

# Membership Application

Please complete the following membership form,  
detach and mail with dues to:  
MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON, ACCMHS  
P.O. BOX 1695 • COLUMBIA, SC 29202

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Membership expires \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Tel. \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Company \_\_\_\_\_

*All dues and contributions are tax deductible.*

Professional disciplines:

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Professional Organizations:

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Identify Cross Cultural Issues of concern to you:

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Are you willing to serve on an Action Council Committee?

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How did you find out about Action Council?

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# Opportunities for Education and Training

- Action Council Retreats
- Women's Leadership Conference
- The Black Male Summit
- Cross Cultural Conference
- Forensics Conference

The Action Council Conferences provide opportunities for learning, networking, and for members of certain professions to earn continuing education contact hours that can meet the requirements for licensure in their respective fields.

## *Annual Awards*

The Action Council gives several awards on an annual basis to individuals whose work to promote the mission and goals of the Council is exemplary and worthy of public recognition.



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# The Action Council

For Cross-Cultural Mental Health & Human Services, Inc.



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## Who We Are

The Action Council for Cross-Cultural Mental Health and Human Services is a voluntary organization dedicated to enhancing the management, delivery, and utilization of human services by and for people of diverse cultural backgrounds. The membership of the Action Council is composed of representatives of public and private organizations, as well as individuals who have an interest in cross-cultural issues. The Council seeks to encourage, develop, facilitate, and promote professional development activities for service providers and educators. The education and training provided by the Action Council serves as opportunities for discussion of societal issues; particularly those that pertain to service delivery, resource management, and enhancing human well-being and helping meet the basic needs of all people.

In order for the Action Council to continue its record of success, we rely on the support of organizations and individuals from all parts of the country. Our members are accomplished practitioners, educators, and policy makers who are employed in a wide range of settings in varying communities.

## How Are We Funded?

The Action Council is funded through membership dues, registration fees for educational and training programs, by individuals, and by the sponsorship of public and private organizations. The Action Council is a tax exempt organization under IRS Section 501 (c) (3).

## Goals of the Action Council

- Enhance the skills and abilities of professionals in mental health and human services in order to meet the increasingly complex demands of serving culturally diverse populations,
- Increase the number of professionals receiving education in diverse cultures within mental health and/or human services organizations,
- Provide education, training, and consulting services to managers and decision-makers in mental health and human services organizations,
- Encourage individuals from under-represented groups to seek assistance from mental health and human services organizations when needed,
- Provide workshops, training seminars, and networking opportunities to students that will increase knowledge and understanding of cultural differences, enhance inter-cultural relations, and improve service delivery.



## Membership Fees

Dues	Type Membership	Check One
\$15	Senior Citizen (age 65+)	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$10	Student	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$20	Individual	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$50	Organization	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$35	Family (2 or more)	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$20	Board Member	<input type="checkbox"/>

Additional Name(s)

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