

Educators who do their homework choose ATPE

See how TCTA measures up against ATPE.

	ATPE	TCTA
Annual dues (Professional/Associate/Administrator) First-Time Professional Member (Local organization dues may also apply.)	\$175/\$90/\$225 \$110	\$175/\$85 \$110
Membership (approximate)	Approx. 100,000	Approx. 44,000
Liability insurance* TCTA's policy continues to exclude claims where "deliberate indifference" is indicated.	\$8 million	\$8 million
Win or lose, legal costs guaranteed by insurance contract*: Employment rights defense per claim including: Dismissal Contract nonrenewal Change of assignment Resignation Salary Certification ATPE's win-or-lose employment rights defense is subject to \$20,000 aggregate per insured.	\$10,000 \$10,000 \$10,000 \$10,000 \$10,000 \$10,000	No [▲] No [▲] No [▲] No [▲] No [▲] No [▲]
Additional \$5,000 per claim for dismissal and certification cases that result in a favorable outcome*	Yes	No
Additional \$10,000 aggregate for favorable appeal beyond school board level*	Yes	No
Staff attorneys** Additionally, ATPE maintains the most full-time staff attorneys available to assist eligible members statewide with professional concerns of any Texas educator organization.	10	8 [•]

Information describing benefits pertains to ATPE's 2018-19 membership year and the latest verifiable information about TCTA's insurance policy and benefits as of July 1, 2018.

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▲ Insured attorney fees for employment rights defense paid up to \$15,000 only if final judgment is rendered in favor of insured.

• Certain TCTA staff attorneys fulfill multiple positions within TCTA.

*THE EDUCATORS PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY IS UNDERWRITTEN BY NATIONAL UNION FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF PITTSBURGH, PA. ALL COVERAGE IS SUBJECT TO THE EXPRESS TERMS OF THE MASTER INSURANCE POLICY ISSUED TO ATPE AND KEPT ON FILE AT THE ATPE STATE OFFICE. Terms and conditions apply. For more information and to view the detailed insurance policy, visit www.atpe.org/protection.



• The insured member services and staff attorneys' assistance are offered through separate programs.

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For all plans depicted, in the event that a conflict arises between this depiction and the master plan, the master plan prevails.

WHY DO MORE TEXAS EDUCATORS JOIN ATPE vs. TCTA?

Strength in numbers

Classroom teachers as members



ATPE: 70,000+



TCTA: approx. 44,000

Legal protection*



ATPE ATTORNEYS:
TEN



TCTA ATTORNEYS:
EIGHT

Membership in Texas



ATPE: Approx. 100,000



TCTA: approx. 44,000

SUPPORTS YOUR CAREER GROWTH

ATPE: WITH YOU EVERY STEP OF THE WAY



Bus driver Teacher Assistant principal

TCTA: COLLABORATION AND TEAMWORK ARE NOT PROMOTED



Liability coverage amounts

ATPE COVERAGE:

\$8 MILLION

TCTA COVERAGE:

\$8 MILLION

Employment rights defense guaranteed win or lose*

ATPE: UP TO

\$20,000

TCTA:

\$0

Local chapters

ATPE LOCAL UNITS
335



TCTA LOCALS
200



Advocacy

Number of lobbyists



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*Eligibility, terms, and conditions apply. Visit www.atpe.org/protection for more information.