

# The SECA CENTER Membership

## Do We Have a Deal for YOU!



Take advantage of our new membership option.....the *SECA Center Membership*...to control your annual budget and ensure that your staff takes advantage of professional development opportunities in your state.

### PROVIDES FLEXIBILITY

Provides flexibility for directors & administrators in managing the cost of a program's professional memberships by allowing programs to replace staff who leave with the new person in that position without incurring additional costs. All that will be required is a simple call to the SECA office to make that change.

### PRINT COPIES

Provide one (1) print copy of *Dimensions of Early Childhood* for each five (5) members under that group membership to be placed in your program's resource libraries for staff use. These will be mailed to your program from the SECA office as each issue is made available.

### ADDED BENEFITS

Allows a program to purchase a group of memberships that will have added benefits beyond your current individual membership. You can be with a public school, faith-based program, Head Start, child care.....any early childhood program is welcome.



Take advantage of this new membership opportunity through SECA and LAECA, enjoy added membership benefits, and experience the variety of professional opportunities at the regional and state level as members.

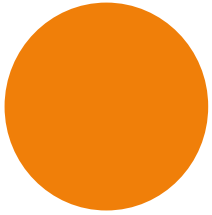


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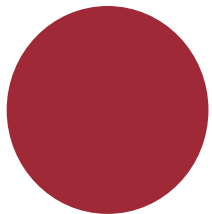
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# Frequently Asked Questions



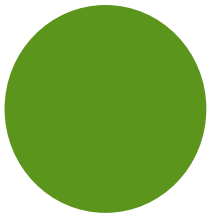
## **Do we pay for individual members or is there a set cost for centers?**

Under the center membership the cost is per individual member. There is no group discount.



## **How does it work when a staff person leaves?**

When employee turnover occurs the administrator will contact the office, preferably by email so there is a record, to change out the staff person. We would need a new membership form for the new staff.



## **What do they do if staff have already personally purchased memberships for this year?**

If staff have already personally purchased memberships for this year the center can either wait for that to expire or go ahead and renew now. We'll just extend the expiration date another year.



## **What happens if the program has already purchased memberships for their staff?**

If the program has already purchased memberships they can wait until renewal time to join as a center or renew early.



## **What are the added benefits beyond the individual membership benefits?**

The primary benefit of the center membership is to help ease cost associated with high employee turnover. Another benefit is one print copy of Dimensions of Early Childhood per 5 center members. Printed copies of Dimensions have a value of \$15 each.