

Looking for gigs?

When someone calls the union to hire musicians, our **referral service** handles the call. We match up our members with prospective clients. If you're a Local 802 member, signing up for the referral service is easy:

1. Go to www.Local802afm.org and click LOGIN from the grey menu bar near the upper right.
2. Once you're logged in, click on the red link "Update My Profile," from the list on the left.
3. About halfway down, when you get to the question, "Would you like to sign up for and receive e-mails for the Musicians' Referral Service?" be sure to fill in "yes."
4. If you're a member of a group, answer the questions about group name and size.*
5. If you're a teacher, be sure to answer that question too.

It's very important that you input all of the areas of work and styles that relate to you. The referral service uses these profiles to match musicians with the specific requests of the client. Often, we search our database by style of music, so if you've not provided this information, your name may not come up in the search. Many members do not have enough information listed in their profiles. The more information you give us about yourself, the better chance we have of matching you to a request that comes in. For more information, contact Steve Singer at Referral@Local802afm.org or (212) 245-4802, ext. 156

Also, from time to time, movie and TV producers call the union looking for musicians to perform on camera. If you're interested in being considered for this kind of work, contact Steve Singer at Referral@Local802afm.org or (212) 245-4802, ext. 156, and ask about sideline work.

* Remember that all members of the band must be members of Local 802. But, as a special incentive, if everyone in the band joins Local 802 at the same time, we will waive our \$100 initiation fee. For more details, contact Steve Singer at Referral@Local802afm.org or (212) 245-4802, ext. 156