

# Join!

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## \$81.00 Personal Membership Rate for Members of the Military & Students To Join AAMS!



### Who is AAMS?

Established in 1980, the Association of Air Medical Services (AAMS) is an international association which serves providers of air and surface medical transport systems. A voluntary non-profit organization, AAMS encourages and supports its members in maintaining a standard of performance reflecting safe operations and efficient, high quality patient care. AAMS is built on the idea that representation from a variety of medical transport services and businesses can be brought together to share information, collectively resolve problems and provide leadership in the medical transport community.

#### **Mission**

The core purpose of AAMS is to advance safety and quality in air medical and critical care transport.

#### **Vision**

Every patient in-need has access to safe, quality air medical and critical care ground transport.

Learn More at [www.aams.org](http://www.aams.org).

### Why join AAMS?

We now have a AAMS Personal Membership Rate of \$81 for members of the military and students! Whether you are Active, National Guard, Army Reserve or a current Medical Student, an AAMS Personal Membership can provide valuable education and networking opportunities for you!

- We have many committees, sections and special interest groups (SIGS) for our members to volunteer in and network with each other.
- AAMS committees work on a wide range of issues and projects ranging from government relations, safety, standards to public relations - our committees will provide you with experience that you cannot gain at your current institution or military position.
- Most of AAMS Members are based in the United States, but we are an international association with 2 of our regions being based outside of the U.S.! Non-U.S. Medical Students and individuals from international military organizations are welcome to join AAMS as a Personal Member! continued...

## Why join AAMS? continued...

We provide our members with great member publications and discounts for our events and products!

- We give our members registration discounts to our annual education and training meetings such as the Medical Transport Leadership Institute (MTLI), the Safety Management Training Academy (SMTA), and the Air Medical Transport Conference (AMTC). Our charitable arm, the MedEvac Foundation International, provides our members the opportunity to earn a 2-year scholarship to MTLI and SMTA.
- We send our members a weekly email newsletter, *News on the Fly*, which covers important announcements and news items in the critical care transport community, as well as a round up of important news articles and blog posts on the industry.
- We send our members a bi-monthly, free copy of the [Air Medical Journal](#). Our members can access the Air Medical Journal's archives 24/7 online for free through their AAMS Membership!
- AAMS Members are given access to our members' only Annual Directory and Resource Guide, which lists our members, their contact information, important details about their transport programs, the key leaders in their transport program and much more!

AAMS is trade association: The heart of our association is made up of transport programs and corporations. Becoming a Personal Member of AAMS can expose you to your future employers in the medEvac and critical care transport industry.

- We list our personal members and their information in our members' only AAMS Directory and Resource Guide!
- AAMS Career Center ([careercenter.aams.org](http://careercenter.aams.org)) is a great location for our members to post their resumes and find current job openings within our industry.

## How can I qualify for the \$81.00 AAMS Personal Member Rate?

**You will need to provide a copy of a valid school issued photo ID or valid military email address along with your AAMS Personal Membership Application.**

- After becoming an AAMS Personal Member, when you are up for your annual membership renewal, you will need to provide a new photo copy of your valid school issued ID or valid military email address in order to keep the membership dues rate of \$81. The regular AAMS Personal Membership Dues Rate is \$135.

**You must meet the qualifications and restrictions for an AAMS Personal Membership.**

- AAMS Personal Membership is not intended to be applied for INSTEAD OF any other qualifying company membership category.
- **Personal Membership shall be any individuals having an interest in the medical transport industry who are not currently employed or associated with a medical transport service;** individuals having an interest in the medical transport industry who are not currently employed by or associated with a company or program that is a prospective AAMS Regular, Associate, Affiliate, Allied, or Chapter Member; or individuals who are currently employed by or associated with an AAMS Regular, Associate, Affiliate, Allied, or Chapter Member.
- Personal Members are entitled to the full AAMS Member Benefits, but they do not qualify for voting privileges in our association's elections.

## How can I join AAMS?

Visit [www.aams.org](http://www.aams.org) and under the Join AAMS Section, you'll find our personal membership application.

## Questions?

Please contact AAMS National Office at (703) 836-8732.



