



## **Becoming a Member of LPA**

**This is for NEW applicants only. If you are already a member of LPA, please ignore this. Membership is 1 year (12 months) - For members who joined in January 2025, your renewal date will be January 2026. You do not need to renew now**

### **Being a member of LPA means:**

- 1- Belonging to a major association for mental health that has memorandum of understandings with the American Psychological Association and the International Union of Psychological Sciences and being part of a network of psychologists where information and opportunities are shared.
- 2- Being part of a network of people who share similar interests in mental health.
- 3- Benefitting from discounts or free access to workshops and lectures organized by LPA or by associations and entities that collaborate with LPA.
- 4- Getting access to activities exclusive to LPA members.
- 5- Organizing trainings with certified training centers for LPA members.
- 6- Getting listed on the website of LPA (for full professional members only).
- 7- Being actively involved in LPA activities such as giving talks and workshops to other LPA members as well as individuals interested in psychology.
- 8- Getting a platform where one can present their research or find help and support for research projects.
- 9- Creating study and research groups for future psychologists and other mental health professionals.
- 10- Remaining informed about events and news related to mental health in Lebanon and in the world.

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## LPA's Membership Categories

**The membership is ANNUAL (lasts 12 months): June 1<sup>st</sup> 2025 to May 31<sup>st</sup> 2026**

**Please note that the membership fees have increased a bit to keep up with the inflation**

**Category A1-Full Professional Members** (Psychologists who already have a master or a doctoral degree)

**65\$ +2\$ Bank/WHISH commission, total = 67\$**

**Category A2-Graduate Students Members\*** (Masters and Doctoral students currently enrolled in a graduate program) **45\$ +2\$ Bank/Whish commission, total = 47\$**

**Category A3-Undergraduate Student Members\*** (Holders of a bachelor degree in psychology; those who have already earned a bachelor's degree in psychology but still have not started a graduate program) as well as students who are currently enrolled in undergrad PSYCHOLOGY program)

**35\$ +2\$ Bank/WHISH commission, total = 37\$**

**\*PS: a letter from the university stating that you are currently enrolled as a student is a must for categories A2 and A3**

**If you are not a psychologist but you are interested in being part of the association to benefit from its activities and workshops you can apply to category "Friends of LPA"**

**Category Friends of LPA** (Non-psychologists and non-psychology students) **45\$ +2\$ Bank/WHISH commission, total = 47\$**

To check which category you qualify for, for please visit: <https://lpa.org.lb/index/join-lpa/>

On that page you will also find a lot of information on LPA membership. We urge you to visit it now.

**At this point do NOT make any payment !!!**

**First, your application needs to be reviewed and approved**

**Follow LPA's Instagram Account where we post everything @LPALEBANON**



## The Application Process

To join LPA as a member, send an email to [LPALEBANONMEMBERSHIP@GMAIL.COM](mailto:LPALEBANONMEMBERSHIP@GMAIL.COM)

**Please read carefully and follow the instructions below**

Please include the following in the email:

- 1- First and Last Name ex: Tala Sader (No middle name, no father name, no second last name)  
**(Please use 1 last name only, not 2)**
- 2- Business Phone number (with country code if you live outside Lebanon)
- 3- Your business email (Plz avoid **HOTMAIL** addresses and addresses with **.edu.lb**). **Email addresses with extensions: @aub.edu or @hotmail.com or @lau.edu or @ndu.edu or @usj.edu are NOT allowed as they cause a glitch in the system and you won't receive emails from LPA. We have had bad experience with those extensions and we do not recommend you use them for your LPA application. It is preferred you give us an email such @yahoo.com or @gmail.com or @live.com or @icloud.com**
- 4- Mention the country where you mainly live in
- 5- Colored scans (**Not photography**) of your National Identity (ID) Card (Both sides) **or** passport's main page (Not both). Ekhraj Ed in case none of the above 2 were available.
- 6- All your university degrees  
(Only university **degrees** such as Bachelor's (Referred to as "License" in French), Master, Doctorate. Do not send certifications, Certifications are NOT considered degrees)
- 7- State which category you are applying for (A1 or A2 or A3 or Friends of LPA). Make sure you qualify for the category you are applying for (Check above criteria to see which category you fit in). For categories A2 and A3 **a letter from the university stating that you are currently enrolled as a student is a must !**
- 8- If you wish to be part of one or more divisions, please state in your email which division(s) you would like to be part of (10\$ per division).  
PS: Divisions are only available for Categories A1 and A2 (See above membership categories). See list of Divisions below. **Category A3 members and Friends of LPA are not able to apply to be a member in Divisions.**

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## Join an LPA Division !

You can adhere to any number of Divisions. There is no limit. It's 15\$ per division. You can apply to 0, 1 or 2 or 3 or ... any number of Divisions (up to 8). For example if you choose to adhere to 3 divisions, you would be charged an extra 45\$ (3x15\$).

The  
**Lebanese  
Psychological  
Association**  
is proud to  
announce its 7 new  
divisions:

**Division 1: Clinical Psychology**  
**Division 2: Educational Psychology**  
**Division 3: Counseling Psychology**  
**Division 4: Psychoanalytical Psychology**  
**Division 5: Research Psychology & Academia**  
**Division 6: Research Neuropsychology & Neurosciences**  
**Division 7: Psychology of Sexuality and Gender Diversity**

**More divisions  
to be announced soon**

info@lpa.org.lb @lpaebanon www.lpa.org.lb

**Division 8 has been added recently: Division of Eating Disorders**

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## **At this point do NOT make any payment !!!**

Your application needs to be reviewed first and we will send you an email once it is approved with the exact amount to be paid at the bank.

**DO NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENTS NOW ! The payments will take place in June.**

We will start sending confirmation emails starting first week of June. **Not before then.** We kindly ask you to kindly be patient. Once you receive the confirmation email you have till June 31st to make the payment which will be at any Audi Bank branch or by WHISH. We will notify you which WHISH number to send the amount to if you prefer WHISH as your payment method. We will also give you the IBAN number of LPA's bank account if you prefer to pay at the bank.

PS: Someone can make the payment for you, you don't have to go yourself. **But for now we kindly ask you not to make any payments anyway. Payments will be done AFTER you receive an approval email in June.**

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Kindly submit the information to the following address:

**LPALEBANONMEMBERSHIP@GMAIL.COM .**

Once the application is reviewed and approved (we will reply to you by the first week of June) and we let you know when to make the payment. Please do not expect a reply before June 6th.

Thank you for your patience and for your understanding. For any questions please do not hesitate to send us a WhatsApp message or WhatsApp call at 70982176 or by email at [info@lpa.org.lb](mailto:info@lpa.org.lb).

Regards

**The Lebanese Psychological Association**

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**For questions please send an email to [info@lpa.org.lb](mailto:info@lpa.org.lb)**

**[www.lpa.org.lb](http://www.lpa.org.lb)**