Washington, DC—the nation’s capital—celebrates a history rich in diversity and character. One of the most popular cities for sightseeing, Washington contains countless points of interest for its visitors. The world’s largest museum complex, the Smithsonian Institution, invites you to explore exhibits that highlight the scientific, cultural, political, and technological developments of the United States and its people. Visit the home to original pieces of the American heritage, such as the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the Bill of Rights, that have helped to shape the way we live today. The art lovers among you will delight in the seven major art galleries. See the modern art and sculpture of the Hirshhorn Museum and the newly opened Sculpture Garden; the Sackler Gallery’s collection of Asian art; and the only museum devoted to the art and culture of Africa, the National Museum of African Art. In Washington, there is music in the air, from the Kennedy Center’s many stages and the clubs of Georgetown and Adams Morgan to the military bands that give concerts on the Mall. Whatever your culinary desire, be it authentic Texas chili or the finest Asian cuisine, you’ll find it at one of the city’s internationally famous eateries. What a perfect place for APA to convene its first annual convention of the new millennium!

The 108th Convention of the American Psychological Association will be held in Washington, DC, between August 4 and August 8, 2000. As stated in the Association Rules, the purposes of the Annual Convention are (a) to provide a forum in which members may present their scientific and scholarly work, (b) to present a general program that will be informative and of interest to all members of the Association, (c) to facilitate the exchange of experience relating to the applications of psychology, and (d) to provide a place where the business of the Association can be conducted efficiently.

Convention programs are developed by the several substantive divisions of APA and include symposia, paper and poster sessions, invited addresses, discussions, workshops, and so on. Meetings are scheduled in the Washington Convention Center, the Capital Hilton Hotel, the Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel, the Hyatt Regency Washington Hotel on Capitol Hill, the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel, and the Renaissance Washington Hotel. Most of the convention program is scheduled between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. during the five days of the meeting.

Transportation

Transportation from the airports serving the Washington area (Washington Dulles International Airport, Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport, and Baltimore–Washington International Airport) is available by taxi, airport bus or van, and/or public transportation. From National Airport to the convention hotels, the taxi fare is approximately $12–$15 plus tip. Depending on the time of day, the trip from National Airport to the downtown area takes roughly 15–30 minutes. Washington’s subway system, Metro, can be used between National Airport and the downtown area. The headquarters hotels that are within two to three blocks of a Metro station are the Renaissance Mayflower (Farragut North station [Red Line]), the Capital Hilton (McPherson Square station [Blue Line]–Vermont Avenue exit, or Farragut North station [Red Line]), the Grand Hyatt Washington (Metro Center station [Blue Line]–11th Street exit), the Renaissance Washington (Gallery Place–Chinatown station [Yellow Line]–9th and G Streets or Chinatown exit), and the Hyatt Regency Washington on Capitol Hill (Union Station Metro station [Red Line]–Union Station Shops/Metrorail/Massachusetts Avenue exit). Fares vary, depending on destination, day, and time ($1.10 to $1.45).

From Dulles International Airport, the 45-minute trip by taxi will cost approximately $45 plus tip. Airport bus to the Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel, the J. W. Marriott Hotel, the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel, the Renaissance Washington Hotel, or the Downtown Terminal at the Washington Convention Center is $16 one-way, $26 round-trip. Ground transportation information for both Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport and Washington Dulles International Airport can be found on the following Website: www.metwashairports.com. From Baltimore–Washington International Airport the 1½-hour trip by taxi will cost approximately $45 plus tip. Airport van service to the DC convention hotels is approximately $28 for the 1½- to 2-hour trip. Call 800-258-3826 (SuperShuttle) for additional information. Information on all types of ground transportation from BWI Airport to Washington can be found on the airport’s Website at www.bwiairport.com. For those driving to Washington, 24-hour guest parking at the APA headquarters hotels costs about $15 to $26. Persons taking the train to Washington will arrive at Union Station, which is on Capitol Hill.
Hill. Transportation to the hotels is available by taxicab or by Metro (Red Line).

**Travel Tips**

The average daytime high temperature in Washington in early August is 92°F. The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) operates the public transportation system composed of buses and subway. The basic bus fare within the District of Columbia is $1.10. The subway system, known as the Metro, provides excellent direct service to almost anywhere in Metropolitan Washington. The five lines, Blue, Yellow, Green, Red, and Orange, all run into the downtown area and out to different neighborhoods. Trains run from 5:30 a.m. on weekdays (8:00 a.m. on weekends) to 12 midnight (1:00 a.m. on Friday and Saturday), and fares are $1.10–$2.10 during nonrush hours and $1.10–$3.25 during rush hour. One-day passes are available for $5.00. Additional information can be obtained by visiting the WMATA Information Center, located at the Metro Center station on the Red/Blue/Orange Lines, or by calling 202-637-7000. The WMATA Website is at www.wmata.com. Washington, DC, sales tax is 5.75%. Hotel rooms are taxed 14.5%.

*Note:* All prices listed above are subject to change.

**Program Availability**

The Convention Program will be mailed within the United States and Canada only to advance registrants and individuals who specifically request a program. Individuals who are not planning to attend the convention but who would like to receive a Convention Program should complete the mailing label found elsewhere in this section. Programs will be available in early to mid-July, after the advance registration deadline of June 26. Convention preregistrants should bring their copies of the program to the convention. Programs will appear in the May and June issues of The APA Monitor.

