

Benesh International Subscriptions FAQs

General

- Q. Can I be an RAD member and have a Benesh International subscription? Do I get a discount?
- A. Yes – you are able to be an RAD member and have a Benesh International subscription. RAD Registered Teachers and Life Members who are also qualified Benesh Choreologists are eligible to get a Professional Benesh Subscription for the cost of the difference between the Professional Benesh subscription and the Benesh subscription. Alternatively, we are able to offer a Benesh subscription for free (however this would not include access to the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation).
- Q. I am approaching Life Membership with the RAD, will a Benesh International subscription count to this?
- A. No. Benesh International subscriptions are separate from RAD membership. In order to obtain RAD Life Membership, you will need to keep your RAD membership up to date.
- Q. Are there concessionary rates?
- A. We do not currently have plans to introduce concessionary rates.
- Q. What is the difference between a Benesh subscription and a Professional Benesh subscription?
- A. A Benesh subscription is open to anyone – only those with a Benesh qualification (see published list) are able to have a Professional Benesh subscription which comes with access to the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation.

Professional Benesh Subscription

- Q. I am an RAD Registered Teacher, and also eligible for a Professional Benesh subscription. Do I get a discount?
- A. For anyone who is both an RAD Registered Teacher with a valid and up to date membership, and is also a professional Benesh Choreologist, we are able to offer a Professional Benesh subscription for the cost of the difference between the Professional Benesh subscription and the Benesh subscription. Alternatively, we are able to offer a Benesh subscription for free (however this would not include access to the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation). There would be no discount to your RAD membership. Please contact beneshinternational@rad.org.uk to discuss and receive a code for the appropriate discounted rate.
- Q. I am an RAD Life Member and also a qualified Benesh Choreologist. Can I transfer my Life Membership to Benesh?
- A. Benesh International subscriptions are not a membership, and so it is not possible to transfer your RAD Life Membership. However, you are able to keep your RAD Life Membership and we are able to offer a Professional Benesh subscription for the cost of the difference between the Professional Benesh subscription and the Benesh subscription. Alternatively, we are able

to offer a Benesh subscription for free (however this would not include access to the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation).
Please contact beneshinternational@rad.org.uk to discuss and receive a code for the appropriate discounted rate.

- Q. I am a qualified Benesh Choreologist but no longer actively practicing. Do I get a discount or is there a retired category?
- A. At present we are not able to offer a discount or a separate subscription category for non-active Benesh Choreologists. The Benesh subscription would still allow you to support Benesh International, however you would not have access to the benefits specifically for Professionals such as the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation.
- Q. I have a Benesh qualification which isn't listed. Am I eligible for a Professional Benesh subscription?
- A. Please contact beneshinternational@rad.org.uk with full information about your Benesh qualification to discuss eligibility.
- Q. I have completed all four units of BMN4Ballet, can I have a Professional Benesh subscription?
- A. No. Completing BMN4Ballet does not qualify you as a Benesh Choreologist. The list of eligible qualifications can be found on the [website](#).
- Q. My application for a Professional Benesh subscription has been declined. Why?
- A. We reserve the right to reject an application for subscription without disclosing the reason(s) for doing so. However, the most likely scenario for this is that you do not have an eligible Benesh qualification.

Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation (EBMN)

- Q. What is the Encyclopedia of Benesh Movement Notation (EBMN)?
- A. The EBMN is an online comprehensive reference resource of the signs and usage of the Benesh Movement Notation system in the dance and clinical contexts.
- Q. I am not a qualified Benesh Choreologist. Can I have access to the EBMN?
- A. Free access to the EBMN is a benefit for those with a Professional Benesh subscription. However, we are able to give access to anyone with an appropriate Benesh qualification and either a Benesh subscription or RAD membership for an additional annual subscription fee.
- Q. I had access to the EBMN as an RAD member, but I am not eligible for a Professional Benesh subscription. Can I keep my access?
- A. Free access to the EBMN is a benefit for those with a Professional Benesh subscription. However, we are able to give access to anyone with an appropriate Benesh qualification and a Benesh subscription or RAD membership for an additional annual subscription fee.
- Q. I can't remember my login information for the EBMN.
- A. At the moment there is no automatic 'forgotten password' function for the EBMN. Please email us at beneshinternational@rad.org.uk and we can send you new login information.

Payment, Refunds, Renewals

Q. Can I pay for a subscription over the phone?

A. We prefer for subscriptions to be paid for via Eventbrite, as this is the most straightforward method and enables us to capture all the information we require for your subscription. However, if you are not able to use Eventbrite, please contact beneshinternational@rad.org.uk to discuss an alternative.

Q. I no longer wish to have a Benesh International subscription. Can I get a refund?

A. As a subscriber, you will have a 7 calendar day cooling-off period from the date of placing your order in which you have the right to cancel your subscription. We will refund your payment within 20 working days from receipt of cancellation. You must confirm in writing if you wish to cancel your subscription.

We do not issue refunds on subscriptions after this 7-day period.

Q. Will my subscription renew automatically each year?

A. No. Subscribers will receive reminders from us towards the end of the subscription year that your subscription is due for renewal, and information on how to renew. If you do not renew your subscription, you will no longer have access to the benefits, or receive newsletters from Benesh International.

Q. I pre-registered my interest for a discounted subscription rate. How do I get this discount?

A. We have emailed all those who pre-registered their interest. Sometimes our emails are filtered into junk mailboxes, so please check there. If you haven't received an email from us, please contact beneshinternational@rad.org.uk.