

# NICOA Membership Definitions

## Am I a Voting Member or an Associate Member? See below

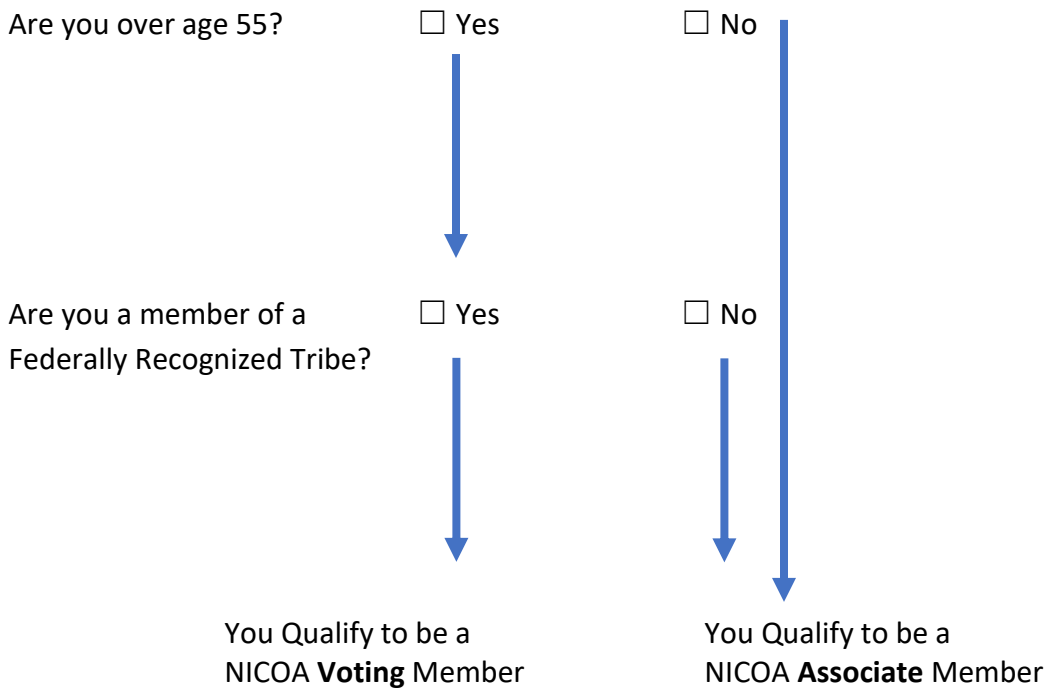
Thank you for your interest in the National Indian Council on Aging, Inc. (NICOA). Our mission is to advocate for improved comprehensive health, social service, and economic well-being for American Indian and Alaska Native Elders.

NICOA has two (2) membership levels:

**Voting Member** must be 55+ years old and a Registered Member of a Federally Recognized American Indian Tribe. A voting member allows you to attend your regions caucus session at the conference and develop NICOA's direction for the next two years; you will choose who your regional representative is on the NICOA Board of Directors; and you get a reduced conference registration fee.

**Associate Member**, anyone that doesn't qualify to be a Voting Member, and get a discounted rate at the conference.

Answer the following questions and we will direct you to the form(s) you need for Membership and Registration for the upcoming conference in September 2023.



If you need help determining what level you qualify for, please call (505) 292-1000 or email [carchibald@nicoa.org](mailto:carchibald@nicoa.org)



# 2023-2024 Membership Dues

January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2024

**Purchase your membership now for a discounted rate at the 2023 AI/AN Elders Conference**

## Individual (Personal) Membership Information (Please print or type clearly, one person per form)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL** Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** This is your personal membership, please provide personal contact information so that we can update you about NICOA.

**Billing or Tribal contact:** Contact information if someone other than the Elder is paying on their behalf

Other Org OR  Billing Tribe/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## **VOTING MEMBERS ONLY – Complete this section and attach a copy of CDIB/proof of enrollment:**

A qualified voting member is “any American Indian or Alaska Native 55 years of age or older who is an enrolled member of an Indian Tribe, Band, or Combination of Bands and Tribes, recognized by the United States Department of the Interior”. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OR CDIB CARD. If your CDIB card is not available, please provide the information below.

Tribes: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ CDIB/Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_  N/A

### **MEMBERSHIP TYPE:** (requirements and specifics on other side) **Please Check one:**

**1. Voting Member-** Must be 55 yrs.+ and a member of a Federally recognized tribe: (online/CC \$160)  \$150

**2. Associate Member (non-voting)-** Any person who is not a voting member: (online/CC \$265)  \$250

Mail this form with payment by Check or Money Order Payable to NICOA at:

National Indian Council on Aging  
Attn: Cheryl Archibald (Membership Dues)  
8500 Menaul Blvd. NE, Ste. B470  
Albuquerque, NM 87112

#### NICOA USE ONLY

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ To Finance: \_\_\_\_\_ Check or GZ Invoice#: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

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Thank you for deciding to support National Indian Council on Aging, Inc. by purchasing a membership. The instructions on how to fill out the form are below. *You're asking yourself what do you get when you become a member?*

- You will receive a discount on pricing for the biennial conference
- You will have the option of helping us with surveys and information gathering (For NICOA use only)
- Any webinars that we create you will be able to access them without a cost
- You will be helping us continue our work for the Elders we serve

**Purchase your membership now for a discounted rate when you register for the 2023 American Indian Elders Conference; Cherokee, NC at the Cherokee Harrah's Casino Resort**

**1. Name** – please provide us your name.

**2. Personal Mailing Address** - NICOA would like to be able to reach our community to inform you of upcoming events that you may be interested in. No junk mail, etc. We will NEVER sell your information or share it with anyone without your permission.

**3. Email Address** – Again we would like to keep you updated about what is happening and add you to our Newsletter with valuable information about what is happening in Indian Country. We will never sell or share your information without your written permission. Any information we gather will remain with NICOA.

**4. Billing or Tribal Contact-** Contact information of the person, tribe, or organization that is paying the membership dues for the person listed above. If you are paying leave this section blank. We ask for this information if there is a billing question.

**5. Voting Member Only** – This section needs to be filled out for a Voting Member; this is a person that is 55+ years of age, they are a member of a federally recognized tribe. Please attach a copy of your CDIB, Letter in Lieu of a card, or if you don't have your card, fill out the information below. This allows us to validate you as a Voting Member.

Tribe- Federally recognized name;

Date of Birth- validates your age for a Voting Member;

CDIB / Tribal enrollment number; Expiration date *if applicable*.

**6. Membership Type-** Check the box next to the type of member you are.

- **Voting Member-** Must be 55 yrs.+ and a member of a Federally recognized tribe. The difference between a Voting Member and an Associate Member is that the Voting Member can attend their regional caucus meeting during the conference and vote on any resolutions that are presented; you will (every 4 years, 2 conferences) Elect your regional representative on the NICOA Board of Directors.
- **Associate Member (non-voting)-** Any person who does not qualify as a voting member. (your discount at the conference registering as a paid associate member will save you \$100 compared to a nonmember registration)

Once you have filled the form out, (*the membership is for one member*); if you have a spouse, they need to complete a form as well. You can pay for more than one membership at a time.

If you have any questions or want to pay with a credit card, please contact the NICOA office at (505) 292-2001. Or send an email to [carchibald@nicoa.org](mailto:carchibald@nicoa.org) or go to our website and pay online, there is a 5% service charge for a credit card.