**Airline Information**

APA has selected United Airlines and Delta Air Lines as the official air carriers for the 2000 convention in Washington.

**United Airlines**

United Airlines is offering special discounts for the APA convention in Washington. You may choose a 5% discount off any United domestic published airfare or a 10% discount off the unrestricted midweek coach fare. As an extra bonus, an additional 5% discount is available if you purchase your tickets at least 60 days in advance of travel. Or you may choose Area Pricing, a fixed airfare rate to the meeting, based on geographical location. Area Pricing must be purchased at least 7 days in advance. These discounts apply on United Airlines, Shuttle by United, and United Express flights. Reservations should be made as early as possible. Seats are limited, and restrictions may apply. Fares are guaranteed at the time of ticket purchase. Simply call or have your travel agent call United’s toll-free number noted below for reservations and assistance.

**Delta Air Lines**

Delta Air Lines is offering a 5% discount off Delta’s published round-trip fares within the continental United States, Hawaii, Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, San Juan, Nassau, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. By purchasing your ticket 60 days or more prior to your departure date, you can receive an additional 5% bonus discount. Applicable restrictions must be met. Seats are limited. No discounts apply on Delta Express.

A 10% discount will be offered on Delta’s domestic system for travel to the meeting, based on the published unrestricted round-trip coach rates. No advance reservations or ticketing is required, but if you purchase your ticket 60 days or more prior to your departure date, you can receive an additional 5% bonus discount. No discounts apply on Delta Express.

Special guaranteed round-trip Zone Fares are also available to all cities served by Delta and Delta Express in the continental United States, Hawaii, Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, San Juan, Nassau, and the U.S. Virgin Islands for savings on midweek travel to the meeting. There is a two-day minimum stay, and no Saturday night stay is required. Only seven days advance reservations and ticketing are required. Fares are fully refundable, less an administrative service fee. (Note: Zone Fares are not valid for travel to a destination served only by a Delta Connection carrier.)

To take advantage of these discounts, call or have your travel agent call the number noted below for reservations and assistance.

**Continental United States, Hawaii, and Canada**

United Airlines (Daily, 7 a.m. to 12 midnight, Eastern time)

1-800-521-4041

Refer to Meeting ID number 597BD

**Delta Meeting Network Reservations (Weekdays, 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.; weekends, 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., Eastern time)**

1-800-241-6760

Refer to Delta File Number 160115A

April 2000 • American Psychologist
Registration

Beginning April 10, 2000, register on-line on APA’s Website at http://www.apa.org/convention/. Convention attendees are urged to register for the meeting in advance. Advance registration not only assists APA in planning for the convention but also represents a saving to the registrants. In addition, the APA Exhibit Area will be restricted to persons who are wearing badges.

Registration fees are required in order to support the increasing costs associated with the convention, as well as the need to comply with the association’s rule that the convention be a self-sustaining service of the association. Persons who request a replacement badge during the convention will be charged $2 each time the request is made. Nonmember spouses/equivalents and dependents under age 18 may register by paying a nonrefundable processing fee of $5 per person if their names appear on the registration form of a fee-paying registrant. The registration fees for the 2000 convention are as follows:

For those registering in advance (before June 26, 2000)

$165 APA Member, Fellow, Associate, or Dues-Exempt Member;
APA International Affiliate

$195 Nonmember of APA

$50 APA Student Affiliate

$75 Full-Time Student;
APA High School Teacher Affiliate

$5 (Processing Fee) If noted on form of fee-paying registrant;
Nonmember Spouses/Equivalents;
Dependents Under Age 18

For those registering on-site in Washington

$220 APA Member, Fellow, Associate, or Dues-Exempt Member;
APA International Affiliate

$250 Nonmember of APA

$60 APA Student Affiliate

$85 Full-Time Student;
APA High School Teacher Affiliate

$5 (Processing Fee) If noted on form of fee-paying registrant;
Nonmember Spouses/Equivalents;
Dependents Under Age 18

The convention badge with name and institutional affiliation, the Expocard, and the Convention Program will be mailed in advance of the convention to those who pre-register. Advance registrants need only obtain a badge holder at the APA registration area in Washington to complete the procedure and thus avoid delays.

Complete registration facilities will be maintained at the Washington Convention Center according to the following schedule:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Thursday, August 3</td>
<td>3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Friday, August 4</td>
<td>7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Saturday, August 5</td>
<td>8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sunday, August 6</td>
<td>8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monday, August 7</td>
<td>8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tuesday, August 8</td>
<td>8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Because of administrative delays, APA will not accept purchase orders for payment of convention registration fees.

Refund policy: Advance registrants who are unable to attend the convention may request a refund of their registration fee if a written request is received before August 8, 2000. A full refund of the registration fee will apply to requests received by June 26, 2000; a 75% refund will apply to requests received between June 26 and July 15, 2000; a 50% refund will apply to requests received between July 15 and August 8, 2000. After August 8, 2000, no refunds will be issued.

Housing

FLASH!!! IMPORTANT!!!

Hotel reservations may be made DIRECTLY through the APA/Washington Convention and Visitors Association (WCVA) Housing Bureau by fax, mail, or phone beginning on March 24, 2000, or by Internet beginning on April 10, 2000. Only advance registration forms are to be sent to APA for processing.