# Personal Membership Application

**Instructions:** Please fill out this form completely and send to **AAMS, 909 N. Washington Street, Suite 410, Alexandria, VA 22314; 703-836-8920 fax; or [esierra@aams.org](mailto:esierra@aams.org)**. Please include your credit card number, check or money order made payable to: **Association of Air Medical Services** in U.S. Dollars. Applications will not be processed until full payment has been received. Please contact AAMS at (703) 836-8732 if you have any questions.

**\*\$135 annually (per anniversary date) | \$81 rate is available for members of the military and students**  
(\*A copy of a valid student ID, or a valid military email address, is required to receive this discounted dues rate.)

Personal Membership shall be individuals having an interest in the medical transport industry who are *NOT* currently employed by or associated with a company or program that is a *prospective* AAMS Regular, Affiliate, Allied, or Chapter Member; or individuals who are currently employed by or associated with an AAMS Regular, Associate, or Affiliate. Personal Membership entitles a Member to attend the Annual Business Meeting, receive periodic mailings, and enjoy other rights and privileges as may be extended by the Corporation. Personal Members shall have no right to elect directors nor to make motions or to vote on any matter requiring a vote by the membership.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Designations/Certifications (e.g., CMTE, RN, etc): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Suite/Building #: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Mailing Address Type (ex. "Home"): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ \*E-mail Address Type (ex. "Personal"): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Phone Type: \_\_\_\_\_

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

**Please describe the following:**

Area(s) of expertise:

Reason for your interest in the Air Medical Community:

**\*Do you qualify for the active military/student discount?** Please select of the following options: **YES** | **NO**

*If you are active military*, please provide your military issued email address: \_\_\_\_\_

*If you are active student*, please include a copy of your school issued student ID with this membership application.

**Please Note**

If you are a national member of AAMS, \$39.00 of your membership fees goes toward your subscription the Air Medical Journal. If you are an International AAMS Member, \$59.00 goes toward your subscription of the Air Medical Journal.

\* AAMS dues are not deductible as a charitable deduction for federal income tax purposes, but may be deductible as a business expense. AAMS estimates that 25% of your dues are not deductible as a business expense because of AAMS lobbying activities on the behalf of its members.

**International Discounts:** Discounts of up to 20% off the standard dues rate will be available to members outside the United States if they are located in countries where the purchasing power of their currency is less than 80% of that in the United States. The discount will be calculated proportionally based on the comparison of purchasing power of the specific country with that of the US.

***Please Continue to Next Page to Complete Your Membership Dues Payment***

**\*PAYMENT INFORMATION**



If you would like to make a charitable and tax-deductible donation to the **MedEvac Foundation International**, please write in the amount you would like to donate here: \$\_\_\_\_\_ USD **Thank You!**

**\*Please send completed this form and payment to:**

**Association of Air Medical Services  
909 N. Washington Street  
Suite 410  
Alexandria, VA 22314**

Or fax to (703) 836-8920 fax; or email to [esierra@aams.org](mailto:esierra@aams.org).

**\*Total Amount of AAMS Membership Dues Owed: \$\_\_\_\_\_ USD (See Rates on Previous Page)**

Do you need AAMS to send you an invoice? \_\_\_\_ If yes, email for invoice: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Payment Type:** \_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_ ARCH Payment \_\_\_\_ Credit Card (*\*fee applicable, see note and fields below*)

**CHECK PAYMENT**

If known, please provide the check number here: \_\_\_\_\_

**ARCH/WIRE PAYMENT** (U.S. Domestic *ONLY*)

- Bank name: **Capital Bank**
- Bank address: **One Church St., Suite 300, Rockville, MD 20850**
- Phone no: **301-468-8848**
- Account no: **0112737311**
- Routing no: **055003340**

*If you wish to make an international wire payment,*  
please contact AAMS Membership Director Elena Sierra at [esierra@aams.org](mailto:esierra@aams.org)

**CREDIT CARD PAYMENT**

**\*\* All credit card payments made to AAMS are subjected to a 2.5% credit card administration fee.**

If you accept paying this credit card processing fee, please fill out your information below:

Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide an email address for your receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank You for Your Membership!**