



MEMBERSHIP POLICY

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1. ELIGIBILITY FOR MEMBERSHIP

To be eligible for membership, you need to be over 18 years old and:

- Live, work or study in the area served by the Centre; or
- Be a client of the Centre

2. APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

An application for membership of the Centre must be made in writing in the form set out in Appendix 1, and lodged with the manager of the Centre.

As soon as practicable after the receipt of an application, the manager must enter the applicant's name in the Register of Members, upon which, subject to sub-rule (2), the applicant becomes a member of the Centre.

People applying for membership after 30 June and before the Annual General Meeting have their membership commence on the day after the Annual General meeting

3. ELECTORS

The Manager must keep a roll of electors in which must be entered the full name, address and date of entry of the name of each member. The roll must be available for inspection by members at the office of the Centre during normal business hours. The roll is the register of members within the means of the Associations Incorporations Act 1981.

All notices and other correspondence must be sent to members at the address shown in the roll of electors.

4. RENEWAL

All memberships shall lapse at the end of each Annual General Meeting and are renewable by completion of the form set out in Appendix 1. The Manager must include a copy of this form with the notice sent to members in accordance with Rule 13(2).

5. LIFE MEMBERS

The Committee may recommend to the Annual General Meeting that a person who has provided significant and important service to the Centre be elected a life member.

No more than 2 people can be elected life members at any Annual General Meeting.

No person can be elected a life member if the total number of life members would exceed 5% of the total membership of the Centre. This sub-rule does not prevent the transfer of life members or life governors under sub-rule (6) of this rule.

A life member resident within the area serviced by the Centre has all the rights and privileges of other members.

A life member not resident within the area served by the Centre has a right to attend meetings but not to vote at meetings or elections or be elected to the Committee.

Life members or life governors of the Centre before its incorporation under these Rules continue to be life members of the Centre



6. ENTRANCE FEE AND ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION

There is no entrance fee or annual membership fee.



7. APPENDIX 1: APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Membership of North Richmond Community Health Centre is free and entitles you to vote or nominate for election on the Board of Management.

It gives you a chance to have a say in how the Centre operates

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I certify that I meet the conditions for membership listed above.

Members Signature	Date
Signature of the NRCHC	Date received

To apply for membership, please complete your details in the boxes below

First Name	<input type="text"/>		
Surname	<input type="text"/>		
Street Name & Number	<input type="text"/>		
Suburb	Postcode	<input type="text"/>	
Phone: Home	Business	<input type="text"/>	
Mobile phone	<input type="text"/>		
Email	<input type="text"/>		

Notes Membership of North Richmond Community Health Centre covers the period 1st July to 30th June only and expires at the end of the first Annual General Meeting (AGM) after enrolment.

When an application is received after 30th June and before the year's AGM, membership will begin on the day after the AGM

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT. BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

MEMBERSHIP IS FREE