In cooperation with APA, all of the APA hotels have set aside substantial blocks of rooms. These rooms for the convention are available only when reservations are made through the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau. To take advantage of the special APA convention rates, be sure to book your reservations through the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau by June 26, 2000. After June 26, 2000, the official APA blocks will be released, and the hotels may charge significantly higher rates. Hotel rooms for persons arriving in the city at the last minute will probably be expensive, scarce, or nonexistent. To ensure having a hotel room in an APA hotel, we strongly recommend that individuals obtain hotel reservations early.

During past conventions, the headquarters hotels have been filled by early May. It is anticipated that the headquarters hotels will also be filled early in Washington. Housing requests received toward the end of the advance registration period have typically been assigned alternate housing. Registrants should bear in mind that rooms are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. All rates are per room night and are subjected to a 14.5% tax (subject to change). Bedding preferences and other special requests will be assigned by the hotels at check in. There is no guarantee that persons will obtain a room in the specific hotel requested, in the type of room requested, or at the rate requested. If accommodations are not available at the hotel of your choice, comparable reservations will be made at other contracted hotels.
Please note that the availability of rooms with an arrival date before August 4 may be limited. Therefore, if you are attending preconference activities, the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau will make every effort to accommodate your needs but cannot guarantee early arrival dates.

Reservations can be made through the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau by fax, mail, or phone beginning on March 24, 2000, or by Internet beginning on April 10, 2000. Requests received after June 26, 2000 will be processed on a space-available basis. To reserve a room for the APA convention choose ONE of the following methods:

Internet: Fill out the form and submit it directly using the interactive Website at http://www.apa.org/convention/

or

Telephone: Call the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau, Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–5 p.m., Central time at 800-492-7886 (toll free) or 847-940-4211 (international),

or

Fax: Send a completed Hotel Reservation Form, using one form per reservation request, to 800-521-6017 or 847-940-2386,

or

Mail: Send a completed Hotel Reservation Form, using one form per reservation request, with the required deposit (credit card or check), to APA/WCVA Housing Bureau, 108 Wilmot Road, Deerfield, IL 60015. Make check payable to “APA/WCVA Housing Bureau.” Checks must be from a U.S. bank and in U.S. dollars. No wire transfers will be accepted.

The APA/WCVA Housing Bureau will send you a confirmation. Review it carefully for accuracy. Room confirmation will be sent only to the primary person requesting the reservation. If you do not receive a confirmation via E-mail, fax, or mail within 14 days of sending your request, please contact the housing bureau at 800-492-7886 or 847-940-4211.

All hotels require a deposit of $150 per room. Payment can be made by providing an American Express, VISA, MasterCard, Discover, or Diners Club credit card number on your Hotel Reservation Form or by including a check made out to “APA/WCVA Housing Bureau.” Credit card deposits will be charged IMMEDIATELY. Please note, if a deposit is not received, your hotel reservation will not be processed.

Persons sharing a room are requested to send in only one Hotel Registration Form with the names of all of the occupants of the room. By law, there is a limit of four persons to a room, and some hotels will not accept reservations for four persons in a room. Room confirmation will be sent only to the person requesting the reservation.

Colleagues wishing to stay in the same hotel should submit their forms in the same envelope.

Changes/Cancellations/Refunds: Changes/cancellations made on or before June 26, 2000, should be made directly with the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau and will be refunded in full. The APA/WCVA Housing Bureau will issue the refund. Changes/cancellations made after 5:00 p.m. Central time on June 26, 2000, are subject to a $16.00 administration fee and must be made directly with the hotel AFTER July 4, 2000. Your reservation must be cancelled 72 hours prior to arrival or your entire deposit will be forfeited.

Headquarters Hotels

Capital Hilton Hotel: Elegant 12-story hotel in the center of downtown Washington, located two blocks from the White House and eight blocks from the Washington Convention Center. Nonsmoking rooms. No swimming pool. Spa and health club ($10 per day). Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($25). Thirty-minute walk to Washington Convention Center. Two blocks from the Farragut North Metro station (Red Line) and from McPherson Square Metro station (Blue Line).

Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel: Beautifully appointed hotel with a dramatic 12-story atrium, lagoon, and waterfalls. Located within walking distance of the White House, the new MCI Center, and many museums. Nonsmoking floors. Indoor lap pool and health club ($10 per day). Twenty-four-hour guest parking: self-park ($20), valet ($26). Across the street from the Washington Convention Center. Inside access to Metro Center Metro station (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines); three blocks from Gallery Place Metro station (Yellow, Red, and Green Lines).

Hyatt Regency Washington, DC, on Capitol Hill: Modern 11-story hotel with a 5-story atrium lobby and glass elevators. Excellent location, two blocks from the U.S. Capitol and Union Station. Nonsmoking floors. Indoor swimming pool and health club ($5 per day or $8 per family per day). Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($22). Thirty-minute walk or five minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Union Station Metro stop (Red Line).


Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel: Deluxe hotel located directly across from the Washington Convention Center and halfway between the White House and the
U.S. Capitol. Non-smoking floors. Indoor pool. Health club ($8 per day or $12 per stay). Twenty-four-hour guest parking ($15). Across the street from the Washington Convention Center. Located two blocks from the Red, Yellow, and Green Lines at the Gallery Place Metro stop; three blocks from Metro Center Metro Station (Red, Orange, and Blue Lines).

Supplemental Hotels


Four Points Hotel Washington, DC, Downtown–Sheraton: New vacation and business hotel located near the Washington Convention Center. Contemporary design with all the business amenities. Indoor pool and fitness facility. Non-smoking rooms. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking (price to be determined). Ten-minute walk to Washington Convention Center. Nearest Metro station is Metro Center (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines).

