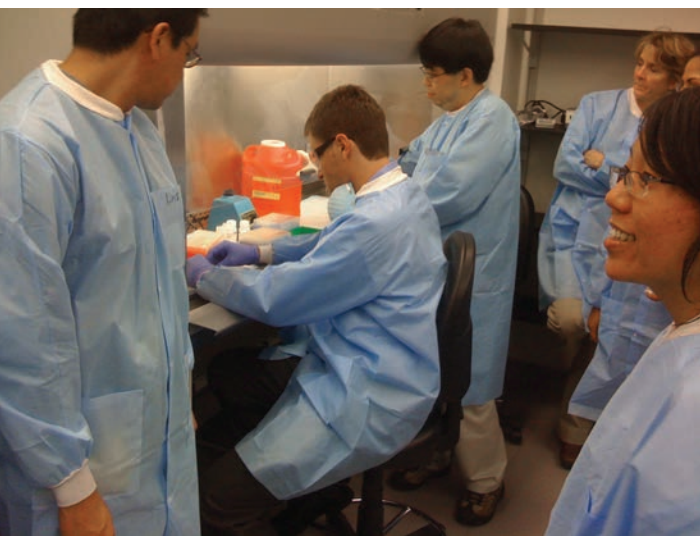




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# MEMBER BENEFITS

## Student Members

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### Communications

- *Lab Matters*, APHL's quarterly magazine
- *APHL eUpdate*, a weekly electronic newsletter
- Scientific and promotional publications
- Regular emails with timely information

### Resources

- Access to member only content on our portal, My APHL
- Member Resource Center: submit or search for model practices
- Online career center: job postings
- Meet and network with professionals in the public health laboratory field

### Education

- Deeply discounted conferences and trainings
- Subject-specific technical conferences

### Participation

- APHL Annual Meeting member discounts
- National awards program
- Member collaboration tools (e.g., listservs, web boards, online work spaces)
- Participate in select committees
- Volunteer opportunities to work to increase laboratory capacity in developing countries
- Speak from the floor at the APHL Annual Meeting

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## ADVOCACY

Your voice is united with other laboratorians working for the public's health, as APHL speaks out on your behalf. APHL's public policy campaigns have resulted in new laboratory workforce and education funding opportunities in the recent health reform law. APHL also publishes issue briefs to educate legislators at all levels about critical public health threats and the laboratory's role in detection, monitoring and resolution.

## TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

APHL offers survey data, technical documents and subject-specific meetings. As more labs implement laboratory information management systems (LIMS), APHL provides member labs with technical assistance to help ensure interoperability.

## CONNECTION

APHL is a major hub of information delivery to laboratories from key federal agencies like the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and US Department of Agriculture (USDA). Email alerts will advise you of critical information, while a weekly e-Update newsbrief summarizes APHL's activities on your behalf.

## ADVANCEMENT

APHL's National Center for Public Health Laboratory Leadership provides numerous leadership education and training opportunities, as well as technical assistance. APHL offers a multitude of opportunities to serve on committees and workgroups.

## EDUCATION

APHL members enjoy discounted registration to APHL's Annual Meeting, the only event dedicated to laboratory work in the interest of public health. APHL offers affordable training with CEUs through teleconferences and online courses, in addition to workshops and courses offered through the National Laboratory Training Network (NLTN).

## EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

APHL is your "Crisis Central," providing updated algorithms, emergency training, recall advisories, call-in events and email alerts during outbreaks and public health events. APHL stays connected to the CDC, the FDA, the Department of Homeland Security, the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the EPA, so you receive clear information as soon as it is possible.

## RECOGNITION

APHL recognizes the work that you do. Each year, your colleagues can nominate you for one of several awards for excellence. You'll also have many opportunities to present posters, papers and best practices to your peers and other public health professionals at APHL conferences.

## INFLUENCE

APHL provides the means for laboratorians to shape policy, planning and technology. APHL members learn of new technology in development and have opportunities to contribute their expert understanding of issues and requirements, ensuring that tools of the future function both efficiently and effectively.

## APHL MISSION

Shape national and global health outcomes by promoting the value and contributions of public health laboratories and continuously improving the public health laboratory system and practice.

## APHL VISION

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FIRST NAME M.I. LAST NAME DEGREE(S)

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE NAME CITY/STATE

STUDENT ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP COUNTRY

PHONE EMAIL ADDRESS

## Academic Status

Undergraduate  Part-Time Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate  Full-Time Academic Major: \_\_\_\_\_

I am including proof of enrollment as required for student membership  
(i.e., copy of my student ID with term dates, unofficial transcript)

## Employment Status

Part-Time  Full-Time  N/A

Employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

## DUES

### Student Member Dues: \$35 per year

New student members receive a free 60-day membership trial!  
Membership is based on a July 1 to June 30 year.

### How did you hear about APHL's membership program?

- Email/Mail Promotion  
 APHL Website  
 APHL/NLTN Conference or Workshop  
 Colleague \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Method of Payment *Payment is due with the completed application.*

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