

NAI Credits

NAI Credits are earned by referring new members to the association and completing reviews for the certification department. NAI Credits are a membership benefit of the National Association for Interpretation.

NAI Credits can be used by the owner to fully pay or partially pay the following: membership renewal, conference registration (national events only), webinar registration, store orders, certification/recertification fees, professional certification and other NAI training courses, and independent instructor shipping fees.

Not applicable for CIG/CIH instructor fees.

Credits can also be donated by the individual to buy a gift membership or conference registration (national events only) for another person. Donations must be submitted by the owner of the credits.

As credits are earned by an individual for an individual activity, credits will only be applied to individual accounts and are not available to company memberships or company/organization accounts receivable.

NAI Credits have no cash value and are non-transferable.

Ways to Earn Credits

NAI Credits can only be earned by current NAI members.

For each new member* you referred to the association, a current NAI member can earn the following:

- Commercial Plus Members = \$20.00
- Commercial Standard Members = \$15.00
- Institutional Standard Members = \$12.00
- Consultant Members = \$10.00
- Professional Members = \$5.00
- Retired/Seasonal/Volunteer Members = \$4.00
- Student Members = \$3.00

*New members are defined as anyone joining the association who has not previously been a member, has not attended an event sponsored by NAI, or has not been an active member in the last 5 years.

To receive credit for the new members you refer, you will need to make sure your name is included in the referred by line on the membership application (printed or online).

Members who currently hold professional certifications can earn NAI Credits by completing reviews for the certification department. Reviewers can earn the following:

- \$3-\$10 per packet reviewed
- \$3 bonus credits for turning in review of packet within two weeks of receiving it.

Declining NAI Credits

If a member wishes to not be a part of the program, they can simply decline to receive credits. Any credits currently on their account would be used instead to support NAI programs and services for the field.

How Many NAI Credits do I have?

Soon your credits will appear automatically on your My Account page, for now you will need to contact the NAI office to find out how many credits you have available.

How to Use NAI Credits

NAI Credits can be used over the phone or via email. Just contact the certification or membership department to use credits.

Our website currently does not offer the ability to use credits online.

Automatic Application of NAI Credits

If there are enough credits to renew previous membership level, credits will be automatically applied to un-renewed memberships after the expiration date.

Independent CIG/CIH instructors who do not pay their course bill within 30 days of return will have any credits on their account automatically applied to their order costs, after finance charges are applied.

Credits cannot be automatically applied to recertification, as additional paperwork is necessary.

Expiration

NAI Credits will expire two years after the issue date and become an in-kind donation to NAI. If you would like to decline your credits and make them an in-kind donation before they expire, please contact NAI via phone.

Since NAI Credits are a benefit of NAI membership, credits that do not add up to a membership renewal will expire after one year of lapsed membership.

NAI Credits will expire upon the death of the member.