Governor’s House Hotel: Business-class hotel located near Embassy Row in downtown Washington, just four blocks from the White House and nine blocks from the Washington Convention Center. Non-smoking rooms. Outdoor pool and exercise facilities; complimentary access to adjacent YMCA. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($14). Ten minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Red Line at the Farragut North Metro stop.

Henley Park Hotel: Meticulously restored and distinctively decorated vintage hotel offering elegantly appointed accommodations. Located one block from the Washington Convention Center. Non-smoking rooms. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($16). Located near the Metro Center Metro station (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines).

Holiday Inn Central: Recently renovated hotel, rated the No. 1 Holiday Inn in Washington, DC, with a beautiful new design and theme of contemporary elegance. The hotel is located in downtown Washington near Embassy Row. Non-smoking rooms. Outdoor pool and exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour guest parking ($12). Five-minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Red Line at the Farragut North Metro stop.

Holiday Inn Select: Located just five blocks from the White House, this business-class hotel has recently undergone a complete renovation. Non-smoking rooms. Outdoor pool and exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($14). Fifteen-minute walk to Washington Convention Center. Nearest Metro station is McPherson Square Metro stop (Blue and Orange Lines).

Holiday Inn Washington, DC, on the Hill: Recently renovated business-class hotel located just two blocks from the U.S. Capitol and Union Station. Non-smoking rooms. Outdoor pool and exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour guest parking ($15). Thirty-minute walk or five minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Red Line at the Union Station Metro stop.


J. W. Marriott Hotel: Deluxe hotel with a reversed atrium lobby in the heart of downtown Washington; just one block from the White House; near the monuments and Smithsonian museums. The lobby connects to a shopping mall and offers a selection of fine restaurants nearby. Non-smoking floors. Indoor pool and health club. Twenty-four-hour guest parking ($18). Ten-minute walk to Washington Convention Center.

Loews L’Enfant Plaza Hotel: Luxury four-star and four-diamond hotel within walking distance of the U.S. Capitol and the Smithsonian museums. Fifty specialty shops and eateries are located directly underneath the hotel. Non-smoking floors. Rooftop pool and fitness center. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($16). Ten minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located on the Metro’s Blue, Yellow, Green, and Orange Lines at the L’Enfant Plaza Metro stop.

Marriott at Metro Center: Deluxe business-class hotel located just steps away from the Washington Convention Center, MCI Center, theaters, museums, shopping, and fine restaurants. Non-smoking rooms. Health club. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($16). Five-minute walk to Washington Convention Center. Located adjacent to Metro Center Metro station (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines).

Morrison-Clark Historic Inn: Charming inn near the Washington Convention Center with European-style service and Victorian décor. Non-smoking rooms. Exercise facilities. Complimentary continental breakfast. Twenty-
four-hour valet guest parking ($17). Five-minute walk from Washington Convention Center. Located near the Metro Center Metro station (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines).

Phoenix Park Hotel: The Phoenix Park hotel offers Celtic charm and a Capitol Hill location, just steps away from the U.S. Capitol and Amtrak’s Union Station. Nonsmoking rooms. Exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($19). Five minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Red Line at the Union Station Metro stop.


Red Roof Inn–Downtown DC: Recently renovated moderately priced hotel located near the MCI Center and four blocks from the Washington Convention Center. Nonsmoking rooms. Exercise room. Twenty-four-hour guest parking ($10). Five-minute walk to Convention Center. Located near the Red, Green, and Yellow Lines at the Gallery Place Metro stop.

Hotel Washington: Nationally registered historic hotel in the heart of the city, just one block from the White House. Restored rooms are equipped with marble baths, traditional mahogany furnishings, and period fabrics and wall coverings. Nonsmoking rooms. Exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($20). Ten-minute walk to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Metro Center Metro station (Red, Orange, and Blue Lines).

Washington Court Hotel on Capitol Hill: Deluxe business-class hotel with classic décor, located just two blocks from the U.S. Capitol, Union Station, and walking distance from the Smithsonian museums. Nonsmoking rooms. Health club. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($20). Five minutes by cab to Washington Convention Center. Located near the Red Line at the Union Station Metro stop.

Washington Plaza Hotel: Moderately priced downtown hotel just five blocks from the White House and an easy walk to the Washington Convention Center. Nonsmoking rooms. Large outdoor pool and exercise facilities. Twenty-four-hour valet guest parking ($17). Twenty-minute walk to Convention Center. Nearest Metro station is the McPherson Square Metro stop (Blue and Orange Lines).


Note: Parking rates are subject to change without notice.

Family Plan Accommodations

The many attractions available in Washington make it an ideal vacation spot for families. For registrants bringing their families, family plan accommodations are available at the hotels noted below. Children under the ages stated below may stay with their parent(s) without charge if no additional equipment is brought into the room. Some hotels have rooms with two double beds, which need to be requested on your Hotel Reservation Form. See hotel descriptions for information on limited space and bedding. When completing the Hotel Reservation Form, registrants must indicate the number and ages of the children and must request family plan accommodations.

