APIC®
Membership
Learn | Connect | Advance
Your preview of membership at the leading association for infection prevention and control
Why APIC Membership

APIC membership is crucial to you, your facility, and the patients you protect.

The Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC) is the leading organization for infection prevention and control. Healthcare professionals choose APIC membership to remain at the forefront of infection prevention—their facilities and patients depend on it and only APIC delivers the community, education, and resources they need.

APIC members have direct access to valuable information, including notification of changes in healthcare infection reporting, timely updates on practice guidelines and standards, and the latest evidence-based tools, techniques, and research.
About APIC

The association’s 15,000 members are primarily infection preventionists, nurses, physicians, public health professionals, epidemiologists, microbiologists, and medical technologists—anyone that plays a role in infection prevention.

APIC advances its mission to create a safer world through the prevention of infection and embraces this bold direction through patient safety, implementation science, competencies and certification, advocacy, and data standardization.
Get support | Gain knowledge | Advance

Get support with practice guidance tools and resources

APIC is your source for evidence-based resources and products designed for infection preventionists.

- **Updates on legislative and regulatory issues**—APIC monitors legislation and regulations to keep you informed and prepared.
- **Implementation guides and scientific guidelines**—evidence-based strategies for surveillance and the elimination of infection.
- **Emergency preparedness guides**—resources on preparedness, response, and recovery for emerging public health threats.
- **Research**—science-based solutions that enable IPs to better apply scientific studies to their practice.
- **APIC Store**—resources needed to implement safe practices and prepare for certification.
- **Consumer education materials**—helpful tips to be shared with consumers.

Gain knowledge through comprehensive clinical education

Take advantage of ongoing APIC training from the experts—face-to-face, and from the convenience of your home or office.

- **Webinars**— virtual programs on critical topics. A monthly webinar is free for members.
- **Face-to-face courses**—expert-led, hands-on training held throughout the year.
- **Online courses**—reflects current standards and regulations and available 24/7.
- **APIC Annual Conference**—with more than 5,000 attendees, this annual event is the largest international gathering of infection preventionists.

Advance your career through leadership opportunities

- **Leadership**—many opportunities to serve including committee participation and top leadership roles.
- **Take action**—advocate on issues affecting infection prevention.
- **Serve your local chapter**—advance the association and profession at the local level as an active volunteer.

Join now and put your membership to work today.

www.apic.org/membership
With APIC, you will find support, get connected, gain knowledge, and stay informed on the latest developments in the field.

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<td><strong>American Journal of Infection Control</strong>, APIC’s monthly scientific journal provides the latest peer-reviewed research on infection prevention, epidemiology, infectious diseases, quality management, occupational health, and disease prevention.</td>
<td>Free</td>
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<td><strong>Discounts on important educational products, event registration, and services.</strong> Preparing to earn your Certification in Infection Prevention and Control (CIC®) credential? APIC can help!</td>
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**Total Cost**  
APIC annual membership dues: $650 annually  
More than $1,000 annually for non-members.

As you can see, the investment is small compared to the value you’ll receive—access to an unparalleled community and resources that would cost a non-member more than $1000 annually.
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Joining APIC is the right decision at any stage of your career.

A snapshot of APIC’s membership benefits:

- Access to more than 15,000 infection preventionists through IP Talk, APIC’s online community
- More than 100 FREE webinars and 46 hours of online courses
- Potential to earn up to 250 Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) hours
- Complimentary access to important resources on emergency preparedness, and infection prevention Implementation Guides on *Clostridium difficile*, Emergency Medical Services, CLABSI, MRSA, and more
- 100+ research studies published annually in *AJIC*
- Updates on relevant government affairs and advocacy efforts
- Tracking of legislative and regulatory proposals governing infection prevention
- Much more!

Increase your knowledge, competency, and stay well-informed through comprehensive clinical education, professional development courses, practice guidance tools, research, timely publications, resources, and annual conferences.

Learn more and join today

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$46,000 vs. $195

$900-$46,000
The financial impact of each healthcare-associated infection (HAI) on your facility.¹

$195-$205
The annual cost of an APIC membership.


When it comes to infection prevention, educated staff members are the most important investment your facility can make. APIC membership is crucial in helping your facility remain compliant, reduce risk, control costs, and protect patients.

APIC Membership
- Free publications
- Free monthly webinars
- Free implementation guides
- Regulatory updates
- Discounted education and resources
- Advance notification of healthcare reporting requirements

Educated Staff
- Current on best practices
- Prepared for outbreaks, disasters, and emergencies

Improved Outcomes
- Protect patients
- Improve facility performance
- Avoid additional HAI costs

Maximize your facility’s performance by approving your staff’s APIC membership.
Spreading knowledge. Preventing infection.