# National Council on Independent Living Logo: Graphic features a multi-colored fingerprint.

Member Benefits

## Membership for Organizations

* Unlimited postings to the NCIL job board + accompanying social media posts
* Priority for NCIL funding opportunities
* Steep discounts on conference registration
* Recognition as a member organization in NCIL’s Directory of Independent Living organizations
* Access to members-only communications, including external funding opportunities
* Personalized advice on organizing and advocacy strategies
* Exclusive technical assistance for organizations and customized training at a reduced rate
* Voting: Member organizations vote elect the Board of Directors and provide direct input into the policies that govern our day-to-day and long-term objectives, ensuring our focus remains on the priorities of the advocates we serve
* Weighted voting for CILs and SILCs: Members CILs and SILCs votes are weighted x 10 on all elections and ballots
* Opportunities to provide input to help inform NCIL’s advocacy and public policy agenda
* Partner Perks for organizations
* PLUS, the ability to register your organization’s entire board and staff as Associate members at no additional cost with NCIL’s new Associate membership category!

## Associate Membership

## New benefit!

NCIL’s new Associate membership is a benefit for member organizations and includes all of the benefits of individual membership except voting privileges. Associate membership is available for all board members and staff of organizations holding a current NCIL membership.

## Individual Membership

* Steep discounts on conference registration
* Access to members-only communications
* Committee Membership – Individual and Associate members have the exclusive opportunity to join NCIL committees
* Opportunities to provide input to help inform NCIL’s advocacy and public policy agenda
* Exclusive training and technical assistance for individual advocates
* Voting: Member organizations vote elect the Board of Directors and provide direct input into the policies that govern our day-to-day and long-term objectives, ensuring our focus remains on the priorities of the advocates we serve
* Individual members are eligible to serve on NCIL’s Governing board if they meet all other eligibility criteria and are elected by the NCIL membership
* Partner Perks for individuals

The collective power of NCIL is charging communities, states, the country and the world. May the voices of people with disabilities continue to unite!

- Judy Heumann



My long time membership has proved an exceptional opportunity to network, present a united front in national initiatives, and advocate as a coalition for system change!

- Charlotte Stewart