



National Association of State School Nurse Consultants

We Need You!

You've been a member of The National Association of State School Nurse Consultants (NASSNC). You know the power of this mighty group of school nurse leaders. The organization would benefit from your expertise and experience having been a state school nurse consultant. Help us continue the advocacy for children's health and learning!

Benefits of Membership as an Associate or Retired Member

Associate or Retired Members:

- Participate on all committees, recruiting other members, developing publications, addressing standards and issues surrounding school nursing.
- Meet face-to-face twice a year, with professional development and sharing of ideas.
- Membership email list provides communication among members.
- Publications are available to members that will support their work as consultants.
- Build a legacy as an informed expert school nurse leader.

Renew

Complete the form at [Member Renewal Form](#) .

“When I ‘retired’ I was ready to leave the seemingly 24-7 responsibilities, the paperwork, the roadblocks to effective programming. But, I wasn't ready (nor did I want) to leave school nursing. School nursing has been my passion for too many years to simply "leave". Continuing to work with NASSNC is a way that I can contribute. As you know NASSNC has no staff and extremely busy members. They also have much work to do to support school nurses and student health! I feel good about my contribution to Chair a committee. I have the time to facilitate discussions, write the reports, and follow-up (like a secretary) on our work. **It helps me to stay connected to the profession I love, and it helps me to feel like I still make a difference.**

There are big and small ways for associates to contribute! Suggestions: chair or Vice Chair a committee, help gather the CEU information, volunteer to be the secretary of a committee (write notes, set up meetings, follow up on assignments), assist the Executive Committee in communications, be a reviewer, oversee a survey. These are all important things that when undone slow down the work of the organizations.”

“Even though I am retired, I remain a member for a variety of reasons. First, my state, California does not have a state school nurse consultant right now, so I try to keep NASSNC members informed about issues in CA. Second, as a result of being a NASSNC member and attending the meetings, I can keep school nurse leaders in California up to date on issues, programs, and legislation in other states. Third, over the years, I have received so much from my membership in NASSNC, **I feel it is my professional duty to continue to support the organization.** Fourth, I enjoy being part of NASSNC and the good friends I have as a result of being a NASSNC member.”