

## Joining KHCA

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To become a member of the Kansas Home Care Association, please complete our online membership application at [www.kshomecare.org/MemberApplication](http://www.kshomecare.org/MemberApplication). While our membership year runs October 1 through September 30, we invite you to become our newest member TODAY!

## A Special Note from KHCA

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These are only some of the many opportunities and benefits that the Kansas Home Care Association offers its members. We hope that you will take time to learn about our organization and share your thoughts and ideas with us. We are eager to work with your company and provide the services and activities that will assist you. Jane Kelly, KHCA Executive Director, can be reached at 785/478-3640 – she will be happy to speak with you and answer any questions you might have.

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## Benefits of Associate Membership

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## Associate Members

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The Kansas Home Care Association recognizes that our industry is made up of many different types of providers and service organizations. Each plays a vital role in meeting the care needs of our clients. Many of our members provide services primarily in the patient's home. But many others provide more "indirect" services that are equally necessary and important to our ability to function successfully as home care and hospice businesses and direct service providers. In our association, these providers of indirect services are categorized as **Associate Members**, and have all the privileges of membership and actively participate in KHCA initiatives.

As a service organization, KHCA strives to meet the many different needs of its diverse membership. Consequently, a number of our activities are designed to offer opportunities to both direct and indirect providers. Some of these activities may be of particular interest to your business, and we invite you to consider the advantages of becoming an active member of the Kansas Home Care Association.

## Statewide Annual Meeting

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The KHCA Annual Meeting is held each September at a site selected by the board of directors. It is the major home care and hospice event in Kansas and draws participants from every corner of the state and surrounding states as well. This special event includes many management and clinical workshops and concurrent conferences for special disciplines. Home care and hospice vendors are offered exhibit, sponsorship, advertising and speaking opportunities. KHCA members receive a 50% discount on annual meeting exhibit and advertising fees.

***SAVE 50% on annual meeting exhibit and advertising fees***

## Representation

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KHCA Members are represented on key issues affecting home health and hospice care through a successful lobbying effort and information dissemination program.

- ⇒ KHCA Executive Director is the association's registered lobbyist
- ⇒ Close monitoring of all legislation affecting home care and hospice
- ⇒ Lobbying and advocacy at the state legislature
- ⇒ Lobbying and advocacy in Congress with U.S. Senators and Representatives
- ⇒ Representation on state and national committees and task forces

***Advocacy for home care and hospice year-round***

## Information

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KHCA provides timely updates and responsive assistance to all members. KHCA is your information source on issues affecting the home care and hospice industry.

- ⇒ ***KHCA - GET CONNECTED!*** – The latest information sent directly to members via email
- ⇒ ***KHCA Newsletter*** – E-newsletter filled with the latest information on important home care and hospice topics with advertising space available in every issue
- ⇒ ***KHCA ListServ*** – A place for members to share ideas and discuss concerns
- ⇒ ***District Meetings*** – Great for networking and short educational presentations (many presented by Associate Members)
- ⇒ ***KHCA Website*** – [www.kshomecare.org](http://www.kshomecare.org) – The one-stop site for the information you need, with a password-protected area for important *members-only* updates, reports, and links

***The latest information when you need it***

## KHCA Website Listings

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All members of KHCA, including Associate Members, are listed on the public side of the KHCA website. In addition to contact information, member listings may include a company logo, company description, and a link to their company website. Members may personally update their listings at any time.

***The KHCA website is one more way to market your company***