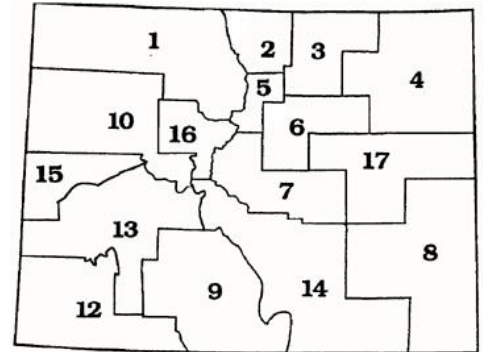


# CHAPTERS

See the table below to determine which CVMA chapter you belong to and whether your chapter charges any dues. Each chapter determines its own dues based upon the benefits, services, and events it offers throughout the year.

**Membership in your local CVMA chapter is required.**

For questions about chapter membership, please see the FAQs on the back of this page or call CVMA at 303.318.0447.



Chapter	Counties within Chapter	Chapter Dues
CVMA Chapter 1   Northwest	Jackson, Moffat, Routt, Grand	\$0
CVMA Chapter 2   Larimer County	Larimer	\$40
CVMA Chapter 3   Weld County	Weld	\$25
CVMA Chapter 4   Northeast	Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma	\$0
CVMA Chapter 5   Longs Peak	Boulder, Gilpin, Clear Creek	\$0
CVMA Chapter 6   Denver Area	Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Jefferson	\$139
CVMA Chapter 7   Colorado Springs Area	El Paso, Park, Teller	\$80
CVMA Chapter 8   Arkansas Valley	Baca, Bent, Cheyenne, Crowley, Kiowa, Otero, Prowers	\$0
CVMA Chapter 9   San Luis Valley	Alamosa, Costilla, Conejos, Mineral, Rio Grande, Saguache	\$0
CVMA Chapter 10   Roaring Fork	Garfield, Pitkin, Rio Blanco	\$0
CVMA Chapter 12   San Juan Basin	Archuleta, Dolores, La Plata, Montezuma, San Juan	\$0
CVMA Chapter 13   West Central	Delta, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Montrose, Ouray, San Miguel	\$0
CVMA Chapter 14   South Central	Chaffee, Custer, Fremont, Huerfano, Las Animas, Pueblo	\$0
CVMA Chapter 15   Grand Valley	Mesa	\$0
CVMA Chapter 16   Central Mountain	Eagle, Lake, Summit	\$0
CVMA Chapter 17   East Central	Elbert, Kit Carson, Lincoln	\$0



**Q What is the difference between a chapter and a district?**

**A** Districts are separate legal entities that collect their own membership dues, file their own tax returns, operate under their own bylaws, and maintain their own federal/state exemptions.

Chapters are geographically based, local organizations that fall under the legal umbrella of CVMA. CVMA and its chapters operate as one legal corporation. CVMA collects membership dues for chapters, takes on financial and administrative work for chapters, and files paperwork as one single entity.

**Q Why am I required to join a chapter in addition to my regular CVMA membership?**

**A** Prior to the chapter structure, you were already assigned to your local district, designated geographically; the new chapter structure formally recognizes that designation. CVMA and your local chapter provide complementary but different benefits. This requirement provides you with a more complete support system than in the past.

In addition, having one, unified professional association makes the veterinary profession's voice in Colorado stronger to influence legislators and regulators for the benefit of animal health and welfare, the public, and the profession.

**Q How are chapter dues determined?**

**A** Each chapter of CVMA sets its own membership fee. Dues may vary from chapter to chapter based on the services and benefits provided by each. For more information about your chapter, please contact your Chapter Representative. Their contact information can be found on the CVMA website at [colovma.org/chapters](http://colovma.org/chapters).

**Q What do my chapter dues include?**

**A** Offerings vary from chapter to chapter; not all chapters charge dues. If they do, your chapter dues may help your chapter hold local gatherings, CE events (often free or discounted), local programs, and more. For more information, visit your chapter's group page, contact your Chapter Representative or call the CVMA office at 303-318-0447.

**Q Where do I find information on my chapter's upcoming events, news, and information?**

**A** Each chapter has its own group page on the CVMA website. To access the page, simply visit [colovma.org](http://colovma.org), hover over the "Sign In" button in the top right corner, click on "Chapters and Districts," and then click on the link for your chapter's page. Once you have paid your membership dues, you will be able to click on your chapter's page to view the events calendar, learn about local news and updates, and connect with colleagues in your chapter through the member forum.