

**Society for Social Work Leadership in Health Care
Benefits for Members and Chapters**

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| Member Benefits |
| <p>International Networking with Health Care Social Work Practitioners/Leaders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ <u>Discussion Forum</u>- <i>log-on to the website to post questions for member response(s) on a variety of health care and social work topics</i> ✓ <u>E-Blasts</u>- <i>weekly communication from the Board with members on upcoming events, SSWLHC and member accomplishments, news of interest and much more</i> ✓ <u>E-Resource List</u>- <i>weekly email with questions/answers posted by members on various health care and social work topics (Note: The Board has proposed re-establishing this benefit)</i> |
| <p>International Representation and Voice for Health Care and Social Work Practice</p> <p><u>2008-2009 Attendance:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Family Violence Prevention Fund Conference ✓ Society for Hospital Medicine's (SHM), Hospital Collaborative Meeting ✓ Institute for Alternative Futures, Disparity Reducing Advances (DRA) Coalition Meeting ✓ Social Work Day at the United Nations Co-Sponsor ✓ Health Care Community Discussions testimony submitted to the Obama Transition Team ✓ Department of Justice hosted meeting with other federal agencies (<i>including CDC, CMS, and VA</i>) on the needs of returning veterans and their families ✓ International Social Work Federation Conference |
| <p>Representation with Strategic Partners and other Membership Associations</p> <p><u>2008-2009 Partners:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Center for Clinical Social Work ✓ Institute for Alternative Futures, DRA Coalition ✓ NASW ✓ Social Work Consortium (<i>ACMA, AOSW, APOSW, APH, NASW, NHPCA, VA</i>) |
| <p>Mentoring/Mentorship- <i>formal and informal mentoring opportunities available</i></p> |
| <p>Leadership Development- <i>including the Leadership Institute conducted during the annual conference and other venues TBD</i></p> |
| <p>Reduced Rates for Education/CE programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ National, Regional, and Local Conferences ✓ Webinars ✓ Leadership Training ✓ Publications (<i>including topics on leadership, supervision, aging, cultural competency and more</i>) |
| <p>National, Regional, and Local Leadership Opportunities/Recognition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ National Committees/Work Groups (<i>Advocacy, Evidence-Based Practice, Products & Publications, Diversity, Leadership Toolbox, Membership & Marketing, Settings Across the Continuum, and Strategic Partners</i>) ✓ Regional Representation ✓ Board of Directors/Committee on Nominations ✓ Chapter Committees/Work Groups |
| <p>National, Regional, and Local Award Opportunities/Recognition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Social Work Leader of the Year ✓ Eleanor Clark Award ✓ Hyman J. Weiner Award ✓ Ida Cannon Award |
| <p>Local/National Advocacy Strategies and Alliances</p> |
| <p>Quarterly Issue of the "Social Work in Healthcare" Professional Journal</p> |
| <p>Quarterly Issue of "The Leader" Member Newsletter</p> |

| Chapter Benefits |
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| <p>Exclusive use of organizational brand:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ “Society for Social Work Leadership in Health Care” ✓ Branding as an internationally recognized membership association ✓ Logo and endorsed programs and products |
| <p>Enhanced National/Chapter Relationship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Regular and timely contacts between Board Liaisons and Chapter Liaisons ✓ Semi-annual Chapter Presidents Conference Call ✓ Annual Chapter Leadership Meeting ✓ Chapter Toolkit |
| <p>Chapter Page hosted on the national website www.sswlhc.org</p> |
| <p>IRS Compliance and Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Option to file under SSWLHC’s non-profit tax exempt status (federal) ✓ Limited assistance with annual reporting requirements and tax filing |
| <p>Partnership between affiliated Chapters and national for regional events such as educational conferences</p> |
| <p>Collection of Membership Dues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Submission of renewal notices ✓ Allocation of monies to chapters quarterly ✓ Updates to the Membership Directory posted on the “Members Only” section of the website |
| <p>SSWLHC Marketing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Proactive efforts to recruit prospective members and health care groups ✓ Increase awareness of SSWLHC and affiliate chapters |
| <p>Use of E-blast for Chapter Announcements to the international membership</p> |
| <p>Opportunity to collaborate with other professional groups through the <i>Strategic Partnerships Work Group</i> (see Member Benefits)</p> |
| <p>National exposure through</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Committees/Work Groups ✓ Leadership Positions ✓ Awards & Recognitions |
| <p>Collaboration on Advocacy issues at the local and national level through the Advocacy Committee, annual meeting, e-blasts and website</p> |