

Membership Application Form

Case Management Society of Australia Ltd
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Preferred mailing address: Home Work

Title: _____ First name: _____

Surname: _____

Qualification(s): _____

Email: _____

Mailing address: _____

Suburb: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____

Country: _____

Employer: _____

Job title: _____

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State: _____ Postcode: _____

Country: _____

Work phone: _____ Fax: _____

Which of the following best describes your special interest?
Please tick all that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Disability Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acute Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Immigration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental health | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Protective Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Aged care |
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Number of years in Case Management?

0-3 4-6 7-10 Over 10

How did you hear about CMSA?

Colleague Journal Internet Other

How many Case Managers in your organisation? _____

Membership Category:

(Tick which one you would like to apply for)

Individual \$267 Student \$190

Corporate:

Level 1 \$1442 Level 2 \$2310 Level 3 \$3956

Please note these rates are applicable for Australia.

Corporate Members - please provide contact details for the individuals nominated as corporate members.

Tax Invoice

Method of Payment

Cheque or money order (enclosed)

Amount enclosed

Cheques should be made payable to CMSA

Credit Card

Visa Mastercard

Card Number:

Expiry date: __/__/____ Amount: _____

Name on card: _____

Cardholder's signature: _____

For Office Use Only

Date received: _____ Receipt number: _____

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MEMBERSHIP

The benefits of CMSA membership for you include:

- Access to the members' area of the CMSA website, for issues of all bulletins and case management journals, published conference papers and other information.
- Access to AHR website, for all AHR journal back issues.
- All Individual members and the Principal member of each Corporate receives a complimentary copy of the 2008 revised edition of the "National Standards of Practice for Case Management" document .
- Four issues per year of the AHR Journal mailed to you.
- Two issues per year of the CMSA Bulletin mailed to you.
- Substantial discount on registration to the CMSA annual conference and other CMSA forums as a member.
- Opportunity to network via CMSA website and at forums with other like practitioners.
- Opportunity to participate in working committees attached to the CMSA Strategic Plan.
- CMSA assistance in forming case management member interest groups.
- Submit details of job vacancies in your organisation which will be available to all visitors to the CMSA website.
- Opportunity to be involved and be part of paving the direction of future Case Management in Australia

Categories of Membership:

Individual members:

\$267.00 (incl GST) per annum.

Full Time Student members:

\$190.00 (incl GST) per annum.

Corporate members:

Level 1, at an annual cost of \$1442 (incl GST) - provides for one individual (principal) membership and associated corporate membership for a further five nominated individuals from an organisation.

Level 2, at an annual cost of \$2310 (incl GST) - provides for one individual (principal) membership and associated corporate membership for a further 9 nominated individuals from an organisation.

Level 3, at an annual cost of \$3956 (incl GST) - provides for one individual (principal) membership and associated corporate membership for a further 17 nominated individuals from an organisation.

CASE MANAGEMENT

Case Management is a client-focussed process that supports clients to reach their optimal level of health, function and well being.

The CMSA has adopted the following definition of case management:

Case management is a collaborative process of assessment, planning, facilitation and advocacy for options and services to meet an individual's health needs through communication and available resources to promote quality cost-effective outcomes.

The Case Management Society of Australia (CMSA) was established in 1996 as a network for people involved in Case Management as practitioners, managers, educators, program and policy planners.

The Society aims to promote the National Standards of Practice for Case Management published in 2004 & revised in 2008, and supports research, systematic evaluation practices, and professional development opportunities for members.

CMSA seeks to widen the interest in Case Management as a service delivery approach, advocate for policy strategies that adequately resource programs based on a Case Management approach and lobby for policy change to address identified gaps in resources that mitigate against effective service arrangements for clients and their carers.

WHY BECOME A MEMBER?

The CMSA is a non profit organisation receiving no government funding to support its ongoing running costs. As a result, it relies heavily on the support of its members to ensure that it remains dedicated to the development of the practice of quality Case Management, and continues to focus on the work needed to advance Case Management practice in the future.

Recent achievements made by CMSA:

- Publication of follow up practitioner tools to the National Standards of Practice for Case Management - The "National Standards Self Assessment Framework" & the "National Standards Self Assessment Matrix" and major Revision of National Standards Document in 2008.
- Publication of the CMSA Ethical Principles document.
- Publication in collaboration with Aged Care Services Australia (ACSA) "Case Management in Community Care" Discussion Paper.
- 12th Case Management Society of Australia National Conference held in June 2009.
- Consultative work in reviewing the viability of a model of certification for case management practitioners suitable for the Australian context.

- Collaboration with Australian Healthcare Association, who publish the Australian Health Review (AHR), and the subsequent development of a "Models of Care" sub section in the AHR under CMSA editorial.
- Online database listing and archiving of the Australian Journal of Case Management (ceased production Dec 06).
- Collaboration with Standards Australia (SAI Global) to expand the sales and use of the National Standards documents across Australia and overseas markets.
- Consultation and participation in the major review of the Case Management and service coordination courses in the VET sector, in particular the CHC02 review.
- Expansion of the previous CMSA Member Bulletin to incorporate Case Management articles and member information.
- Review of the CMSA Constitution and business structure to enable it to move forward in the future.

In the next 12 months, CMSA will continue building on these achievements with further work including:

- Survey of member needs to determine future direction of CMSA.
- 12th Case Management Society of Australia National Conference, 16-17 September 2010.
- Further collaboration with ACSA and other major stakeholders in policy areas pertaining to Case Management practice and needs of CMSA members.
- Continued collaboration in the CHC02 review with CHISC & Industry Boards and the education needs of Case Managers.
- Major updating of CMSA website for the benefit of members to interact with each other and to further develop networking opportunities.
- Development of case management consultancy and training opportunities.

The Case Management Society of Australia enjoys broad industry support

The CMSA Board includes representatives from:

- Ballarat Health Services, Victoria
- Bapcare, Victoria
- Bellarine Community Health Inc, Victoria
- Care Connect, Victoria
- Community Care (Northern Beaches), NSW
- Macquarie University, NSW
- Melbourne City Mission, Victoria
- NSW Community Options Project, NSW
- Queensland Health, Qld
- University of Technology, NSW

