



## 2006 HEAL Coalition National Associate Fee Structure and Application

(July 1, 2006 – June 30, 2007)

### Qualifications for National Associate Participation

A National Associate is any nationally-recognized membership-based association, agency, or organization that:

- Represents the interests of proprietary institutions of higher education offering allied health programs and the allied health professionals they educate;
- Seeks to influence the development and advancement of federal policies promoting allied health professions; and/or
- Is an entity that is actively engaged in the broader health care policy debate, who also supports the interests of proprietary institutions of higher education offering allied health programs and the allied health professionals they educate.

### National Associate Fee Structure

Number of Members	Fee per Member	Fee Range	Maximum Fee
1	\$10,000.00	N/A	\$10,000.00
2 – 1000+	\$ 50.00	\$10,050-\$50,000	\$50,000.00

### National Associate Fees Calculation

In order to determine the annual dues for a National Associate, please complete the simple fee calculator below, filling in your association's membership information where applicable. If your fees exceed the maximum fee of \$50,000, your fees are \$50,000.

$$\$10,000 + (\$50.00 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \$ \underline{\hspace{2cm}}) = \$ \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad (\text{Max. } \$50,000)$$

Total Membership

### National Associate Information

Association Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Website/URL \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary HEAL Coalition Contact**

Note: This designee will receive all HEAL Coalition information, mailings, and alerts, as well as any fee information. Therefore, we highly recommend that this contact be a high-ranking association official (i.e. Executive Director, President, CEO).

\_\_\_\_ Dr. \_\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_\_ Mrs. \_\_\_\_ Ms.  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_

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Mailing Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip  
Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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**National Associate Benefits**

The HEAL Coalition recognizes and supports the vital role that National Associates play in promoting the interests of proprietary institutions of higher education offering allied health programs and the allied health professionals they educate. We look forward to partnering with you as together we work to promote the interests of the institutions and students that comprise your membership and ours.

The HEAL Coalition is eager to partner with our National Associates and is committed to ensuring that your support of this coalition and its participants provides value for your association through collaboration and the promotion of common goals and interests. Outlined below are just some of the benefits to you as a National Associate of HEAL.

- *Access & Information*

HEAL Coalition National Associates will be given access to the password-protected sections of the HEAL website, providing proprietary information on all relevant issues, strategies, and actions taken by the coalition on behalf of proprietary institutions of higher education offering allied health programs and the allied health professionals they educate.

- *Effective, Time Sensitive Communications*

Time-sensitive information, action alerts, and updates will be shared with HEAL National Associates via email and listserv in “real-time,” ensuring that your association is always aware of the current activities in Washington impacting proprietary institutions of higher education offering allied health programs and the allied health professionals they educate.

- *Participation & Involvement*

HEAL Coalition National Associates will also be invited to regularly scheduled meetings, policy briefings, and strategy sessions as appropriate and necessary. HEAL

anticipates the formation of several focus groups and/or ad hoc committees centered around specific disciplines, programs, and issues. HEAL will look to our National and State Associates to take an active role in working with these groups/committees, enabling us to benefit from the shared knowledge, collective wisdom, and expertise of our Associate coalition partners.

**Method of Fee Payment**

Please make your check payable to “HEAL Coalition” and mail the check and an original copy of this completed application form to:

HEAL Coalition  
1615 L Street, NW ~ Suite 650  
Washington, DC 20036

**Questions**

If you have any questions regarding the completion of this form, please contact Tom E. Netting, HEAL Coalition Executive Director, at (202) 626-8553.

**Thank you for joining! We look forward to working with you to ensure that the interests of proprietary institutions of higher education offering programs in allied health, and the needs of your students, have a voice with both the Legislative and Executive Branches!**