



IASW

Irish Association of Social Workers
Cumann na hÉireann um Oibrithe Sóisialta

2nd October 2020

IMPORTANT INFORMATION re. Your IASW Membership

Dear Member,

The IASW is very much aware of the financial difficulties some families may have experience this year, due to the current global pandemic. The Board of Directors has reviewed the IASW membership fees and are delighted to confirm that for the **third year running** there will **be no increase to membership fees in 2021** (details below).

2021 Membership Rates

Membership Type	Annual Payment	Monthly Payments	Student Members	
Full Member	€195.00	€17.08 per month	Students - Graduated in 2020, who are working	First Year Post Qualify @ €160.00
Part Time	€135.00	€12.08 per month	Students - Graduated in 2020, who are non-working	Non-Working @ €50.00
Overseas	€65.00	Monthly payments not available	First Year Post Qualify Graduated in 2019	Full Member @ €195.00
Non-Working	€50.00	Monthly payments not available		
Retired	€60.00	Monthly payments not available		
First Year Post Qualify	€160.00	€14.17 per month		
Student	€30.00	Monthly payments not available		

A **payment reminder** will be sent to each member **30 days prior to the payment being deducted** from your account.

We have **upgraded our Card Payment System** to comply with data security requirements within the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), the new EU directive regarding the PCI DSS (Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard).

"The Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS) is a set of requirements intended to ensure that all companies that process, store, or transmit credit card information maintain a secure environment."

**** WE NEED YOUR HELP! ****

We are asking ALL members to update their card details on our system on/before November 1st.

Instructions on how to update your card are included on the next page.

**** IMPORTANT ****

Members who joined or re-joined after the 1st of June 2020, **DO NOT** need to update their card details.

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How to update your details:

There are several ways to update your details.

- **Login:** Using the white and green 'Members Login' button in top right-hand corner of the IASW webpage and update your account information.
- **Logging in for the first time?** To access our Members Area, click the white login box on the top right-hand side of the IASW home page. Contact the office if you have any issues logging in.
- **Forgot your password?** Using the white and green 'Members Login' button in top right-hand corner, enter your email address and click on the 'forgot password' link on this page. A link to set up a new password will be sent to your email. This link is only valid for 24hrs.

ISSUES UPDATING YOURSELF OR LOGGING IN?

- **EMAIL** administrator@iasw.ie
- **CALL** the Office Administrator on **086 024 1055**

Closure of IASW Landline

Please note the IASW landline will be closed as of January 1st, 2021
To contact the IASW office please call **086 024 1055**

50th Anniversary Celebrations

In 2021 the IASW will have its 50th anniversary. To celebrate this milestone, the IASW Board is planning some events to take place during that year. In the meantime, we are looking for any photographs of IASW social work events over the past 50 years. We would be very pleased if we could borrow them. We also welcome any stories that you would like to share, items and historical material of any kind. Please contact the office at: administrator@iasw.ie to arrange collection or you can send them via email if you have them in electronic format.

Irish Social Work Journal

The 2020 edition of the Irish Social Worker journal will be hitting your letterboxes late November / early December. To ensure that you **DON'T MISS OUT** on receiving a copy please ensure **the office has a correct postal address, phone number and email address for you.** We cannot communicate with you about our unmissable virtual events, networking opportunities, up to date CPD materials and – Fitness to Practise Legal Expense Cover!

Fitness to Practise Legal Expenses Coverage

The IASW provides Fitness to Practise Legal Expenses cover **FREE** to our members in the 'working' categories; Full-Time, Part-Time (20hrs or less) and 1st Year Post members. Further information can be found in the 'Membership' section of our website. Please be advised **FTP insurance coverage IS NOT provided by your employer or CORU.**

We are more than happy to answer any questions you may have regarding the matters addressed in this letter. You can contact the office on 086 0241055 or by email: Marina administrator@iasw.ie and Danielle officemanager@iasw.ie

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