

VCA MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

The Membership Committee of VCA appreciates your feedback on the following survey. The information you provide will help the VCA leadership to assess the needs of our membership and to plan future programs. Thank you for your time and input.

1. What do you feel are the most valuable benefits of being a VCA member? – please check all that apply.

[*respondents should be allowed to check more than one]

- a. Professional Development workshops
 - b. Annual Convention
 - c. Networking
 - d. Printed resources (e.g. newsletter and VCA Journal)
 - e. Online Resources
 - f. Liability Insurance
 - g. Legislative Advocacy (lobbying) for counselors at the State level
 - h. Professional leadership and support of regional chapters and statewide divisions
 - i. Other [space for fill in comments]
2. Please rate the following items according to the value of the services now provided on a scale of 1-5.
(1)- Most beneficial (2)- Beneficial (3)- Neutral (4)- Not very beneficial (5)-Of least value to me

_____ Advocacy with state and national legislature
_____ State Conference
_____ Regional Conferences
_____ State Journal
_____ Other printed resources
_____ Networking

Please comment on any items that you rated a 1 or a 5: [space for fill in comments]

3. Please rate the following items on a scale of 1-5

(1)- Totally agree (2)- Agree (3)- Neutral (4)- Disagree (5)-Totally disagree

- a. My membership in VCA is a valuable professional resource.
- b. VCA membership provides me with resources and support that I could not access if I were not a member.
- c. I will continue to renew my VCA membership on an annual basis.

Please explain any items that you rated a 1 or a 5: [space for fill in comments]

4. What professional development topics are you interested in:

- a. Autism
- b. Ethics and legal implications
- c. Bullying
- d. Self-Injury
- e. Use of technology to enhance counseling skills
- f. Use and abuse of tests and data in education
- g. Working with dysfunctional families
- h. Counselors as school/community leaders
- i. Specific theory or technique [space to fill in specific topic]
- j. Other [space for fill in comments]

5. When are you most likely to attend professional development workshops?

- a. Fall
- b. Winter (after the VCA Annual Convention)
- c. Spring
- d. Summer
- e. Specific Month [space for fill in comment]

5. How can VCA better serve you as a member? [space for fill in comment]