Under 12 years of age
Doubletree Hotel Park Terrace on Embassy Row

Under 16 years of age
Henley Park Hotel
Holiday Inn Central
Morrison-Clark Historic Inn
Wyndham Washington, DC, Hotel

Under 17 years of age
Holiday Inn Washington, DC, on the Hill
Washington Plaza Hotel

Under 18 years of age
Governor’s House Hotel
Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel
Holiday Inn Select
Hotel Washington
Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel and Suites
Hyatt Regency Washington, DC, on Capitol Hill
J. W. Marriott Hotel
Marriott at Metro Center
Phoenix Park Hotel
Quality Suites Downtown
Red Roof Inn–Downtown DC
Renaissance Mayflower Hotel
Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel

No age limit
Capital Hilton Hotel
Courtyard by Marriott–Embassy Row Hotel
Green/Environmentally Friendly Hotels

The following hotels are currently participating in the American Hotel and Motel Association’s “Good Earthkeeping Program”:

Holiday Inn Select
Holiday Inn Washington, DC, on the Hill
Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel and Suites
Quality Suites Downtown
Washington Court Hotel on Capitol Hill

Arrangements for Persons With Disabilities

The APA Council of Representatives has adopted “Guidelines on Physical and Social Accessibility,” prepared by the APA Task Force on Psychology and the Handicapped. In compliance with these guidelines, the Board of Convention Affairs asks each person with a disability who is planning to attend the convention to identify himself or herself and to provide information on how APA can make the convention more accessible for him or her. Please check the appropriate box on the Advance Convention Registration and Hotel Reservation Forms if you are disabled and would like assistance in facilitating your attendance at the convention. A note outlining your specific needs should accompany the Advance Convention Registration and Hotel Reservation Forms. APA will provide a van with a lift as transportation for persons who use wheelchairs, interpreters for hearing-impaired individuals, and escorts/ readers for persons with visual impairments if specific requests are provided at the time of advance registration. During the convention, persons with disabilities who desire a place to relax or who desire assistance with wheelchair repairs, readers, escorts, interpreters, and so on may visit the APA Resource Room for Persons With Disabilities.

To facilitate hotel reservations for those who need wheelchair accessibility and visual or hearing aids, the Board of Convention Affairs has compiled information on the headquarters hotels. It is strongly suggested that persons who are in need of wheelchair-accessible accommodations request housing at one of the following hotels (in ranked order): (1) Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel; (2) Hyatt Regency Washington, DC, on Capitol Hill; (3) Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel. Additional information regarding accessibility of other hotels may be obtained from the APA Convention Office in Washington, DC.

Capital Hilton Hotel
Main entrance: Accessible; doorman on duty.
Restrooms: Accessible.
Sleeping rooms: 11 rooms are designed for wheelchair accessibility; none with roll-in showers.
Meeting rooms: Accessible, but the Presidential Ballroom has three steps down to the main level, so a ramp is required.
Restaurants: Twigs has an accessible platform lift to the dining and bar areas. Fran O’Brien’s is below street level and is currently inaccessible except by going through the service area with hotel assistance.
Aids: Flashing fire alarms, door knockers, shake-awake vibrators, TTYs, caption decoders, and shower benches available.

Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel
Main entrance: H Street is accessible; doorman on duty. 11th Street entrance is not accessible.
Restrooms: Accessible.
Sleeping rooms: 20 rooms are designed for wheelchair accessibility; 2 with roll-in showers.
Meeting rooms: Accessible with exception of Conference Theatre.
Restaurants: Accessible. Sports bar is 3–4 steps down to main section, but all services are available on the upper level.
Aids: Flashing fire alarms, shake-awake vibrators, TTYs, and caption decoders available. AT&T 2000 phones for TTY available on Independence Ballroom level
Note: Pool in health club has a lift available. No accessible signage for meeting rooms, restrooms, or guest rooms.

Hyatt Regency Washington, DC, Hotel on Capitol Hill
Main entrance: Accessible ramped entrance to the left of the main entrance; doorman on duty.
Restrooms: Most are accessible, signage needs to be placed at inaccessible restrooms indicating the location of those that are accessible.
Sleeping rooms: 18 rooms are designed for wheelchair access; limited number with roll-in showers.
Meeting rooms: Accessible.
Restaurants: Accessible.
Aids: Flashing fire alarms, door knockers, shake-awake vibrators, caption decoders, and TTYs available. Phone bank on lobby level has two outlets available, and TTYs are obtainable at the front desk. Phone bank on ballroom level has an AT&T 2000 phone for use as a TTY.
Parking: 2–3 spaces available next to the front entrance for high-top vans or vehicles that are equipped in such a special manner that only the owner can operate them.
Note: Although the health club can be approached and entered, it does not provide enough space for maneuverability in the locker rooms. Pool area is accessible by ramp, and there is a pool lift.

Renaissance Mayflower Hotel
Main entrance: Accessible on Connecticut Avenue only; doorman on duty.
Restrooms: Public restrooms have “accessible” stalls with limited space for maneuverability; sinks in stalls, non-compliant grab bars, varying stall sizes.
Sleeping rooms: 15 rooms are designed for wheelchair access; none with roll-in-showers.
Meeting rooms: The Grand Ballroom has a permanent incline platform lift at the entrance nearest to the 17th Street entrance, which also serves the Chinese Room. The Colonial Room requires a ramp to access the main part of the room, which is down three steps.
Aids: Flashing fire alarms, door knockers, shake-awake vibrators, caption decoders, and TTYs available.

Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel
Main entrance: On 9th Street, a doorperson is on duty.
Restrooms: Accessible with the exception of the restrooms near Meeting Rooms 8 and 9 on the meeting room level.
Sleeping rooms: 20 rooms are designed for wheelchair access; 5 with roll-in showers.
Meeting rooms: Accessible.
Restaurants: Accessible.
Aids: Flashing fire alarms, door knockers, shake-awake vibrators, caption decoders, and TTYs available. TTY located in the hallway outside Renaissance Ballroom.

Note: Parking for high-top vans is a problem at all of the headquarters hotels because of height limitations in the garages. Outside parking is also limited or nonexistent near the headquarters hotels.

Employers Interviewing Center

Because there will be no placement area in Washington, employers who would like an area in which to conduct interviews with potential job applicants may want to purchase booth space in the APA Exhibit Hall. An 8 foot by 10 foot booth in the Employers Interviewing Center of the Exhibit Hall may be purchased ($850 per booth) through the APA Exhibits Manager. Details may be requested by writing to Ms. Jodi Ashcraft, Exhibits Manager, APA, 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242 (telephone: 202-336-5565).

Child Care

For financial reasons, APA will not be providing on-site facilities for a children’s hospitality center in Washington. Parents who require child care during the convention may make arrangements with existing child care services in Washington. Although APA is providing the name of a resource that is located in Washington, APA is not endorsing this company or liable for services provided by it. Parents may call directly to make arrangements in advance.

WeeSIT, 10681 Oak Thrush Court, Burke, VA 22015; 703-764-1542: Child care providers will care for infants and other children in hotel rooms or will take children on outings in the city. A maximum of three children over three years old per family are allowed per sitter with a maximum of two children per sitter for children under three years old. All assignments will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Advance reservations are recommended. Fees: hourly fee (4-hour minimum) is $12.00 per hour for one child; add $1.00 per hour for each additional sibling. Tour services are available at $14.00 per hour for one child plus all expenses of child(ren) and sitter(s); add $1.00 per hour for each additional sibling. Transportation fee: $12.00 per sitter is also required. A 50% deposit, which is nonrefundable, is required within 10 days of the assignment.

Continuing Professional Education Workshops

Continuing Professional Education Workshops, designed to offer a broad array of continuing education topics for practitioners and scientists, will be offered during the convention. Sponsored by the APA Continuing Professional Education Committee, the workshops are designed to upgrade the skills and knowledge of clinicians, academics, and those in research. Participants earn continuing education credits for these workshops. All workshops are either half-day (4 hours) or full-day (7 hours) workshops. Complete information about the activities offered and an enrollment form will be in a special tear-out booklet in the May issue of The APA Monitor. Call the Continuing Professional Education Office at 1-800-374-2721, ext. 5991, if you have any questions prior to that time.

Convention Personnel

You may wish to contact one or more of the following persons before or during the convention:

Chair, Board of Convention Affairs: Rochelle Balter, PhD, c/o Convention Office, American Psychological Association, 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242.

Director, Convention/Meetings: Candy Won, American Psychological Association, 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242. (202) 336-6020.

Continuing Education Program: Jennifer Houley, American Psychological Association, 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242. (202) 336-5991.
If you will definitely not attend the convention and would like to order a copy of the *Convention Program*, please fill out the label below and return it to APA Convention Office, 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242. Your program will be mailed in late July or early August. Advance registrants and on-site registrants will automatically receive copies.

---

**Print Only—Zip Code Is Imperative**

Name ________________________________
Mailing Address _______________________
City _________________________________
State __________ Zip Code _____________
Advance Registration Instructions

Fill out the form on the facing page. Print legibly, entering information in the space allowed. Each individual attending convention activities must register using a separate form. For housing, fill out the Hotel Reservation Form found elsewhere in this section. Send the Advance Convention Registration Form no later than June 26, 2000, to APA 2000 Convention, P.O. Box 630303, Baltimore, MD 21263-0303. Beginning April 10, 2000, you can also register on-line on APA's Website at http://www.apa.org/convention/.

1. Name: Enter last name, first name, middle initial. Title: (Dr., Mr., Mrs.)—optional.
2. Institution: Enter your affiliation (e.g., Yale Univ, private practice, Sunset CMHC).
3. City, State or Province, and Country: Enter the city, state or province, and country (if not the United States) of your institution for your badge.
4. Mailing Address: Two lines are allowed for the mailing address. If it is necessary to designate a department, use the first of these two lines. (This address will be used to mail your badge and Convention Program in July.) Street address will facilitate delivery.
5. City, State or Province, Zip or Postal Code: Use standard post office abbreviations for the state or province.
6. Country: If you are not a resident of the United States, enter the name of your country.
7. Telephone Number: Please provide your daytime telephone number, including area code.
8. APA Member Number: Please provide your APA membership number.
9. E-mail Address: Please provide your E-mail address.
10. Registration Fee: Enter fee paid. Payment (check or credit card) for registration fee must accompany form. For those paying by Visa, MasterCard, or American Express, please complete the Credit Card Payment Authorization Form on the bottom of your Advance Convention Registration Form.
   - $165—APA Member, Fellow, Associate, Dues-Exempt Member, APA International Affiliate
   - $195—Nonmember of APA
   - $50—APA Student Affiliate
   - $75—Full-Time Student, APA High School Teacher Affiliate
   - $5—(Processing Fee) Nonmember Spouses/Equivalents, Dependents Under Age 18 (see below; $5 per person nonrefundable processing fee)

11. Membership Code: From the list below, select your membership status code; enter it in the space allowed.
   - M—APA Member
   - X—APA Dues-Exempt Member
   - H—APA High School Teacher Affiliate
   - Q—State/Provincial Association Representative
   - F—APA Fellow
   - N—Nonmember
   - S—APA Student Affiliate
   - B—Media Representative
   - A—APA Associate
   - R—APA International Affiliate
   - T—Full-Time Student
   - E—Exhibitor

12. Primary Division: If you are not a division member, leave this area blank. If you are a member of only one division, enter the division number (see list below) in this space. If you are a member of more than one division, enter the division numbers of your primary division membership here. This information is used in allocating program hours to divisions.

