



# Mental Health Reform

Promoting Improved Mental Health Services

## Why Join Mental Health Reform?

Mental Health Reform's strength is derived from its membership. Mental Health Reform relies on its members for their experience, skills and ideas. Strong membership allows Mental Health Reform to promote improved mental health services in Ireland. With our members, Mental Health Reform has established itself as the umbrella organisation of the mental health reform movement in Ireland.

The benefits of membership include, but are not limited to:

- The opportunity to be part of a growing movement pressing for the implementation of *Sharing the Vision*, Ireland's national mental health policy
- Participation in the movement for reform of mental health services in Ireland;
- Updates on strategic developments in mental health;
- Notification of upcoming events relating to mental health;
- Profile your work on Mental Health Reform's social media channels and website

## Who Can Become a Member?

Mental Health Reform offers Governing Membership, Associate Membership and Affiliate Membership to organisations who share our vision and values.

### Governing Membership

Governing Membership is open to not-for-profit/non-governmental organisations with the exception of non-governmental organisations who provide inpatient mental health services and/or approved centre(s). Governing members can participate in the Board structures of Mental Health Reform and have the right to vote and participate in official business of the Company at its General Meetings.

### Associate Membership

Associate membership is open to all non-governmental organisations who are committed to the values and implementation of *Sharing the Vision*, including unions, professional associations, training and education bodies and those who provide inpatient mental health services and/or approved centres. Associate members do not participate in the Board structures of Mental Health Reform and do not have the right to vote or participate in official business of the Company at General Meetings.

### Affiliate Membership

Affiliate membership is open to for-profit organisations whose primary area of work is mental health with the exception of organisations who provide inpatient mental health services and/or approved centre(s). For-profit organisations must be committed to the values and implementation of *Sharing the Vision*. Affiliate members do not participate in the Board structures of Mental Health Reform and do not have the right to vote or participate in official business of the Company at General Meetings.

To become an Affiliate Member, an existing Governing member or a Director of Mental Health Reform must nominate the organisation in writing for the consideration of the Board.

## Membership fees

Membership fees for Governing Members are calculated on the annual income of the organisation as per their most recently filed annual accounts.

<b>Income</b>	<b>Annual Fee</b>
€1m and above	€617
€700k to €999k	€491
€400k - €699k	€241
€100k - €399k	€113
Under €100k	€50

Membership fees for Associate Members is €113 per annum.

Membership fees for Affiliate Members are calculated on the annual income of the organisation as per their most recently filed annual accounts.

<b>Income</b>	<b>Annual Fee</b>
€10m and above	€5,000
€5,000,000 - €9,999,999	€3,750
€1,000,000 - €4,999,999	€1,500
€700k to €999k	€425
€400k – €699k	€275
€100k - €399k	€125
Under €100k	€50

# Application for Membership of Mental Health Reform

<b>Name of Organisation</b>	
<b>CEO</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Phone</b>	
<b>Email</b>	
<b>Website</b>	
<b>Reason for making application</b>	
<b>Email of contact person</b>	
<b>Applying for</b>	Governing Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Membership <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Date of Establishment</b>	
<b>Legal Status</b>	
<b>Number of Staff</b>	
<b>Annual Income</b>	

## Declaration

\_\_\_\_\_ commits to support the values, vision and mission of Mental Health Reform, and that \_\_\_\_\_ is up to date in its fulfilment of its requirements of the Charities Regulator.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## How to Submit Your Application

In order to be considered for membership, your application must be submitted with the following documents:

- Copy of the organisation's constitution
- Copy of recent annual accounts dated within the last two years
- Copy of annual report dated within the last two years

Please return your application and documentation to Stephen Sheil, Mental Health Reform, Coleraine House, Coleraine St, Dublin 7 or email a scanned copy to [ssheil@mentalhealthreform.ie](mailto:ssheil@mentalhealthreform.ie)