



The American Association of Psychotherapists (AAP) was formed to provide credentialing, standards of practice, professional identity, and self-regulation for behavioral health consultants.

The purpose of the American Association of Psychotherapists (AAP) is to establish a cohesive national organization that credentials ethical, highly educated and well-trained consultants. The AAP provides members with opportunities to connect with one another. The common goal of AAP is to maintain a level of collaboration which is of great value to individuals and society.

The AAP is concerned with establishing guidelines, promoting education and training, confirming the professional identity of the members, educating the public about the benefits of behavioral health interventions, providing networking and resource development.

The AAP is a professional and educational organization that is dedicated to the growth and enhancement of the behavioral health profession.

The AAP represents various disciplines including researchers, educators, lawyers, clinicians, consultants and care partners as its members.



Day	Hours
Monday	9:00am – 6:00pm
Tuesday	9:00am – 6:00pm
Wednesday	9:00am – 6:00pm
Thursday	9:00am – 6:00pm
Friday	9:00am – 6:00pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

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Psychotherapists**  
*A Union of Compassion & Healing*



**The AAP exists to develop and implement a comprehensive network which provides professional resources, training opportunities and professional support for its members and care partners.**

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## Our Strategy and Guiding Principles

To provide credentialing, standards of practice, professional identity, and self-regulation for behavioral health profession.

To establish guidelines, promote education and training, confirm the professional identity of the members, educate the public about behavioral health, and provide networking and resource development.

To establish a cohesive national organization that credentials ethical, highly educated and well-trained behavioral health professionals.

To provide members with opportunities to associate with one another and maintain a tradition which is of great value to individuals and society as a whole.

To enhance the public perception of behavioral health professionals.

To bring together professionals from a variety of disciplines to provide a reliable, credible forum for ethical and professional standards for those professionals.



## Membership Credentials

### Regular Membership

**Fee:** \$25

### Behavior Manager Certificate

#### Behavior Manager

**Fee:** \$100

### Board Certifications

#### Board Certified Professional Counselor

**Fee:** \$165



## Code of Ethics

*The Behavioral Health Professional* provides care with respect for human dignity and the uniqueness of the individual, regardless of their social or economic status, personal attributes or the nature/degree of disability. *The Behavioral Health Professional* acts to safeguard a client's right to privacy/dignity. *The Behavioral Health Professional* maintains professional competency through continuing education.

*The Behavioral Health Professional* participates in the profession's efforts to establish and maintain conditions of employment conducive to quality mental health care.

*The Behavioral Health Professional* participates in the profession's effort to protect the public from misinformation and misrepresentation and to maintain the integrity of mental health care.

*The Behavioral Health Professional* collaborates with members of the health professions and other citizens in promoting community and national efforts to meet the mental health needs of the public.