

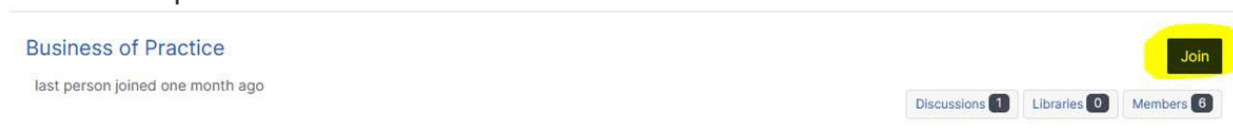
Thank you for your membership! The **TPA Connected Community** is a members-only platform designed for you to engage with other TPA members. By participating, you can help shape the direction of the Association, deepen relationships with your colleagues, and channel passions for specialties within the profession of psychology. Here's how to get started:

STEP 1 - JOIN TPA COMMUNITIES

- A. Visit: [Member Home - Texas Psychological Association \(connectedcommunity.org\)](https://tpa.connectedcommunity.org)
Login using your TPA username and password.
(Click [HERE](#) if you need to reset your password.)
- B. Peruse the list of TPA communities ([DIVs and SIGs](#)) and join the ones that interest you!
 - Select the dropdown arrow next to **"Communities"**
 - Select **"All Communities"** to view the list
 - Click the blue **"JOIN"** button next to the ones that interest you



Example:



STEP 2 – CONNECT! POST A MESSAGE OR A QUESTION TO YOUR GROUP

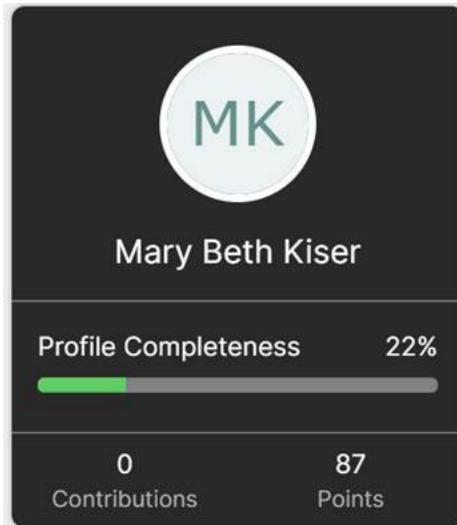
This can be done from [the above website](#) (we recommend bookmarking it), or from a mobile app (see below)!

- **To start a conversation with your colleagues or post a message, click [HERE](#).**
 - Select the TPA community in which you would like to post from your dropdown list.
 - Complete the online form and post! Use this forum anytime you'd like to ask a question of your colleagues or share information of interest.
- **To customize your email notification preferences:**
 - Click the "TPA" icon in the upper left-hand corner to return to the homepage. It looks like this:



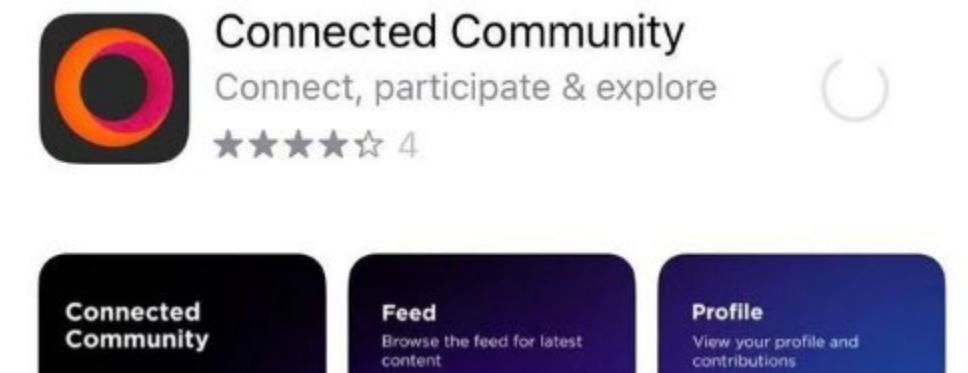
- Click the **"My Account"** dropdown, then select **"Community Notifications"**

- For each of your groups, the recommended/default setting is to receive 1 daily digest per group, per day. (If there was no group activity that day, you will not receive a digest email.)
- Notifications will automatically be sent to the primary email address on file in your TPA member account.
- **To update your privacy settings**, select the “**My Account**” dropdown then select “**Privacy Settings**.”
- **To update your profile**, from the homepage, click the black “Profile Completeness” box and complete your bio information. It looks like this:



TO DOWNLOAD THE APP:

- Visit the app store on your device and download the **Connected Community** app:



Login using the following credentials:

1. Domain: **connect.texaspsyc.org**
2. Enter your TPA username and password
3. Click the **SIGN IN** button.
4. When prompted, allow the app to access your TPA profile by clicking the blue **SUBMIT** button.

We hope you enjoy the new Connected Community! For assistance, please contact us at admin@texaspsyc.org.