

COA DUES REFERENCE GUIDE

2019 AOA & COA Dues Investment Schedule

Membership Level	AOA Annual	COA Annual	Local Society Annual*	Total Annual **	Total Monthly**
Grad Year (Student)	\$0	\$0	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$2.50
Post-Grad Residency	\$35.00	\$0	\$30.00	\$65.00	\$5.42
1 st Year Post-Grad	\$96.00	\$120.40	\$30.00	\$246.40	\$20.54
2 nd Year Post-Grad	\$192.00	\$240.79	\$30.00	\$462.79	\$38.57
3 rd Year Post-Grad	\$480.00	\$601.98	\$30.00	\$1,111.98	\$92.67
4 th Year Post-Grad	\$720.00	\$902.97	\$30.00	\$1,652.97	\$137.75
5 th + Year Post-Grad	\$960.00	\$1,203.96	\$30.00	\$2,193.96	\$182.83
Partial Practice (16 hrs/wk or less)	\$576.00	\$722.38	\$30.00	\$1,328.38	\$110.70

*Members may choose to opt-out of local society dues payments. Members who opt out of local society dues payments forfeit access to local society events and information. COA must receive the request to opt-out in writing by January 31.

**Membership is based on calendar year and the total amount is due in full unless otherwise indicated. For member convenience, COA allows monthly payments. To switch to monthly payments, please contact coa@visioncare.org.

Payment Options

The COA offers a variety of ways to pay your dues. Members enrolled in annual or automatic monthly ACH payments receive a 5% discount on the COA portion of dues. Please see page 2 for discounted dues investment schedule and qualifying categories.

1. Pay your annual dues in full by check or credit card (5% discount will apply). Payment must be received no later than January 31st of the calendar year to receive discount.
2. Sign up for monthly ACH withdraws from your bank account (5% discount will apply).
3. Set up a recurring monthly credit card payment using a PayPal subscription.
4. Mail a check for your monthly dues amount to the COA office by the 1st day of each month.
5. Pay online with a credit card through your profile on the COA website.

Contributions or gifts to the American and Colorado Optometric Associations (AOA and COA) are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. However, they may be tax deductible as ordinary business expenses subject to restrictions imposed as a result of association lobbying activities. The non-deductible portion of your 2019 dues (the portion that is allocable to lobbying) is estimated to be 12.0%.

2019 Dues with 5% COA Dues Discount for Annual & Monthly ACH Payments

Please note that Grad Year and Post-Grad Residency dues levels do not qualify for 5% discount.

Membership Level	AOA Annual	COA Annual (incl. 5% discount)	Local Society Annual*	Total Annual (incl. 5% discount) **	Total Monthly (incl. 5% discount) **
1 st Year Post-Grad	\$96.00	\$114.38	\$30.00	\$240.38	\$20.03
2 nd Year Post-Grad	\$192.00	\$228.75	\$30.00	\$450.75	\$37.57
3 rd Year Post-Grad	\$480.00	\$571.88	\$30.00	\$1,081.88	\$90.16
4 th Year Post-Grad	\$720.00	\$857.82	\$30.00	\$1,607.82	\$133.99
5 th + Year Post-Grad	\$960.00	\$1,143.76	\$30.00	\$2,133.76	\$177.81
Partial Practice (16 hrs/wk or less)	\$576.00	\$686.26	\$30.00	\$1,292.26	\$107.69

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