



Friend Membership Agreement FY 18-19 (July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019)

Signature to this agreement indicates the commitment of _____
to support the San Francisco Family Support Network (SFFSN) and its mission as a member.

Membership Benefits*

All friend members receive:

1. Special member rates for trainings on promoting best practices and evidence-based frameworks in family strengthening and support. Certain trainings are eligible for Continuing Education Units (CEU).
2. Special member rates for technical assistance and individual consultation.
3. Opportunities to network and share information with other Family Support stakeholders through meetings, special networking events, and exclusive access to SFFSN Membership Contact List.
4. Collective action efforts on key issues impacting families.
5. Updated information relevant to working with San Francisco families.
6. Access to SFFSN job and resource board through SFFSN electronic newsletter, Facebook page, and website.
7. Access to SFFSN Member Lending Library of Family Support resources.
8. The ability to give input and vote at SFFSN meetings through representation and participation in SFFSN committees
9. Exclusive access to:
 - a. Updated documentation of trainings and certifications for SFFSN agency members.
 - b. Online resources and toolkits
 - c. SFFSN Member Citywide Coordinated Event Calendar
 - d. SFFSN Member only Newsletter including events and job postings
 - e. SFFSN Committee Updates
 - f. SFFSN Blog, podcasts, and videos

*Benefits subject to change based on program needs

Membership Expectations

1. Participate in at least 3 out of the 4 quarterly All Member meetings.
2. Understand, value, and implement the Standards of Quality for Family Strengthening & Support.
3. Ensure that both key management and direct service staff are trained and maintain current certification on the various SFFSN training series.
4. Work together with all Family Support stakeholders with mutual respect and cooperation.
5. Share relevant information, resources, and expertise with other members.

community based organizations, and parents - across different kinds of Family Strengthening and Family Support programs as a tool for planning, providing, and assessing quality practice.

The Standards are organized into 5 sections with 17 standards, each with minimum and high quality indicators and implementation examples:

1. Family Centeredness

Working with a family-centered approach that values and recognizes families as integral to the Program.

2. Family Strengthening

Utilizing a family strengthening approach to support families to be strong, healthy, and safe, thereby promoting their optimal development.

3. Embracing Diversity

Acknowledging and respecting families’ diversity, supporting their participation in a diverse society, as well as engaging in ongoing learning and adaptation to diversity.

4. Community Building

Contributing to building a strong and healthy community by facilitating families’ social connections, developing their leadership skills, and by collaborating with other Programs.

5. Evaluation

Looking at areas of Program strength, as well as areas for further development, in order to guide continuous quality improvement and achieve positive results for families.

Visit www.cnfsn.org to download the Standards and their accompanying implementation tools free of charge and access additional information.

Affiliate Membership Dues

Organization Budget Size FY 18-19	Yearly Dues	Check √
\$3 million and up	\$500	
\$1 million-\$2,999,999	\$250	
\$200,000-\$999,999	\$100	
Under \$200,000	\$50	

Please note: Membership dues are based on organization’s total budget size.

E-mail List Sign Up

Please list the contact information for all staff you would like to be on the SFFSN e-mail list to receive updates and information about SFFSN activities. Please include additional names on a separate sheet.

<i>Staff Person Name</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Phone</i>	<i>E-mail address</i>
<i>Agency Primary Contact:</i>			

Please feel free to email list or attach a second page if needed.