



Texas Counseling Association 69th Annual Professional Growth Conference Know Before You Go

We're so excited to welcome you to Houston for the 69th Annual Professional Growth Conference, taking place November 19–21, 2025, at the Marriott Marquis Houston (1777 Walker Street, Houston, TX 77010)!

Here's everything you need to know to make the most of your conference experience — please read this carefully before you arrive.

Conference App

Download our official event app to make the most of your conference experience!

Search "TCA Onsite Events" in the Apple App Store or Google Play Store, or download directly [here for apple](#) and [here for google](#).

Once downloaded, enter the email address associated with your registration to request an access code, or log in using the credentials from your Welcome Email.

After logging in, select "69th Annual Professional Growth Conference" from the Find Event screen to access the app and explore everything the conference has to offer.

Helpful tips:

- Use light mode on your phone for best app performance.
- Download your CE certificates from the app by December 31, 2025.
- Adding a program session to your calendar in the app does not guarantee your spot, as sessions are first-come, first-served. We recommend having a backup session in mind for each time slot.

Badge Pick-Up & Registration Hours

Location: Texas Ballroom BC & Pre-Function, Level 4

Wednesday, Nov. 19

- 7:30 AM – 9:00 AM: Learning Institute Registration Only
- 2:00 PM – 6:30 PM: General Conference Registration

Thursday, Nov. 20

- 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM: General Conference Registration

Friday, Nov. 21

- 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM: General Conference Registration

Exhibit Hall & Division Tables

Location: Exhibit Hall – Level 4 | Division Tables – Level 3

- Wednesday: 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM
- Thursday: 7:00 AM – 6:30 PM
- Friday: 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Attire

Business casual is perfect! Wear comfortable shoes for walking between sessions and bring a light jacket or sweater — meeting rooms can be chilly and temperatures are hotel-controlled.

Water Stations

Stay hydrated! Bring a refillable water bottle and take advantage of the free water stations located throughout the hotel.

Wi-Fi

The conference center does not provide public Wi-Fi. Please make arrangements in advance if you'll need internet access.

Parking

[Detailed Instructions](#)

Note: Rates listed on the map are subject to change.

Self-Parking – Avenida North Parking Garage

- 1 hr: \$15 | 2 hrs: \$24 | 3 hrs: \$32 | Daily Max: \$42
- Overnight: \$50 (unlimited in/out privileges)
- Entrances: Rusk & Capitol Streets

- Inform the front desk to activate your room key for garage access

Valet Parking

- 0–2 hrs: \$35 | 2–4 hrs: \$42 | 4–6 hrs: \$46 | 6+ hrs: \$60
- Overnight: \$70 | Oversized Vehicles: \$80 per night
- Unlimited in/out privileges included
- Prices subject to change

Self-parking connects to the hotel and convention center via two sky bridges on Level 2 for easy access.

Airport Transportation

Arriving at Houston Intercontinental Airport (IAH)? Public bus transportation is available and drops off on Crawford Street, right by the hotel. Cost: \$4.50 each way. [Here is the bus schedule.](#)

Volunteers Needed!

Help make this year's event a success — join our volunteer team! It's a great way to connect with fellow professional counselors and give back to the profession.

Opportunities include assisting with registration or serving as a program room monitor. Student volunteers earn a \$25 gift card per 3-hour shift. Sign up today and check in at the Volunteer Booth/Registration Desk (Texas Ballroom BC) when you arrive. [Sign up to volunteer!](#)

Programs, Meetings and Special Events

Conference program, meeting and special event details are available in the app and on the PGC website under the [Programs tab](#).

Parent's Nursing Room

The Parker Boardroom on Level 3 will be designated as the Parent's Nursing Room, providing a quiet and comfortable space for nursing parents throughout the conference.