

# Membership benefits

PACFA provides members with access to valuable services and resources, designed to promote professional excellence.

		Affiliate	Student	Academic	Provisional	Clinical
<b>Promoting your profession</b>						
Advocacy	We campaign for greater recognition of counsellors and psychotherapists by governments, private health funds and organisations that provide counselling services	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Promotion	PACFA advocates for the counselling and psychotherapy professions to the public via media and on social media	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Member resources</b>						
Digital membership badge	Access PACFA-exclusive trademarked titles for use on your communication and promotion materials				✓	✓
Members-only jobs board	Access counselling and psychotherapy specific jobs, targeted to PACFA members	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Professional indemnity insurance	Access to affordable insurance cover through our partner Insurance House, with free insurance included in student membership		✓		✓	✓
Free Branch membership	Professional development and networking opportunities	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Free College membership	Network with, and learn from, other practitioners in the same modality	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Code of ethics	As a self-regulating body, PACFA members are guided by our code of ethics	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>CPD &amp; practice support</b>						
Supervision	Access a list of highly qualified PACFA-accredited supervisors and low-cost group supervision	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Endorsed supervision training	Endorsed supervisor training programs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Discounted CPD events	Access to member-discounted high quality online and face to face CPD run by PACFA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Endorsed CPD	Access to PACFA-endorsed CPD that meets our membership renewal requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Free webinar CPD	Access to past PACFA webinar recordings, free of charge	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ethics Help Desk	Free ethics advice help line	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jobs and practice growth	Eligible members* have access to up to 10 health fund rebates, can register with numerous employee assistance programs, and can become NDIS providers				✓	✓
Find a therapist profile	Free promotion via the member therapist directory on our website				✓	✓
Professional advice	Professional practice support from expert PACFA staff	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Staying connected</b>						
PACJA Journal	Access to the international, peer-reviewed journal, <i>PACJA</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Enewsletter	Updates on PACFA's advocacy work each month, member opportunities, useful information, updates and more	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Council and AGM	Twice-yearly platform for the counselling and psychotherapy community to share best practice, network and learn			✓	✓	✓
Conference	Our conference is held every two years on emerging themes in counselling and psychotherapy, with discounted tickets available to our members	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

\* Individual eligibility criteria apply. Not all initiatives accept applications from Provisional members, and some require certain qualifications.