

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TO
PALLIATIVE CARE NURSES AUSTRALIA INC.

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*Striving for excellence in
Palliative Care Nursing*

through

Leadership

Representation

Professional Support



In 2003, a small group of palliative care nurses, led by Professor Margaret O'Connor, identified the need for a national palliative care nursing organisation. Initial seeding funding and administrative assistance from Palliative Care Australia enabled this to become a reality.

Palliative Care Nurses Australia Incorporated [PCNA] was officially launched at the PCA National Conference in August 2005.

PCNA holds a national palliative care nursing conference every second year, following the very successful inaugural conference held in Melbourne in 2006.



Membership is available to any nurse employed in palliative care or any person who has an interest in palliative care nursing.



Office Bearers and Committee Members are elected at the Annual General Meeting.

VISION:

Excellence in palliative care nursing for our community through leadership, representation and professional support.

AIMS:

- ◆ To promote palliative care nursing in a changing environment
- ◆ To encourage participation in local, national and international palliative care nursing activities
- ◆ To foster the sustainability of the nursing workforce in palliative care
- ◆ To promote the professional development of nurses caring for people with a life limiting illness
- ◆ To provide opportunities for collaboration and networking among members
- ◆ To facilitate knowledge, research, education and policy in palliative care
- ◆ To inform policy in palliative care

WHAT I CAN EXPECT FROM MEMBERSHIP:

- ◆ Quarterly newsletter
- ◆ Participation in on-line forums
- ◆ Opportunity to join sub-committees
- ◆ Opportunity to contribute to the development of palliative care nursing in Australia
- ◆ Opportunity to network with other palliative care nurses



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Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ P/C _____

Is this address Private Business?

Preferred phone contact: (____) _____

Email: _____

Designation: Registered Nurse
 Enrolled Nurse
 Carer
 Other _____

Current Place of Work: _____

What is your role there? _____

Are you interested in being involved in any of the following PCNA Inc. sub-committees?

- Membership and Marketing
- Newsletter and Website
- Biannual Conference (location changes according to the State hosting the conference)
- PCNA Competencies development

If you have indicated interest in any subcommittee, a member of the PCNA Inc. National Committee will contact you soon.