An invitation to join / rejoin the Council

Hepatitis C Council of NSW
PO Box 432
DARLINGHURST NSW 1300
Or fax: 02 9332 1730

About the Council

We are a community-based, non-government, membership organisation and a health promotion charity. Our role is to represent and provide services to people affected by hepatitis C throughout NSW. The Council is overseen by a voluntary Board of Governance, primarily made up of people elected by the membership. Although primarily funded by NSW Health, we rely heavily on the involvement and support of our members.

Privacy policy

The Hepatitis C Council of NSW respects and upholds your rights to privacy protection. In accordance with National Privacy Principles, we have a detailed policy and set of procedures regulating how we collect, use, disclose and hold your personal information.
For a copy of the policy, please contact the Council office on 02 9332 1853 (Sydney and non-NSW callers), or 1800 803 990 (NSW regional callers), or visit our website: www.hepatitisc.org.au

Membership

Our membership year begins on 1 March and runs to the end of February the following year. All members (including Zero Fee members) must renew their memberships on an annual basis.

Membership income assists the Council greatly in its work throughout the year.

For NSW health care workers

One of our services is the NSW *Hep C Helpline*, an information and support phone line that is able to refer callers to a range of services and health care workers in their local area (within NSW only).

If you want to be listed on our database as a referral option, please indicate on this form and return to us by fax or post. We will provide posted regular HCV update information. Please note that we encourage services on our referral database to become members of the Council.

As the most widely-read hepatitis C publication in NSW, targeting both people affected by hepatitis C and health care workers, *The Hep C Review* is provided free to all members of the Council.

If your service has clients/patients who may be interested in *The Hep C Review*, please indicate the number of extra copies you would like to receive on this form.

1. Please complete A or B or C, then complete other side

A. For people affected by HCV, or other interested people			
Name			
Postal address			
Suburb/town			
State		Postcode	
Home phone		Email:	

B. For individual healthcare or related professionals			
Name			
Occupation			
Postal address			
Suburb/town			
State		Postcode	
Work phone		Work fax	
Mobile		Email:	
May we list you on our referral database?			
Copies of *The Hep C Review* required			1 2 5 10 20 50 100

C. For agencies, organisations and companies			
Name of agency			
Contact person			
Position			
Postal address			
Suburb/town			
State		Postcode	
Work phone		Work fax	
Mobile		Email:	
May we list you on our referral database?			
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membership form / renewal / tax invoice

2. Are you a new or existing member?	
This is the first time I've applied to become a financial member	
I'm already a financial member and this is a membership renewal	
I currently receive your magazine and I want to become a financial member	
I'm not sure - please check your database	

3. Our membership year begins on 1 March and finishes on the last day of February. To become a financial member, please tick one membership fee box, below:	
Waged: for people in paid employment	$25
Concessional: for people on government benefits	$10
Zero Fee membership: for people in NSW experiencing severe financial hardship (NSW prison inmates)	$0
Individual health or allied professionals	$40
Community-based agency (Management Committee run)	$50
Public/private sector agency	$70
NB: Above are Australian rates only. Overseas applicants please contact the office or consult our website for additional surcharge information.	

4. Contact with the Council office.	
We post our magazine out every three months in plain unmarked envelopes. Occasionally, we contact members (especially those living in Sydney) by phone or mail, seeking volunteer assistance here in the office.	
I'd like to assist. Please contact me regarding volunteer work	
Please do not contact me regarding volunteer work for the Council	

5. Separate donations are gratefully accepted by the Council. **Donations of $2 and over are tax deductible.**	
If you would like to make a separate donation, please record the amount here:	$.....

6. If paying by credit card, please provide all information in this section.

Card number:

Card type	MasterCard	Visa	Bankcard

Expiry date:	month:		year:	

Cardholder signature:

Please print cardholder name:

7. Payment, GST and postage instructions

All Council membership fees are GST exempt but for most people, our membership fees are not tax deductible.

If paying by cheque or money order, please make payments out to:

Hepatitis C Council of NSW - Membership

Please post payments to
Hepatitis C Council of NSW
PO Box 432 DARLINGHURST NSW 1300

Our ABN is **96 964 460 285**

8. Would you like us to post you a receipt?	
If you would like a receipt for your payment, please tick the box (right)	

9. Declaration - I accept the objects and rules of the Hepatitis C Council of NSW and apply for membership of the Council. I agree to my personal contact details being held by the Council and used in accordance with the Council's privacy policy.

Signed:	Dated:

If you would like to obtain a copy of our constitution or privacy policy, please contact the office (02 9332 1853) or visit our website: www.hepatitisc.org.au

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staff initials							