

ADVOCACY

JOIN TODAY

We're Strengthening Your Profession

In addition to basic membership benefits, ANFP strives to represent your interests. We want the nutrition and foodservice profession to be as strong as it can be. Here's how we are strengthening YOUR profession:

Advocacy

ANFP serves as the national voice for ANFP members. Our government advocacy efforts support the expertise and regulatory directive of Certified Dietary Managers and ensure that your skills and talents are recognized.



ANFP has a **Political Action Committee (PAC)** and representation in Washington, D.C., to gain visibility and secure meaningful legislative results that benefit ANFP members. Government advocacy staff members also assist chapter volunteers in their state legislative initiatives.



The Nutrition & Foodservice Education Foundation

The Nutrition & Foodservice Education Foundation (NFEF) supports the goals of ANFP and works to strengthen the overall nutrition and foodservice profession in several ways.

- **Education:** The Foundation provides educational opportunities to help advance the careers of promising individuals who are committed to the field of nutrition and foodservice. It also helps support general education initiatives aimed at strengthening the profession overall.
- **Best Practices and Standard-Setting:** The Foundation supports initiatives that lead to strong standards of quality for the profession and to the development of best practices.
- **Research Support:** The Foundation encourages and supports research intended to help advance the profession and ensure dining experiences that are nutritionally sound, safe, and fulfilling.
- **Public Awareness:** Through consumer outreach, the Foundation helps raise public awareness of the importance of proper nutrition and foodservice management in achieving good health.

Build a Lifelong Relationship with ANFP

Through our CDM credentialing program, our continuing education resources, and our networking programs, ANFP constantly provides an answer to the question: "What can I do to move to the next level of my career?"

Learn about our membership types below and join today!

Professional Membership: For non-CDM individuals who have graduated from an ANFP-approved training program.

Allied Professional Membership: For non-CDM individuals meeting any of the following criteria:

- 1) Possess a two-year, four-year, or advanced degree in foodservice, culinary arts, healthcare, or a related field;
- 2) Completion of a 90-hour, state-approved foodservice manager course; or
- 3) Are employed at a supervisory level in nutrition and foodservice. Joining ANFP, you will put yourself in the company of other professionals dedicated to this goal.

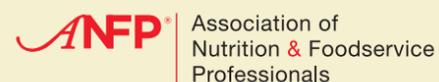
Pre-Professional Membership: For non-CDM individuals meeting any of the following criteria:

- 1) Employed in nutrition and foodservice in a non-supervisory role; or
- 2) Students enrolled in a comprehensive foodservice management training program. Note: Students must include proof of enrollment with this application.

We encourage you to take the first step toward nourishing your career.

Join Today!

Questions? Visit our website at www.ANFPonline.org or call us at **800.323.1908**.



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Enhancing the profession through education, leadership, and advocacy

WHY JOIN?

ANFP is THE Premier Organization for Foodservice Professionals

Becoming a member of the Association of Nutrition & Foodservice Professionals (ANFP) means you will be teaming up with more than 14,000 professionals dedicated to the mission of providing optimum nutritional care through foodservice management.

“ Being a member of the Association of Nutrition & Foodservice Professionals has given me a tremendous opportunity to sharpen my leadership skills and enhance my knowledge through continuing education.

Membership in ANFP has added to my experience and truly helped me attain my goals in my career.”

- Tom Thaman, CDM, CFPP

ANFP members work in all aspects of dining—from food preparation and cooking to applying nutrition principles and the operational management of dining facilities.

Most members work in healthcare settings such as:

- Nursing homes
- Long-term care facilities
- Senior living communities
- Hospitals

While others work in:

- Correctional facilities
- Schools
- Military
- Commercial kitchens



CDM, CFPP

Earn Certification and Advance in the Workplace

CDM® | CFPP® | Certified Dietary Manager
Certified Food Protection Professional

Many members of ANFP decide to participate in the Certified Dietary Manager (CDM) program (which includes the Certified Food Protection Professional designation — CFPP). By earning your CDM, CFPP certification, you will join the top levels of nutrition and foodservice managers in the field.

