



Membership Form for Ordinary Members

Welcome to RESPECT Inc! We are sex workers united for sex workers' rights

To be an ordinary member you must be a current or past sex worker
Ordinary members are eligible to attend meetings, sit on management committee and vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Applicant's Name:

We recommend that you use a working first and last name, as the membership list can be accessed by other members of RESPECT Inc.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Contact Details:

This information is kept confidential and cannot be accessed even by other members of RESPECT Inc.
Please only provide details (e.g. email, phone number postal address) that are safe for us to contact you on using the name you have given us.

We will use this contact information to keep you up to date about meetings, social events and send you important information (ugly mugs, law changes etc.) so PLEASE let us know if your contact details change

Payment Received

\$5 Ordinary member

Membership fees are a tax deductible work expense

Signed by the Applicant:

Name: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Nominated By:

New members need to be nominated by an existing member. Don't know an existing member who can nominate you? Don't be shy, give us a ring or email and we will sort you out!

Name: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

I agree with the objectives of Respect Inc

Yes, I would like to be added to the
Respect Inc group email list

Send to:

RESPECT Inc PO Box 2410 Townsville 4810

Seconded By:

This section will be processed at the next meeting of the management committee

Name: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

The objectives of Respect Inc are:

1. To provide a range of education, information and resources that will support sex workers and increase their awareness of occupational health, safety, emotional wellbeing, legal and taxation rights and responsibilities, in a non judgmental and non-invasive environment.

2. To provide health promotion programs to sex workers (*TBC compliance with taxation law may require more detail in this section)

3. To operate within a context of accountability, equity and transparency.

4. To recognise that by providing education, information and support to sex workers, sex workers will be effectively resourced as safer sex educators to pass on those educational benefits to the larger general population.

5. To operate within an affirmative action approach, that is, with all direct services by peers (sex workers past or present) within all levels of the organisation, including management, staff and volunteers, and to foster a culture of inclusiveness and mutual respect within the diverse community of sex workers.

6. To lobby government to provide sex workers with legal avenues to work within any area of the Queensland sex work trade/industry as they choose (e.g., escort, in-house, agency, private/sole operator, co-operatives and/or street) without fear of arrest or prosecution for criminal offences related to sex work business activities.

7. To provide a legitimate voice for Queensland sex workers advocating for legal and other social policies to support sex workers' human, civil and workplace rights and access to remedies without discrimination, including programs and initiatives that aim to reduce discrimination and stigma against sex workers, past and present.

8. To support and liaise with national, state and regional sex worker rights groups in the development of networks, programs and objectives.

9. To build and foster constructive relationships with all stakeholders for the benefit of sex workers.

Certificate of Ordinary Membership: RESPECT Inc.

Member name:

Membership No.

Payment received: Date Amount \$ Receipt No.