

Continuing Member Application Form

I, _____ wish to continue my financial membership at the Mackay Women's Centre.

Please tick relevant membership type			
<input type="checkbox"/> Ordinary Membership (Member of the public)	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Membership (Representing an organisation)		
If you are an associate member, please provide organisation details.			
Organisation Name		Phone	
Personal Contact Details			
Name:			
Postal Address:			
Suburb:		Postcode:	
Email:		Phone:	

Please indicate if you have any interests or skills that you would be willing to use for the benefit of the organisation: _____

I agree with and support the Mission and Philosophy of Mackay Women's Centre.

Signature: **Date:**

We, the undersigned financial members, accept the nomination of continuing membership for membership of Mackay Women's Centre:

Nominator: **Signature:**

Secunder: **Signature:**

<p>Ordinary member: \$11.00 Employed Ordinary membership fee (\$10 + \$1 GST);</p> <p>Ordinary Member: \$5.50 Unemployed Original membership fee (\$5 + \$0.50 GST)</p> <p>Associate member: \$11.00 for Associated membership fee (\$5 + \$0.50 GST)</p>	<p>Please return this form to:</p> <p>Mackay Women's Centre 418 Shakespeare Street, P O Box 444 Mackay QLD 4740 Admin@mackaywomenscentre.com.au</p>			
Office use only:				
Membership receipt number	Amount Paid	Date of payment	Approved by committee	Membership Card Issued
		//___	_/_/___	_/_/___
Entered into Financial Membership Register	_/_/___	Membership Number		
Membership application accepted at the Management Committee meeting date			_/_/___	

..... Date _/_/___
 Secretary's Full name and signature

Mission of the Mackay Women's Centre

The Mackay Women's Centre is committed to providing an environment that supports and facilitates the empowerment of all women. The Mackay Women's Centre is dedicated to offering women centred services that draw on the strengths of feminist principles. In line with these values, where necessary the centre may challenge patriarchal attitudes perpetuated through societal institutions that enforce inequality of power.

The Mackay Women's Centre is dedicated to ensuring that women can access specialist skills and knowledge that are responsible to their needs.

The Mackay Women's Centre is dedicated to ensuring that the focus of the services provided out of the centre are women-centred and prioritise the safety of women and their children.

The Mackay Women's Centre is committed to maintaining the relationships and processes that ensure the long-term viability of the service by valuing and recognising difference and sharing a common understanding of the gender-related issues that are faced by all women in society.

Philosophy of the Mackay Women's Centre

The Mackay Women's Centre believes in:

- the right of women to make choices in their own lives;
- The right of women to dignity, respect, privacy and confidentiality;
- the right of women to be valued as individuals;
- the right of women to access services on a non-discriminatory basis;
- the right of the community to have accountable and responsive services.

The outcomes pursued by the Mackay Women's Centre are:

- Well women
- Safe women
- Smart women
- Creative women