



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership with Grand Pacific Health will enable you to be part of an organisation that will be at the forefront of addressing local primary health care needs and service gaps. You will be helping to ensure that services are better tailored to meet the needs of local communities. Grand Pacific Health is a company limited by guarantee. There are no shareholders only members. Governance is by a board of directors.

Members have these entitlements under the Constitution:

- To attend and vote at general meetings, usually only one meeting per year, called the Annual General Meeting (AGM). At least 21 days' notice of the place and time of the meeting is required. (Exceptional general meetings may also be called);
- To receive annual audited company financial accounts;
- To vote on any fundamental changes to the nature of the company, its name or its purposes, or what happens if it winds up.

The Constitution sets out what the company can do and why it exists, and deals with the holding of meetings, the admission of members, the appointment of directors and other rules relating to the running of the company. The Constitution is available on the Grand Pacific Health website: www.gph.org.au or may be inspected by appointment at the Company registered office.

Members will not be entitled to any dividend or other income from the company. If the company makes a profit this will be retained for future activities. If the company is wound up you will not receive any money from the company because the Constitution requires that it should be paid to another similar organisation.

Liability of members is limited to the \$5 (incl. GST) that the Constitution guarantees each member must pay to the company if required on winding up.

COMPANY OBJECTS

The Principal Purpose for which the Company is established is to be a health promotion charity within the meaning of item 1.1.6 of section 30-20 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 (Cth).

In carrying out its Principal Purpose the Company will seek to enhance the health status of the community through the delivery, integration or coordination of health care services through an effective, integrated and dynamic primary health care sector.

MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for membership of Grand Pacific Health you must be working in, be engaged in, or have a demonstrated interest in, primary health care.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Applicant to complete membership application form and submit with evidence of registration to the Company Secretary.
2. Company Secretary to check registration and practice details and confirm the applicant's agreement to the membership conditions.
3. Company Secretary to recommend applicant to the Board.
4. Board to approve or reject membership.
5. Applicant to be advised of outcome by Company Secretary, and, if successful, entered on the Membership register.

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF GRAND PACIFIC HEALTH

To the Board of Grand Pacific Health

I, _____ of _____
First name and surname Home street address

wish to become a member of *Grand Pacific Health Limited*, subject to the provisions of the Constitution. I agree that my liability as a member is limited to the Guaranteed Amount, being five dollars (\$5.00) which may be required in the event of the Company being wound up while I am a member or within 1 year of my ceasing to be a member.

Please provide the following information in support of your registration:

First name		Surname	
Gender		Date of birth	
Profession		Qualification	

Please tick one only:

- I am a legally qualified general practitioner or general practitioner registrar
- I am a legally qualified Health Professional working in, and in collaboration with, the primary health care sector
- I have a demonstrated interest in primary health care

Please provide details of your interest:

Contact details

Primary place of work			
Street address			
Suburb		Postcode	
Postal address			
Suburb		Postcode	
Phone		Mobile	
Email address		Fax	
After hours contact details			
Languages other than English spoken			

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Additional place of work			
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Suburb		Postcode	
Phone		Mobile	
Email address		Fax	
After hours contact details			

Mailing preferences

Grand Pacific Health may send communications regarding our activities, current health issues etc. to members via email (default to fax if no email). Formal notifications are sent by mail or email. Note, we do not distribute spam.

I consent to receiving electronic communication from GPH

Note it is a legal requirement to send AGM notifications by post or email.

Dated	
Signature	

ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO		
The Company Secretary Grand Pacific Health PO Box 1198 Wollongong NSW 2500	OR	Fax: 02 4226 9485

OFFICE USE ONLY

Registration verified Company Secretary endorsed

Verification method

Approved/rejected by Board, date / /

Member advised of outcome / / Acceptance letter sent

Details added to database / /

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