

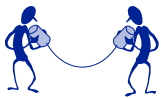
Colorado Funeral Directors Association Member Benefits



Who Are Our Members?

Membership in CFDA is available to any funeral establishment or crematory registered by the State of Colorado.

What Do Our Members Receive?



Communications — which include a monthly email news bulletin, industry information and compliance materials, and a fax broadcasting system to alert members of issues needing immediate action.



Education — that includes an annual convention, seminars, regional meetings and sessions to explain new laws or changes in funeral service as they occur.



Legislative & Advocacy Program — that involves active lobbying and grassroots networking with members at the local level and liaison with legislators and regulatory agencies.



Certification— a voluntary program to promote high professional standards for individuals who practice funeral service in Colorado.



CFDA Master Trust — preneed trust fund management with 100% compliance with all state laws and regulations offering complete security for both consumers and funeral directors.



Web Presence — a listing on the association's Web site in a consumer searchable database



Classified Ads — free listing on the association's Web site to post job openings, announcements or sales of funeral merchandise.

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It is the mission of the Colorado Funeral Directors Association to advance the economic and professional interests of Colorado's funeral directors and the service they represent.

In the fulfillment of its mission, the CFDA will continue as a centralized information source, technologically advanced, focused and financially responsible. It will elect and maintain a diverse leadership representative in experience, geography and employment environment.

- **Membership:** It will promote collegueship and friendship. It will provide value to its members and to the citizens they serve and will continuously promote the benefits of belonging. It will reach out and be attractive to all entities and individuals involved in funeral service.
- **Communications:** It will communicate with its members and allied associations and serve as a link to the world outside of funeral service. It will provide information, maintain a statewide communications system for emergency messaging, and will maintain a professional and educational network.
- **Education:** It will create continuing and concentrated education opportunities and promote professional development. It will be the funeral service resource center for Colorado.
- **Political and Public Awareness & Social Interaction:** It will speak on behalf of funeral service and seek unity among members and all elements of the profession and provide information to the public on the importance and role of funeral service in society. It will promote harmony among those in funeral service through the utilization and development of social opportunities and by encouraging working relationships.
- **Standards and Ethics:** It will maintain its commitment to high professional standards and continue its support of the Colorado Funeral Service Board. Through cooperation and voluntary action, it will monitor itself and be accountable to the public it serves. It will demonstrate the highest level of service.

The CFDA exists to serve its members through education, collaboration, resources and representation. The association is supported primarily through annual membership dues.

Membership in the CFDA is critical to maintain the strength, credibility and resources needed to represent and serve the funeral profession throughout the next year and in the future.