling of community resources.

Benefits of Membership

Communities, homes, and businesses can only reach their goals if the industry environment is conducive for success. By joining ALAG, you can help insure that environment is in place. An ALAG member will benefit in the following ways.

- Learn new ways to reach your community's goals by networking with other members.
- Members have access to current development and training educational materials.
- Worker's Compensation is available at excellent rates.
- Get ground floor information on proposed legislative and regulatory changes.
- Gain input into introduction of legislation and regulatory proposals.
- Advertise in newsletters, directories, and conferencing programs at reduced rates.
- Exhibit twice a year at ALAG conferences at a reduced rate.
- The ALAG membership directory will list your community, home, or business.

Community Member

A community member is any company or individual who owns or manages a community or home that provides assisted living or senior services. The following fee structure will be used to calculate the annual fee for each individual community owned or managed in Georgia by the member.

- Communities with 1-6 beds/units \$137.50
- Communities with more than 6 beds/units \$137.50 (Plus \$8.25 per bed over 6)

Associate Member

An associate member is any employee of the federal, state, county or local government and any employee of an educational institution. The membership fee for any associate members shall be \$137.50 annually.

Business Member

A business member is any individual or business that provides services to the communities and homes. The following fee structure will be used to calculate the annual fees for business members:

- Individual or sole proprietor \$275
- Businesses with 2 to 5 employees \$360
- Businesses with 6 to 20 employees \$440
- Businesses with 21 or more employees \$550

Voting

Each community member is entitled to one (1) vote for each community or home which is a member; each associate member is entitled to one (1) vote; each business member is entitled to one (1) vote. All votes must be cast by individuals designated by the member. Members must be present to vote at any meeting.

Suggested Political Action Contributions

- 1-6 Beds \$25.00
- 7-25 Beds \$50.00
- 26-100 Beds \$100.00
- 101+ Beds \$250.00
- Business \$50.00-\$150.00
- Associate \$25.00

Note: Non-profits should not remit Corporate checks to a Political Action Contribution, but personal checks are acceptable.

Need more information?

Call ALAG at:
800-434-2724 or 770-445-8840
Fax 770-445-3893

Visit our web site at www.ALAG.org.

Membership Application (Return this form with check)

Community Member

Name of community/home					
Name of owner/manager					
Mailing address					
City		State		County	
Phone		Fax		Sponsor	

Person designated to vote in ALAG	
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Assisted living units/beds	Retirement living units	Nursing home beds

Types of population served by your community/home (Please indicate number of beds below.)				
Frail Elderly	Alzheimer's	AIDS	Physically or mentally disabled	Other

Business Member

Name of business					
Name of president					
Mailing address					
City		State		County	
Phone		Fax		Sponsor	
Person designated to vote in ALAG					

Type of business		Number of employees	
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Now providing services to the following communities:	

Payment enclosed for: Community ___ Associate ___ Business ___ PAC ___
 Total \$ _____ Date: _____

Please sign the Code of Ethics and return with your check. Make all checks payable to: ALAG
 Mail to: 168 N. Johnson Street, Suite 304, Dallas, GA 30132

Code of Ethics

- Serve the interest of adults needing assistance, with the objective of enhancing their quality of life while fulfilling their immediate needs.
- Encourage an environment of the highest quality and integrity in the ownership and management of assisted living homes or senior retirement communities.
- Act with fairness, honesty, and a sense of social responsibility in relationship with others.
- Encourage the development and implementation of innovative solutions to meet the evolving needs of aging and/or disabled adults.
- Convey to the general public, through professional and personal conduct, a positive image of the senior services offered to the community.

Signature: _____ Date: _____