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# AMERICAN COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC ORTHOPEDISTS

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please check the appropriate box (membership description on back):

- Regular Member    
  Associate Member    
  Supporting Member    
  Student    
  Faculty

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT**

I hereby apply for membership in the American College of Chiropractic Orthopedists and enclose a refundable check for my first year's dues. I understand that my application is subject to membership committee approval, and that I will be notified of its action.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Home (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Chiropractic college \_\_\_\_\_ Year of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

<p><b>FOR REGULAR MEMBERSHIP ONLY:</b>          Date post graduate studies were completed _____ How many hours in the program _____          Which institution offered the course? _____  <b>Please enclose a copy of your certificate of completion of the orthopedics course (must accompany this application).</b>          Are you a diplomate in Orthopedics? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Certificate # _____          Are you a member of the Academy of Chiropractic Orthopedists? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Certificate # _____  <b>To be listed as a diplomate in the directory, please enclose a copy of your certificate</b>  <b>Please enclose check for \$125 payable to ACCO.</b></p>
<p><b>FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP ONLY:</b>          Anticipated completion date of orthopedics course _____ College through which orthopedics course is being taken _____  <b>Please enclose check for \$110 payable to ACCO.</b></p>
<p><b>SUPPORTING MEMBERSHIP ONLY: Please enclose a check for \$90 payable to ACCO.</b></p>
<p><b>STUDENT MEMBERSHIP ONLY: Enrolled in chiropractic college as an undergraduate student. Please enclose a check for \$25 payable to ACCO.</b></p>
<p><b>FACULTY MEMBERSHIP ONLY: Full time faculty member of any accredited college or university. Current faculty at _____.</b>  <b>Please enclose a check for \$25 payable to ACCO.</b></p>

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true to the best of my knowledge. I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics and By-Laws of the American College of Chiropractic Orthopedists. I understand that failure to remit dues will result in loss of membership and all rights and privileges thereof; membership includes all rights and privileges as provided in the By-Laws. In applying for regular or associate membership, I certify that I am licensed in the state in which I practice and said license has never been limited, suspended or revoked by action of a state licensing board or other regulatory organization. I further understand that the certificate of membership remains the property of the college and shall be returned to the college if membership is terminated for any reason.

VISA/MC \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsored by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Return completed application with your check to:

**David Swensen, D.C., Treasurer**  
**40 West Foster Street**  
**Melrose, MA 02176**

web site: [www.accoweb.org](http://www.accoweb.org)

## **MEMBER DESCRIPTION**

### **FULL MEMBERSHIP**

Any licensed doctor of chiropractic who has successfully completed a postdoctoral course of instruction in Chiropractic Orthopedics offered or provided by a CCE (Council of Chiropractic Education) accredited college or university.

**Yearly dues for regular membership is \$105 plus a one time application fee of \$20 for a total of \$125.**

### **ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP**

Any holder of a valid license to practice as a doctor of chiropractic and who is enrolled in an approved course in Chiropractic Orthopedics is eligible to become an Associate Member. An Associate Member has the privileges of a full Member without vote. An Associate Membership will terminate at the successful completion of the prescribed course, or upon withdrawal from the course.

**Yearly dues for associate membership is \$90 plus a one time fee of \$20 for a total of \$110.**

### **SUPPORTING MEMBERSHIP**

The category of Supporting Membership is available to the following who have an interest in the role of Chiropractic Orthopedics in contributing to the health of the public:

1. A holder of a valid chiropractic license not enrolled in a postgraduate chiropractic orthopedics course or who is not a Diplomate in Orthopedics or Board Eligible.
2. A former Associate Member who is no longer eligible for that category.
3. Allied health professionals.
4. Friends of the ACCO.

Supporting Members may attend ACCO membership meetings where they may have a voice without vote, may serve on selected committees, and will receive the Journal of the ACCO (JACCO), other published material, and such other privileges as the Board may grant.

**Yearly dues for supporting membership is \$70 plus one time application fee of \$20 for a total of \$90.**

### **STUDENT MEMBERSHIP**

The category of student member is available to undergraduate chiropractic students who have an interest in the role of chiropractic orthopedics in contributing to the health of the public. Student ACCO members may attend ACCO membership meetings where they may have a voice without vote, and will receive the Journal of the ACCO (JACCO), other published material, and such other privileges as the Board may grant.

**Yearly dues for student ACCO membership is \$25; application fee waived.**

### **FACULTY MEMBERSHIP**

A full time faculty member of any accredited College or University who has an interest in the role of orthopedics in contributing to the health of the public is eligible to become a Faculty Member. Faculty Members may attend ACCO membership meetings where they may have a voice without vote, and will receive the Journal of the ACCO (JACCO), other published material, and such other privileges as the Board may grant.

**Yearly dues for faculty ACCO membership is \$25; application fee waived.**