

The International Epidemiological Association (IEA) is a global network of epidemiologists of over 1500 members in more than 100 different countries which facilitates communication amongst those engaged in research and teaching of epidemiology throughout the world, and encourages its use in all fields of health including social, community and preventative medicine.

The IEA has recently started a new scheme of membership in which if a national epidemiology society or equivalent from any country shows interest and approaches IEA for taking its Joint membership and if the IEA Council approves the said Society for the purpose, then members of this national Society can get IEA membership under its joint scheme just by paying one-third of the annual membership subscription (GB Pound 10 only per annum). The IEA joint membership is now available in many countries as well as in India to those who are member of Indian Public Health Association/Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine/India Society for Medical Statistics.

Benefits of the IEA Membership :

1. Networking with renowned epidemiologists worldwide.
2. Reduced Registration Fee at the IEA *World Congress of Epidemiology* (WCE) and IEA Regional Scientific Meetings (RSMs).
3. Invitation for participation in the IEA /WCE and also in the Region's Regional Scientific Meetings.
4. Receiving the IEA Newsletter.
5. Access to the e-version of the world renowned epidemiology journal - International Journal of Epidemiology.
6. Voting right in IEA elections (for Executive as well as Regional Councillors).
7. Receiving announcements – on its webpage & at times, otherwise also, for Association's global as well as regional activities.
8. For young IEA Members, opportunity / eligibility to receive travel scholarships, for attending IEA sponsored meetings.
9. IEA publications to be available at the reduced rate and also, public health and epidemiology titles of the Oxford University Press to be available to the IEA members with 20% discount.