

Please complete this application form in its entirety and mail or fax it to ASHT Headquarters. You may also complete our Membership Application on our secure Web site at [www.asht.org](http://www.asht.org), which will enable you to start receiving your membership benefits much faster!

## CONTACT INFORMATION (Please print)

First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

Credentials \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide both addresses and check your preferred mailing address (Please select one address only):

### WORK INFORMATION

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

### HOME INFORMATION

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please check here if you were previously a member of ASHT.

By submitting this application, you verify that all the information is correct.

## ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP INVESTMENT

The ASHT membership year is **January 1 through December 31**. All applications received by December 31 of the current year will be included in the Membership Directory.

Type	Definition	Rights/Duties
<b>Active</b>	Limited to CHTs; must provide copy of HTCC certificate	May vote to elect Board of Directors; may hold elected office and participate on or chair committees
<b>Associate</b>	Includes certified or licensed Occupational Therapists or Physical Therapists; must provide copy of state license or AOTCB certificate	May vote to elect Board Members-at-Large; May serve on, but not chair, committees
<b>Affiliate</b>	Includes certified or licensed Occupational Therapy Assistants or Physical Therapy Assistants; must provide copy of state license or COTA certificate	May serve on, but not chair, committees
<b>Step Up</b>	For therapists who have graduated from a PT/OT School within the past 12 months	(Same as Associate Member)
<b>New CHT</b>	For new CHTs who have passed the CHT exam within the past 12 months	(Same as Active Member)

Resident Type	Annual Dues	Resident Type	Annual Dues
Therapists	\$225	New CHT	\$185
Students	\$45 (requires proof of entry-level student status)	Step Up Membership	\$175

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check made payable to ASHT (Please use an envelope.) Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card:  Visa  MasterCard  American Express

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Cardholder \_\_\_\_\_

Dues payments to ASHT are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes, but may be deductible as a business expense. Please consult your tax advisor.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The following information will be used for demographic purposes only. Your response is optional but appreciated.

### PRACTICE SETTING

- Outpatient Clinic
- Private Practice
- Hospital
- Rehabilitation Center
- Academic
- Research
- Not currently Practicing
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

### POSITION AT WORK

- Full Time Therapist (100% hands)
- Full Time Therapist (partial hands)
- Part Time Therapist (100% hands)
- Part Time Therapist (partial hands)
- Supervisor/Manager
- Administrator
- Owner of a Private Practice
- Researcher
- Educator
- Case Manager
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

### MEMBERSHIPS IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

- AOTA
- APTA
- AAHS
- ASSH
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE OF BIRTH** \_\_\_\_\_  
(mm/dd/yyyy)

**GENDER**  Male  Female

### INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING WITH ASHT?

Please check your areas of interest and an ASHT Division Director will contact you as opportunities arise.

- Education
- Research
- Membership
- Communications & Awareness
- Practice Management & Reimbursement

**Be sure to include your e-mail address for frequent updates about ASHT and your profession!**

# Membership Benefits

Membership in ASHT guarantees the education, networking, affordability and professionalism you need to excel in the hand therapy profession! Now you can be an advocate of quality patient care, up-to-date information on educational resources and research, new practices and standards, healthcare policy and legislation at the local and national levels, all while enhancing your own personal career!

As a member of ASHT, you will receive numerous benefits, including:

- A subscription to the Journal of Hand Therapy, which you will receive four times per year.
- A subscription to the ASHT Times, the quarterly newsletter of the Society, which will keep you informed of ASHT happenings as well as professional news.
- The ASHT Online Membership Directory, which provides a list of members' addresses, telephone numbers, and practice locations, and can increase patient referrals. Check the most up-to-date Membership Directory at **[www.asht.org](http://www.asht.org)**!
- Significantly discounted registration to the ASHT Annual Meeting and ASHT sponsored workshops.
- Discounts on all ASHT publications including a number of Treatment Guidelines, Patient Education Leaflets, English/Spanish Phrase Book, and more.
- Discounts on all of our home study programs, which provide you with continuing education for recertification: the Read & Respond Program, the Cadaver CD-ROM, the CHT Test prep book and the ASHT Test Prep CD-ROM for the CHT Exam.
- Access to ASHT's Member Center at **[www.asht.org](http://www.asht.org)**, where you can access helpful tools.
- Several opportunities to network with therapists from all over the U.S. and around the world.
- Participate in a committee or on the Board of Directors and receive leadership training.
- Vote for ASHT Board Members, Society policies, and bylaws.

**As you can see, ASHT has it all: education, networking, affordability, and professionalism! Join today to start receiving these great benefits and more!**