

Complete Guide to NFP Section Member Benefits

Not-for-Profit (NFP) Section membership gives you resources to perform your job efficiently and effectively, whether you serve nonprofits as a finance or accounting staff or board member, auditor, tax adviser, or consultant. Members of this section broaden their technical expertise, improve their professional competence, and receive resources to deliver high-quality services to their nonprofit clients or organizations. Read on for a preview of all the benefits that come with NFP Section membership.

Resources

Simply log-in to AICPA.org to access members-only content in the Not-for-Profit Section [Resource Library](#). Our comprehensive library is your single source of information on a full range of nonprofit financial reporting, assurance, tax compliance, and governance and management topics. Some of our most popular resources are highlighted here.

- Sample Nonprofit Financial Statements and Note Disclosures—with and without ASU 2016-14 implementation (in Word, PDF, and Excel)
- Common Financial Statement Errors
- Functional Expense Allocation – Getting It Right
- Checklist of Required Auditor Communications
- Combating Fraud in Not-for-Profits
- Account Workpapers—for preparers and auditors (in Excel)



- Nonprofit Board Responsibilities
- Sample Nonprofit Board Policies (in Word)
- Audit Committee Toolkit
- Controller Toolkit
- Risk Management for Nonprofits
- Internal Controls for Small Nonprofits
- IRS Form 990 Series Preparation Checklists
- Form 990 Red Flags
- Form 990 Common Errors
- Unrelated Business Income Tax – A Primer

Discounts

NFP Section members get exclusive discounts:

- 4 FREE [NFP Section webcasts](#) (last month of each quarter) – 8 hours of free CPE!
- 20% off AICPA [not-for-profit CPE](#), including the [Not-for-Profit Certificate Program](#)
- 10% off the AICPA's popular [not-for-profit publications](#)
- \$50 off AICPA [NFP conferences](#)
- 10% off ethics hotline services from [Ethical Advocate](#)
- 10% off managed technology services through [Secure Network Administration, Inc.](#)

CPE & Professional Development

Get up-to-date and earn CPE credit with NFP Section webcasts.



The Not-for-Profit Section hosts [12 monthly webcasts](#), four of which are complimentary for Section members as a benefit of membership. The free webcasts are in March, June, September, and December of each year.

For convenience, NFP Section members are automatically enrolled in the free quarterly webcasts. You will receive reminders and invitations to join via email. Be sure to add the email address no_reply@ON24event.com to your “safe senders” list to ensure you don’t miss these opportunities for free CPE.

All NFP Section webcasts are recorded. Videos and presentation slides are available to NFP Section members in the [webcast archive](#).

Earn a Not-for-Profit Certificate.

NFP Section members receive 20% off the already discounted AICPA member price for the [Not-for-Profit Certificate Program](#). Available for two experience levels, certificates can be obtained through online self-study by anyone interested in learning more about nonprofit financial management. Courses are available for purchase individually, by topic, or as a complete package. All courses must be completed to receive a certificate; however, staff and volunteers can benefit from individual courses, and CPE/CAE and Yellow Book credit is available for licensed professionals.

Broaden your skills and knowledge with NFP-specific CPE.

NFP Section members receive 20% off AICPA [not-for-profit CPE](#). Here are just a few of our most popular courses:

- [Not-for-Profit Audit and Accounting Update](#)
- [Form 990: Mastering Its Unique Characteristics](#)
- [Governmental and Not-for-Profit Annual Update](#)

Whether you are new to not-for-profits or just need to brush up, we have continuing education for you. Need a recommendation? Contact [Ashley Whittaker](#).

Build your NFP reference library.

Not-for-Profit Section members receive 10% off valuable [NFP publications](#) like these:

- [Not-for-Profit Entities: Audit and Accounting Guide](#)
- [Not-for-Profit Entities Industry Developments - Audit Risk Alert](#)
- [Not-for-Profit Entities: Checklists and Illustrative Financial Statements](#)
- [Not-for-Profit Entities: Best Practices in Presentation and Disclosure](#)
- Bonus: Get 20% off a full year of access to the [Not-for-Profit Accounting and Auditing Set](#), which includes online versions of all four publications listed above. By purchasing the online versions, you’ll have access to new editions as soon as they become available in the store.

Network and share knowledge with other NFP industry professionals.

NFP Section members receive \$50 off registration for the AICPA [NFP Industry Conference](#), [Governmental and Not-for-Profit Training Program](#), and other [NFP-related conferences](#).

Test your knowledge.

The Association offers knowledge checks and targeted learning resources. Visit our [Competency and Learning](#) website to test your knowledge and explore your learning options.

Newsletters

When you join, you will receive a complimentary subscription to our [e-Alerts](#). Be among the first to know when standard-setters and regulatory agencies issue new guidance that affects NFPs — and how to anticipate the impact of such changes. We'll also alert you about our free webcasts and other important events. Be sure to add the email address NFPSection@e.aicpa.org to your list of “safe senders” so you don't miss these communications.

Community

Get connected through our interactive, members-only [LinkedIn group](#), visit our [Facebook group](#), tweet using the #AICPAnfp hashtag, and explore other opportunities to get involved with the NFP Section, collaborate with peers, and share knowledge and insights.

Would you like to serve on the Not-for-Profit Resource Group? We need volunteers to submit ideas for new tools, resources, and webcasts and provide feedback through surveys and focus groups. As opportunities arise, volunteers will be contacted by NFP Section staff regarding specific activities. Please contact us at NFPSection@aicpa.org if you're interested.

NFP Staff and Advisory Council

The AICPA Not-for-Profit Section gratefully acknowledges the contributions of the [Not-for-Profit Advisory Council](#), their firms, and their organizations. Our members benefit from their contributions of time and effort to develop the tools, resources, webcasts, and other content available for NFP Section members.

Our mission as [NFP Technical Staff](#) is to deliver nonprofit resources and tools to help professionals—like you!—serve not-for-profits as valued leaders and business advisors. We want to hear from you. Please [contact us](#) if you have any questions about your membership benefits.

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