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## Full Membership

Oxfordshire Association of Care Providers is the trade association for adult social care providers and for related voluntary sector and housing organisations; all conditions and all settings.

Full Membership is available for all organisations operating or wishing to operate in Oxfordshire for organisations constituted as:

- Public Limited Companies (PLC);
- Companies Limited by shares or by capital (Ltd);
- Charities;
- Community Interest Companies (CIC);
- Limited Liability Partnerships (LLP);
- All forms of social enterprise, including Industrial and Provident Societies.

Annual Full Membership runs from 1 May to 30 April.

Rates for 2016-17:

- £75 for providers with a turnover of up to £250,000 per year;
- £100 for providers with a turnover of £250,000 and over per year.

Full Membership entitles Members to:

- 10% discount on OACP delivered courses as advertised;
- Free advertising for vacancies on the OACP web-site and promotion at job fairs/ careers events/ through social media;
- Display of their organisational logo on the OACP Members page with a link to the appropriate organisational web-site;
- Priority booking for advertisements and promotions through *Talking Care*, Oxfordshire's only social care magazine;
- Access Membership areas on the OACP web-site
- Vote at the OACP Annual General Meeting.
- Inclusion to promote events through our Social Media.

Other offers may become available during in-year membership.

In addition, Full Members can:

- Attend providers forums as appropriate;
- Receive updates and advice as needed.

### Associate Membership

OACP recognises that a number of micro-providers may not be constituted as corporate entities.

Micro-providers are defined as:

- people using Direct Payments;
- people using Personal Health Budgets;
- self-funders employing friends or family;
- people registered as Personal Assistants through the Support with Confidence scheme.

Associate Membership allows connection and professional training to be available to many people, who would otherwise not have access.

OACP offers a reduced rate for Associate Membership for non-corporate entities. This is currently set at £30.00 per micro-provider.

Associate Members are not eligible to:

- Vote at the OACP Annual General Meeting;
- Have logos or other self-promotional material displayed on the OACP web-site;
- Attend condition/setting-specific provider forums run by OACP unless directly invited.

All other benefits previously listed under Full Membership are open to Associate Members.

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