13. Other Divisions: If you are a member of more than one division and have listed your primary division in No. 12 above, list your remaining division memberships in order of most important to least important. List no more than 6 such memberships.

14. Institutional Code: Enter one of the following numbers to identify the type of institution to which you belong:
   - 1—Universities, Colleges, and Professional Schools
   - 2—Primary and Secondary Schools (Public and Private)
   - 3—Government (Federal, State/Provincial, or Local)
   - 4—Military
   - 5—Nonprofit Organizations (Research organizations, etc.)
   - 6—Hospitals, Clinics, CMHCs, or Independent Practice
   - 7—Other Professional (Non-Mental/Health) Services (Research organizations, etc.)
   - 8—Other (Retired/Emeritus, Self-Employed Individual/Owner, except Independent Practice, etc.)

15. Persons With Disabilities: If you are a person with a disability and require special assistance, check this box. Attach a separate note specifying special needs (e.g., van for wheelchair).

16. Nonmember Spouse/Equivalent or Dependent(s) Under Age 18 Registration: If you wish to register a nonmember spouse/equivalent or dependent(s) under 18 years of age, please provide name(s) for badge information. Nonmember spouse/equivalent and dependent(s) under age 18 are exempt from paying a registration fee if their names appear in this space on a fee-paying registrant's form. A $5 per person nonrefundable processing fee will be required.

17. City, State or Province, and Country: Please provide your city, state or province, and country (if not the United States) for badges of nonmember spouse/equivalent and dependents under age 18.

18. Total Fees Due: Enter total fees due. Payment must accompany form in order to process your registration.

19. Return the Advance Convention Registration Form to the APA 2000 Convention, P.O. Box 630303, Baltimore, MD 21263-0303. Advance Convention Registration Form will be returned by APA if not accompanied by a check or the Credit Card Payment Authorization Form for the registration fee. Checks must be payable in U.S. dollars and drawn on a U.S. bank.
American Psychological Association
Advance Convention Registration Form
August 4–8, 2000, Washington, DC

1. Name: 

2. Institution: 

3. City: 
State/Province: 
Country (if not U.S.): 

4. Mailing Address: 

5. City: 
State/Province: 
Zip/Postal Code: 

6. Country (if not U.S.): 

7. Telephone Number: 

8. APA Member Number: 

10. Registration Fee: Enclose check or money order made out to American Psychological Association or Credit Card Payment Authorization Form. 

11. Membership Code: 

12. Primary Division: 
(Primary division is used for allocating program hours to divisions.)

13. Other Divisions: 

14. Institutional Code: 

15. Person With Disability (Leave blank if not disabled): 

16. Name(s) of Nonmember Spouse/Equivalent or Dependent(s) Under Age 18: 

17. City: 
State/Province: 
Country (if not U.S.): 

18. Total Fees Due (Payment must accompany form): 

19. Return Form With Accompanying Check (in U.S. dollars/U.S. bank) or with a completed Credit Card Payment Authorization Form to: APA 2000 Convention, P.O. Box 630303, Baltimore, MD 21263-0303. DEADLINE: June 26, 2000.

Credit Card Payment Authorization Form

I authorize the American Psychological Association to charge my 2000 convention fees to my credit card as indicated below.

Name: 
(Name as it appears on credit card)

Address of Cardholder: 

Credit Card Number: 

Expiration Date: 

Circle One: VISA  MASTERCARD  AMERICAN EXPRESS

Fee to Be Charged: $ (convention registration)

Daytime Phone Number: 

Name of Registrant: 
(If different from cardholder)

Cardholder Signature: 

## Hotel and Rate Information

### Headquarters hotels

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Map number</th>
<th>Hotel</th>
<th>No. of Rooms</th>
<th>Single</th>
<th>Double or Double/Double</th>
<th>Triple</th>
<th>Suites*</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Capital Hilton Hotel</td>
<td>350</td>
<td>$147.00</td>
<td>$162.00</td>
<td>$187.00</td>
<td>$389.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(Divisions 2, 9, 18, 23, 24, 26, 27, 32, 34, 35, 36, 41, 44, 45, 48, 51, Psi Chi, Psi Beta, TOPSS)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel</td>
<td>750</td>
<td>$150.00</td>
<td>$175.00</td>
<td>$200.00</td>
<td>$250.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(Divisions 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 43, 46, 47, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, APAGS)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Hyatt Regency Washington, DC, on Capitol Hill</td>
<td>280</td>
<td>$142.00</td>
<td>$167.00</td>
<td>$192.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(APA Continuing Professional Education Workshops)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Renaissance Mayflower Hotel</td>
<td>400</td>
<td>$135.00</td>
<td>$135.00</td>
<td>$165.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(Divisions 2, 9, 18, 23, 24, 26, 27, 32, 34, 35, 36, 41, 44, 45, 48, 51, Psi Chi, Psi Beta, TOPSS)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel</td>
<td>700</td>
<td>$147.00</td>
<td>$162.00</td>
<td>$187.00</td>
<td>$450.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>(Divisions 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 43, 46, 47, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, APAGS)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Note.* Meetings for those divisions headquartered in the Grand Hyatt Washington Hotel and the Renaissance Washington, DC, Hotel will also be scheduled in the Washington Convention Center. APA registration, exhibits, and poster sessions will be located in the Washington Convention Center.

