



COCA Member Benefits- (as listed in membership application)

1. Professional Education:
 1. Access to year round professional education through webinars and virtual town halls. This professional education assists members in planning, developing programs and staying informed about the most up to date medical facts and information within pediatric oncology camping.
 2. By attending the annual conference, members have access to at least 50 hours of education within the following tracks:
 - i. Leadership/Operations
 - ii. Child Development
 - iii. Staff Development
 - iv. Programs
 - v. Fundraising
 - vi. Medical Continuing Education (CEU credits)
 - vii. COCAcademy-two days of immersive education on a particular topic and with a specific group of professional speakers
2. Gold Ribbon Accreditation Program- COCA has written best practices for residential pediatric oncology camps. Members have an opportunity to become Accredited within COCA.
3. Access to Resources & Grants- COCA members have access to learn more and partner with like-minded organizations who seek to work with and support programs for kids with cancer.
4. Networking & Community- COCA has developed a community of support within the member camps to learn from, hear what other Camps are able to accomplish, challenges and opportunities they have.

2023 COCA Member Benefits:

1. \$24,500 from Northwestern Mutual for Best of COCA Awards:

- One Camp Spirit Awards for each Region (8 Regions)
- One Spirit of COCA Award
- \$500 For each Best of COCA Award (total 10 awards)

2. Access to Care Camps Grants

3. Gold Ribbon "Best Practices" Accreditation Program

4. Outside the Box-Over 15 hours of virtual education + access to video series since 2020

5. Medical CEU Track at Annual Conference (# of hours TBD at 2023 COCAcon)

6. COCAcademy-two days of learning with internationally known Camp professionals at COCAcon
7. Conference Travel Stipends
8. Free Conference Registration for One Winner of the Bead Game that Is held at COCAcon each year
9. Multiple opportunities to network and connect with other pediatric oncology camping professionals through the education COCA provides
10. Access to the new Northwestern Mutual COCA Learning Center that will provide education for camp leaders, camp directors, CEU's for medical staff (Fall 2023 launch).

2022 COCA Member Benefits:

- 1.\$22,000 from Northwestern Mutual for Best of COCA Awards:
 - Camp Spirit Awards for each Region (8 Regions) \$1,500.00 each
 - Spirit of COCA Award (\$5,000.00)
 - \$500 For each Best of COCA Award (total 10 awards)
2. Access to Care Camps Grants
3. Gold Ribbon “Best Practices” Accreditation Program
4. Outside the Box-Over 20 virtual education sessions + pass access to past years’ video series
5. Medical CEU Track at Annual Conference (18 hours at 2022 COCAcon)
6. COCAcademy-two days of learning with internationally known Camp and Medical professionals at COCAcon
7. Staff Exchange Program (with COVID, this has not occurred since 2019; currently assessing this program for the future)
8. Conference Travel Stipends
9. Free Conference Registration for One Winner of the Bead Game that Is held at COCAcon each year
10. Multiple opportunities to network and connect with other pediatric oncology camping professionals through the education COCA provides