

# RETIRED? STAY IN UNISON

As a UNISON member you benefited from the essential cover that membership of the union gave you. Now that you've retired you can still have access to our range of benefits and deals and play an active part in your union by becoming a retired member.

It costs just £15 to become a retired member. This one off payment means you can:

- participate in UNISON's democracy
- have a voice on issues that matter to you
- benefit from a wide range of exclusive member discounts that can save you and your family money when you are shopping, buying insurance or looking for a holiday.

You qualify to become a retired member if you were a UNISON member continuously for at least two years on the day you retired.



  
*the public service union*

**UNISON – essential cover for you**

# Sign up today and stay involved

Simply complete the form below and post it to your branch, regional office or the freepost address on the back page

## 1 Tell us about you

Title	First name										
Surname/family name	Date of birth / /										
Home address											
Postcode											
email											
Phone number (please indicate if home, work or mobile)	National insurance number										
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Please give your ethnic origin: <i>(tick one box)</i>											
<input type="checkbox"/> Bangladeshi	<input type="checkbox"/> Pakistani	<input type="checkbox"/> Black African	<input type="checkbox"/> Black UK	<input type="checkbox"/> White UK							
<input type="checkbox"/> Chinese	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian UK	<input type="checkbox"/> Black Caribbean	<input type="checkbox"/> Black other	<input type="checkbox"/> Irish							
<input type="checkbox"/> Indian	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian other			<input type="checkbox"/> White other							

## 2 Tell us about yourself

Previous job or sector you worked in
Branch roles
Were you a UNISON rep?

### 3 Choose your branch

As a retired member you can choose which UNISON branch you wish to belong to. You can either stay in your current branch or choose to belong to a branch nearer to where you live.

*Please fill in the section below*

I wish to remain a member of my current branch

Branch name

I wish to belong to a different branch

Name of branch you wish to join

### 4 Payment

Please enclose a cheque (made payable to the branch you are intending to join – see section 3 above) with this form.

### 5 Authorisation

I wish to become a retired member of UNISON and accept its rules and constitution.

I confirm that I am eligible for retired membership in accordance with Rule C2.6.1

Signature

Date

If you need more information on UNISON and the retired members' organisation or you would like help filling in this form please call UNISON free on **0800 0 857 857**

# YOUR VOICE IS HEARD

UNISON has a dynamic and vibrant retired members' section. A national retired members' committee meets regularly to discuss the issues that matter to you – this gives you a voice at the heart of the union and ensures that your views are heard at our national and retired members' conferences.

We value your experience. Our retired members attend branch meetings and often mentor new branch officials and reps, as well as getting involved in local and national campaigns.

You are the link between the employed and retired and that solidarity between generations is so important to everyone. The NHS, the provision of a decent income in older age and a fair society all matter to every UNISON member, regardless of age.

UNISON works with other pensioner organisations in the UK and across the world which gives you plenty of opportunities to campaign on issues that are important to you.

## Join today

Simply fill in this form, attach your cheque and send it to your branch, your regional office or to the freepost address below;

Freepost RSKU-RRCA-HHSJ  
UNISON  
UNISON Centre  
130 Euston Road  
LONDON  
NW1 2AY



## Three simple ways to join UNISON today:



Join online at  
[joinunison.org](http://joinunison.org)



Call us on  
**0800 171 2193**



Fill in this form and  
send it to the freepost  
address above