### Supplemental hotels

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Map number</th>
<th>Hotel</th>
<th>No. of Rooms</th>
<th>Single</th>
<th>Double or Double/Double</th>
<th>Triple</th>
<th>Suites*</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Courtyard by Marriott–Embassy Row Hotel</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>$105.00</td>
<td>$120.00</td>
<td>$135.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>Doubletree Hotel Park Terrace on Embassy Row</td>
<td>125</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$149.00</td>
<td>$169.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Four Points Hotel Washington, DC–Sheraton</td>
<td>90</td>
<td>$135.00</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td>$165.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>Governor's House Hotel</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$149.00</td>
<td>$169.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>Henley Park Hotel</td>
<td>65</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>Holiday Inn Central</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>$110.00</td>
<td>$110.00</td>
<td>$120.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>Holiday Inn Select</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>$130.00</td>
<td>$130.00</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>Holiday Inn Washington, DC, on the Hill</td>
<td>175</td>
<td>$132.00</td>
<td>$152.00</td>
<td>$172.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel and Suites</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>$95.00</td>
<td>$105.00</td>
<td>$115.00</td>
<td>$149.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>J. W. Marriott Hotel</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>$146.00</td>
<td>$146.00</td>
<td>$166.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16</td>
<td>Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>$139.00</td>
<td>$159.00</td>
<td>$179.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>17</td>
<td>Marriott at Metro Center</td>
<td>250</td>
<td>$136.00</td>
<td>$136.00</td>
<td>$156.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18</td>
<td>Morrison-Clark Historic Inn</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td>$165.00</td>
<td>$185.00</td>
<td>$200.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19</td>
<td>Phoenix Park Hotel</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>$119.00</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$149.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20</td>
<td>Quality Suites Downtown</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>$89.00</td>
<td>$89.00</td>
<td>$99.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21</td>
<td>Red Roof Inn–Downtown DC</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>$108.00</td>
<td>$108.00</td>
<td>$108.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>Hotel Washington</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$149.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23</td>
<td>Washington Court Hotel on Capitol Hill</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>$135.00</td>
<td>$155.00</td>
<td>$175.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>Washington Plaza Hotel</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>$115.00</td>
<td>$125.00</td>
<td>$145.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25</td>
<td>Wyndham Washington, DC, Hotel</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>$129.00</td>
<td>$139.00</td>
<td>$159.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Note.* Rates do not include 14.5% tax. See text for information on family accommodations, descriptions of hotels, and accessibility. The following international symbols represent the bed configurations. Single [ ], Double [ ~ ], Double/Double [ ~ ], Triple [ ] [ ] [ ], Wheelchair-accessible rooms are available. See text for details.

*Suites are a parlor and one bedroom.
HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

INSTRUCTIONS
Hotel reservations can be made through the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau by INTERNET, FAX, PHONE, OR MAIL between March 24, 2000, and June 26, 2000. All requests will be processed on a space-available basis. To reserve a room for the APA convention choose ONE of the following methods:

INTERNET: Beginning April 10, 2000, fill out the form and submit it directly by using the interactive Website at http://www.apa.orff

TELEPHONE: Call the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. central time at 800-492-7886 (toll free) or 847-940-4211 (international) or

FAX: Send a completed housing form, one copy per request, to 800-521-6017 or 847-940-2386 or

MAIL: Send a completed housing form to the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau, 108 Wilmot Road, Deerfield, IL 60015.

CONFIRMATIONS
The APA/WCVA Housing Bureau will send you a confirmation. Review it carefully for accuracy. If you do not receive a confirmation via E-mail, fax, or mail within 14 days after sending your request, please contact the housing bureau at 800-492-7886 or 847-940-4211.

ROOM RATES/TAXES
To take advantage of the special APA convention rates, be sure to book your reservation by June 26, 2000. After June 26, 2000, the official APA blocks will be released and the hotels may charge significantly higher rates.

All rates are per room night and are subject to a 14.5% tax (subject to change). Some hotels may charge additional fees for rooms with more than two occupants. When making a reservation, please provide room and bedding preferences in the Special Needs section of the housing form. The hotels will assign specific room types upon check in, on the basis of availability.

DEPOSITS
All hotels require a deposit of $150 with each reservation request. Requests received without a deposit will not be processed. Please fill out the credit card information entirely or mail a check made payable to the “APA/WCVA Housing Bureau.” Your credit card will be charged immediately. No wire transfers will be accepted.

CHANGES/CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS
Changes/cancellations made on or before June 26, 2000, should be made directly with the APA/WCVA Housing Bureau and will be refunded in full. Changes/cancellations made after 5:00 p.m. central time on June 26, 2000, are subject to a $16.00 administration fee. Your reservation must be cancelled 72 hours prior to arrival or your entire deposit will be forfeited.