

Be BASW

BASW offers services that protect, support and develop your social work career, and supports you to shape the profession and our context.

1 Be protected

£5 million of professional indemnity insurance. *Please note: students members are only covered for professional placements.**



2 Be represented

Get advice from BASW Advice and Representation, a team of qualified social workers, for professional and regulatory help. Opt in to the Social Workers Union from £1.66 per month for full, tailored employment help and protection services.*



3 Be recognised

Show your commitment to professional practice and use MBASW after your name.



4 Be progressing

Develop your career. Learn about the latest social work practice developed by and for social workers. Log your CPD from a range of free or discounted training, online resources and events.



5 Be informed

Professional Social Work (PSW) magazine – the UK's only printed social work magazine – delivered free to your door ten times a year. Member-only free access to selected resources online.



6 Be ethical

BASW's Code of Ethics along with a full range of guidance and policies, upholds the highest professional standards and practice.



7 Be saving

Save up to 75% on social work journals and books as well as discount shopping deals at major retailers. Plus heavily discounted and free CPD and events. 50% discount on student membership for first post-qualifying year.*



8 Be independent

A bespoke membership for self-employed social work professionals. BASW 'Independent Plus' includes Public Liability Insurance.* Be listed as a specialist in our directory to acquire business as an Independent member.



9 Be connected

Meet like-minded colleagues, through branches, events and special interest and other groups to share ideas, discuss practice, policies and develop our profession together. Join our community of social workers online – through Twitter, Facebook and LinkedIn.



10 Be heard

The powerful voice of 21,000 members, building the strength and influence of social work and calling for urgent action on issues that really matter. Be active in campaigns. Join one of our member committees, groups and networks to shape policies.



11 Be supported

Create your personalised wellbeing programme with the resource available through the online portal. Apply for financial support grants for education, hardship or international work.



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