

# Ohio Cleaners Association Membership Application

## Method of Payment (Continued)

- Check enclosed (*made payable to OCA*)
- I hereby authorize the Ohio Cleaners Association, hereinafter called OCA, to initiate charges to my (*please check one*):
- ( ) Visa
  - ( ) MasterCard
  - ( ) American Express
  - ( ) Discover

Credit Card Name \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

(*Located on back of card*)

This authorization is to remain in full force and effective until OCA has received written notification from me (the participant) of its termination. Written notification must be received by OCA by the last business day of the month to avoid a charge for the following month.

Account Holder's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All written charge authorizations must provide that the member may revoke the authorization only by notifying OCA in the manner specified in the authorization.

**NOTE to members paying by bi-annual credit card:** OCA will charge your card at the time your application is received and then again six months later.

Return your completed membership application to:  
OCA  
17 S. High Street, Suite 200  
Columbus, OH 43215  
or fax to 614.221.1989



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Columbus, OH 43215

Your authoritative  
information source on:

- **Garment Analysis**
- Ohio EPA Regulations
- Workers' Compensation
- Unemployment Compensation
- Wage and Hour Laws
- Hiring and Firing Issues
- New Cleaning Equipment

# Why Pay

## a National Cleaners Association

### \$1,000 a Year?

### When for \$1 a Day

You can NOW get all you need  
from OCA including:

- ▶ **Garment Analysis**
- ▶ Low Cost Workers' Compensation
- ▶ Unemployment Compensation Advice
- ▶ Low Cost Casualty Insurance
- ▶ Credit Card Processing
- ▶ Education & Training
- ▶ A Voice in Ohio EPA Regulation
- ▶ Legislative and Regulatory Representation
- ▶ On-demand Answers to Your Every Day Questions



## ▶ Garment Analysis

www.thecleanersconsultants.com

Provided by: TextileAnalysisService@TheCleanersConsultants.com

## ▶ Workers' Comp Group Rating Program

Stability, Savings, Service

www.frankgatesgroups.com

Contact: Tammy Ring

tring@frankgates.com

The Ohio Cleaners Association's group rating program offers:

- The most savings tiers in the industry – up to BWC's maximum discount off workers' comp premiums
  - Savings opportunities and competitive fees
  - Expert claims management and cost control services
- Frank Gates Service Company (Avizent), OCA's group rating administrator, has over 64 years of experience in the industry. Their strength and credibility provide the best results for you!

## ▶ Group Business Insurance Program

www.nie.biz

National Fire and Indemnity Exchange (NIE) is devoted 100% to insuring dry cleaners and coin laundries.

## ▶ Long Distance Program

www.firstcommunications.org

First Communications offers all the low cost products and services you need to communicate better and be more successful.

## ▶ Credit Card Processing Program

www.merchantsolutions.com

Merchant Solutions International, Inc. is one of the nation's premier merchant processing sales offices. A wide range of products and services provide merchants the ability to accept all major credit cards, debit/ATM cards, checks, phone cards, and electronic gift cards.

## ▶ Managed Care Organization (MCO)

www.careworks.com

CareWorks is the selected managed care organization (MCO) of more than 130,000 Ohio employers, providing high quality medical management services for workplace injury claims.

## ▶ Gas & Electric Program

www.summitenergy.com

Summit Energy Services, Inc. provides a team of energy and sustainability experts who can help you craft strategies that are field-tested by years of experience in the global energy markets.

## ▶ OCA Web Site

A state-of-the-art web site featuring up-to-date legislative and regulatory news about the dry cleaning industry.



## ▶ Scholarship Program

The purpose of the scholarship is to assist eligible potential students in successfully completing their dry cleaning education and assure their involvement in the industry.

## ▶ OCA Web-based Member Directory

A quick reference guide to OCA Members, the "leaders in Ohio's cleaning industry." For the public it's a "How to Find a Neighborhood Drycleaner."

## ▶ Newsletters & "Blast e-mails"

OCA news and information keeps you updated on late breaking dry cleaning news and information. When an EPA or other regulation is proposed or changed, you know it within minutes!

## ▶ Educational Programs

Management and technical seminars sharpen member's business skills.

## ▶ Networking

Join your colleagues for education, fun and relaxation at any of the following events:

- OCA Annual Golf Outing
- OCA Summer Meeting

## ▶ Bonus

Membership increases:  
**Income, Profit, Prestige and Professionalism!**

## ▶ Ohio EPA Compliance Calendar

The compliance calendar is provided free to members only.

## ▶ Legislative/Regulatory Representation

OCA is your eyes and ears on the legislative and regulatory process. OCA monitors the entire legislative process as well as the various departments of government that affect your dry cleaning business. You'll be the first to know if something will affect your business!

Answers to your most urgent problems  
are a phone call or e-mail away!

Join OCA's "Knowledge Community" Today!  
**"Networking is Priceless..."**

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Please complete this application form and return to the OCA, 17 S. High Street, Suite 200, Columbus, Ohio 43215 or fax to 614.221.1989. The application must include dues payment authorization.

Dues may be tax deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense. However, dues supporting OCA's lobbying efforts (20%) are not deductible under provisions of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## Membership Payment \$1 a Day!

\$365 Annual Payment

\$185 Bi-Annual Payment

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