

MEMBERSHIP in OAPSA

The purposes of OAPSA are to:

- Promote and strengthen the coordination of pupil services so that the needs of children and youth can be met more effectively.
- Develop and promote improved standards of professional competence.
- Provide a voice for students with disabilities when legislative or policy decisions are made.

OAPSA

OHIO ASSOCIATION OF
PUPIL SERVICES
ADMINISTRATORS

Informing & Connecting

Membership in OAPSA is open to PUPIL SERVICES Administrators / Supervisors / Coordinators from:

City, Local and E.V. School Districts	Educational Service Centers
State Support Teams	Joint Vocational Schools
County DD Programs	Community or Private Schools

...who have a district/agency-wide responsibility for one or more of the following school services: attendance, guidance, nursing, school psychology, school social work, special education, related services, pupil assessment, at-risk programs, discipline, and gifted / talented programs.

Associate memberships are available for professionals that do not meet the membership criteria, but do support the purposes of OAPSA. (Examples include but are not limited to Teachers, Related Service Personnel, Aspiring Administrators...)

There are many benefits
associated with
OAPSA membership.

OAPSA MEMBERS

STAY INFORMED

on emerging critically
important developments.

STAY CONNECTED

with their colleagues
throughout Ohio.

STAY COMPLIANT

with frequent updates, ongoing
email communications, and
OAPSA Conferences (with
reduced rates for members)

OAPSA

will offer four conferences
during the 2018-19 school year:

SEPTEMBER 28, 2018
DECEMBER 7, 2018
FEBRUARY 7-9, 2019
MAY 3, 2019

Check out what people say about OAPSA . . .



Perhaps the most helpful aspect of attending OAPSA conferences is the formal update from the Office for Exceptional Children team covering topics and relevant information pertaining directly to my district. Topics covered during OAPSA conferences remain relevant to societal changes and norms. I have been a member of OAPSA for six years and I have greatly benefited from networking opportunities and resources afforded me. It is the primary conference I attend and suggest to other administrators.

Lisa Shannon Assistant Superintendent Chagrin Falls Exempted Village School District



OAPSA is a strong affiliate organization that helps connect NAPSAs to Ohioans responsible for Student Services administration. Through our affiliation we work to support members with their daily job responsibilities relating to Student Services. OAPSA has a strong connection to the state level leadership providing NAPSAs a connection in Ohio that is not found in all states. NAPSAs are thankful for the support OAPSA provides up to the National level and within its own State membership.

James J. Tatman NAPSAs President-Elect and Former OAPSA Executive Board Member

Joining OAPSA is easy:

- Go to www.OAPSA.org
- On the homepage, scroll down to the "Homepage Download Files" section at the bottom left
- Open "OAPSA Membership Application 2018-2019"
- Print the application, fill it in, and mail it with your check or PO to the OAPSA Treasures (address is on the form).

For additional information, visit our website at: www.oapsa.org
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