How to Become a CDM, CFPP

A Certified Dietary Manager, Certified Food Protection Professional (CDM, CFPP) has the education, training, and experience to competently perform the responsibilities of a dietary manager and has proven this by passing a nationally-recognized credentialing exam and fulfilling the requirements needed to maintain certified status. The CDM, CFPP also demonstrates specific competency in the area of food safety and sanitation.

Earn the Credential in 3 Steps

1. Qualify to Take the CDM, CFPP Certification Exam.

There are five ways to qualify! You may start by completing an ANFP-approved foodservice manager training program. Or, you may already have a two-year or four-year degree in foodservice management, nutrition, or culinary arts. You may qualify through a combination of training and experience. Or, you may qualify through your related military training. Details about how to qualify are on the CBDM website at www.CBDMonline.org/eligibility.

2. Register for the Certification Exam.

Offered year-round at more than 200 sites, the exam gives you a chance to prove your competency in the marketplace by earning the CDM, CFPP credential.

3. Pass the Exam and Complete Your Certification Process.

Once you have passed the exam, you can apply for certified status. As an ANFP member, activation is automatic.

Once you earn the credential, you will need to maintain it with continuing education and keep up your annual certification fee.

The CDM, CFPP is more than the letters after your name. It is a career path that demonstrates your commitment to excellence in nutrition and foodservice management, and defines you as a highly-qualified professional in your field.

Learn more at www.CBDMonline.org

BENEFITS

ANFP Membership Offers You Full Access to Leading Resources and Foodservice Knowledge, Keeping You Current in Your Field!

Being an ANFP member gives you access to many exclusive benefits such as a subscription to *Nutrition & Foodservice Edge®* magazine, discounts on ANFP publications, courses, and other CE offerings, industry news, and much more!

Your ANFP Membership also Provides: *Nutrition & Foodservice Edge®* Magazine

Nutrition & Foodservice Edge® is just one of your many educational resources. *Edge* is published 6 times annually and includes a variety of themed issues during the year. Your ANFP membership entitles you to a free print subscription and access to the digital version online. You will truly enjoy this benefit available to you with your membership as each issue is filled with practical and informative articles.



Edge Express

In months when there is no print issue of *Edge*, you will receive an *Edge Express* e-mail, containing one CE article and timely industry news.

eNews

As an ANFP member, you will receive an e-mail every month containing ANFP eNews. ANFP eNews is packed with ANFP news, latest industry trends, event information, and much more.

ANFP Salary and Benefits Survey

ANFP surveys nutrition and foodservice managers from across the country to determine current average salaries and benefits to assist you in building a stronger career. This valuable information is available to you for free as a member.

Member Discounts

As an ANFP member, you automatically save up to 20% on all ANFP CE products. Additionally, ANFP members are offered a CE Monthly Special each month.

ANFP Job Board

Looking for the perfect job? Need to fill an open position with the most qualified candidate? The ANFP Job Board is the best online resource to search, apply, and post open positions for a range of foodservice and nutrition careers across the country.



COMMUNITY

Make New Connections with Your Peers

ANFP serves as the hub of a national community of professionals who are dedicated to service and excellence in the various aspects of nutrition and foodservice.

With ANFP, you can connect to thousands of career-focused individuals who, like you, seek to excel in their work and in their lives. We provide a community in which members can learn from each other, share information, and form lifelong professional connections.

Here's what you can look forward to:

Local Connections

State Chapters are a vital component of ANFP, offering members educational programs, networking, and connections to professional growth! As an ANFP member, you are automatically connected with your state chapter. Visit www.ANFPonline.org/chapters to get started.

ANFP Regional Meetings provide exciting networking and educational opportunities, hosted at various locations each spring. Visit www.ANFPonline.org/RMS to learn more about our upcoming Regional Meetings.



National & Global Connections

ANFP's Annual Conference & Expo (ACE) is THE national educational event of the year for nutrition and foodservice professionals, offering valuable relationship-building and knowledge-sharing for all attendees. Designed for current and emerging ANFP members, leaders, industry stakeholders, and corporate partners, ACE will engage and inspire you through top-notch continuing education programs, new learning environments, innovative networking opportunities, and an Expo that attracts leading-edge suppliers who share breakthrough product innovations.

