



# Member benefits

|  | Accredited Medical Sonographer                              | Accredited Student   | Associate  | **Leave of Absence  | Overseas   | *** Retired   |
|--|---|--|--|---|--|---|
|  | A person eligible for accreditation with the ASAR or NZMRTB | Someone undertaking an accredited sonography course and not working as an accredited medical sonographer | Someone with an active interest in diagnostic medical sonography | A person taking an extended period of leave, i.e. maternity or extended medical leave | A practising sonographer who resides outside of Aus and NZ | Someone eligible for Accredited Medical Sonographer membership but no longer practising |
| Australian Residents   | \$499   | free   | \$398  | \$216   | \$216  | \$112   |
| New Zealand Residents  | \$453.64  | free   | \$361.82   | \$196.36  |  | \$101.82  |
| ASA Group Liabilities Insurance (optional)*  | \$277   | \$277  | –  | –   | –  | –   |
| Unlimited phone/email support from Member Services team  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Online learning including live webinars, on-demand webinars, CPD tests, presentations and course modules | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Free attendance at Branch Meetings   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | –  | ✓   |
| Opportunities to attend Branch Workshops   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | –  | ✓   |
| Opportunities to attend Travelling Workshops   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | –  | ✓   |
| Member rates to the ASA's Annual International Conference  | ✓   | ✓  | –  | –   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Member rates to SIG Days   | ✓   | ✓  | –  | –   | ✓  | –   |
| Member-only podcasts, convenient access to learning anytime, anywhere                                    | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Member-only App providing quick access to resources, news, podcasts and events                           | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Unlimited access to our advocacy and policy experts  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Notifications of current sonography guidelines and research  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Print edition of scientific journal - <i>Sonography</i>  | ✓   | –  | –  | –   | –  | –   |
| Digital edition of scientific journal - <i>Sonography</i>  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Access to research summaries – <i>Making Waves in Sonography Research</i>                                | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| E-publications <i>cross section</i> and <i>soundeffects news</i>   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Eligible for nomination – Awards of Excellence and Pru Pratten Memorial Lifetime Achievement Award       | ✓   | ✓  | –  | ✓   | –  | ✓   |
| Eligible to apply for Fellowship and Associate Fellowship recognition                                    | ✓   | –  | –  | –   | –  | –   |
| Member-only access to career opportunities and job vacancies   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | ✓  | ✓   |
| Invitations to volunteer and gain professional development   | ✓   | ✓  | ✓  | ✓   | –  | ✓   |
| Voting rights  | ✓   | –  | –  | –   | –  | –   |

\* Insurance including professional indemnity and public and products liability insurance covering individuals covers individuals employed under an individual employment contract, or self-employed contractor, sole traders and/or Pty Ltd companies contracting their services providing the member is the only employee of the entity providing sonography services, with anticipated earnings of up to \$300,000 per annum gross.

\*\* Leave of Absence category is only available to existing ASA members who are taking an extended period of leave ie. Maternity leave, or extended medical leave. Supporting documentation must be provided.

\*\*\* CPD points for the retired category are not issued.

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