

Greater Puget Sound Chapter
Association for Healthcare Documentation Integrity
(formerly American Association for Medical Transcription)
Membership Application

Name: _____ / _____ **Not Year!!**
Last First Birth MONTH / DAY

Mailing address

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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Home phone _____ Alternate phone _____

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E-mail address _____ Fax _____

AHDI (formerly AAMT) membership number _____ Expiration date _____

Referred by _____

AHDI current rates: Student: \$55 Post-Graduate: \$85 Practitioner: \$135 Sustaining: \$63

AHDI membership (separate payment) is a requirement for the rates shown below

Please attach a copy of your membership card.

Student: \$15 per year. Students are applicants who are enrolled in a 9 month or 2 semester (or the second year of an 18-24 month) MT program. Students are not paid for doing medical transcription. This membership category has a 2 year limit.

_____ / _____
School/Program Name Graduation date

Postgraduate: \$15 per year. Postgraduates are applicants who have graduated from a medical transcription program. This category has a 1 year limit.

_____ / _____
School/Program Name Graduation date

Practitioner: \$40 per year.

Are you a CMT? Yes / No _____

AHDI national membership is NOT required to join GPSC as LOCAL member ONLY

LOCAL CHAPTER ONLY (non-AHDI): \$60 per year. (Student, Post-graduate, and Practitioner)

Please make your check payable to: **GPSC**

Applications and checks can be mailed or given to:

Brenda Gonzalez, 16120 2nd Place W, Lynnwood, WA 98087 mtbrenda02@yahoo.com

Please **circle** your choice in each of the following three paragraphs:

I *will / will not* allow my **address or phone number** to be listed in the **GPSC membership roster**. Our roster is clearly marked that it is only to be used for GPSC members and official GPSC communications. Commercial use is strictly prohibited.

I *will / will not* allow my **birth date (day and month ONLY)** to be published in the Sounding Board (the GPSC bimonthly newsletter) when birthdays are listed for celebratory purposes.

I *will / will not* allow my **name (only)** to be used, along with other GPSC members, in newspapers, flyers, and/or various articles, for MT Week and/or additional public relations announcements.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please complete both sides of this application

“Contributions or gifts to state/regional associations are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. However, they may be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses.”

Official use only:

Check number: _____

Amount: _____

Roster: _____

Sounding Board _____

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GPSC has various committees which may peak your interest. Our committees are structured with a chairperson who works closely with a board member, committee members, and back-ups. Many hands make light work, and as such, no one bears full responsibility for committee related projects.

Please take a moment to review the following opportunities and mark anything you would like to participate in. Committee chairs will contact you to further discuss opportunities and answer any questions you may have.

_____ **Communications:**

- *Assist with maintaining and updating the GPSC web site
- *Assist with maintaining the Yahoo! e-group.

_____ **Hospitality:**

- *Assist with bringing hostess goodies to general meetings.
- *Assist with setting up for and cleaning up after general meetings, and special programs such as student night.
- *Assist with maintaining the hospitality storage box, ensuring adequate supplies are available.

_____ **Membership:**

- *Assist the committee chair at the sign-in desk at general meetings.
- *Assist with correspondence. All materials are supplied.
- *Assist with occasional phone calls.

_____ **Newsletter:**

- *Every other month assist with folding, stamping/labeling. Possibly transport newsletters to the post office.

_____ **Nominations:**

- *Assist with calling prospective practitioner board members as requested by the committee chair.
- *Assist with formatting and mailing ballots to the membership.
- *Assist with tallying the votes.

_____ **Program/Continuing Education**

- *Assist in planning programs and obtaining speakers. (All members are encouraged to offer suggestions.)
- *Assist with formatting and emailing the continuing education credit forms for the membership.
- *Assist in obtaining speaker gifts.

_____ **Public Relations:**

- *Assist in educating the community about GPSC and its programs.

_____ **Signage:**

- *Place directional signs before general meetings, symposium, student night, and special programs. Store signs and banners between usage.

_____ **Student Night:**

- *Assist in educating prospective MTs about the medical transcription profession.
- *Assist with other committees such as hospitality for student night.

_____ **Symposium:**

- *Assist at the sign-in table.
- *Hostess – assist in helping to make everyone feel welcome.
- *Contribute ideas regarding program, decorations, raffle, etc. Make it happen!

_____ **Ways and Means:**

- *Assist with obtaining door prizes.
- *Assist with phone calls to prospective donors.
- *Assist with thank-you notes.

Thank you!