

Declaration and Proposal Details

I undertake to be bound by the provisions of the Constitution and By-laws of the Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland.

I am over 18 years of age.

Applicant's Name

Applicant's Signature

Date

Proposer's Name

Proposer's Signature

Date

- (1) The proposer must be a current member of the League.
- (2) The applicant will be advised of the success of the application in writing by the Secretary of Approval of Membership.

Payment Details

- Enclosed is a cheque / money order payable to "Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland"; or
 Please charge my (please circle):

Mastercard / Visa / Diners Club / Amex (#_____)

Card No.

Expiry

Cardholder

Cardholder's Signature

Office Use Only

Notice of acceptance and subscription sent: _____

Subscription received for financial year: / .

Receipt No.: _____ Date: _____

Amount Received: _____ Registered: _____



About the League

The Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland was formed in 1948 by a group of concerned parents, to provide services not available from government or other community agencies.

The League currently assists thousands of people with cerebral palsy and related disabilities to lead fulfilling lives.

While support needs vary through the different stages of life, the League gives particular emphasis to early intervention. Services are provided to target children at an early age, which is fundamental in realising or maximising future life opportunities.

As a not-for-profit organisation, the League struggles to obtain sufficient funding, so we need your support to ensure we can continue to make a difference in the lives of people with cerebral palsy and related disabilities.

Join us to create capability from disability!

Contact Us

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Information for Individuals



**Cerebral Palsy
League of Queensland**

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Please return form to: The Company Secretary,
PO Box 386, Fortitude Valley Q 4006

For assistance with your application,
please telephone +61 7 3358 8011

About Cerebral Palsy

Cerebral palsy is a condition usually caused by brain damage occurring at or before birth. It is marked by muscular impairment resulting in difficulties with movement and posture. Often accompanied by poor coordination, it sometimes involves speech and learning difficulties.

Cerebral palsy is not hereditary so it can occur in any family. It is estimated in Australia that a child is born with cerebral palsy every 15 hours. It is the most common physical disability in childhood and there is no cure.

Cerebral palsy can be grouped into three main types which describe the disorders of movement and posture that may be experienced. These are:

Spasticity

Spasticity occurs when muscles are high in tone (tension), but weak in strength. A person with spasticity may have trouble moving their limbs or adopting a stable position.

Athetosis

Athetosis refers to uncontrollable movements which are often most noticeable when a person with this type of cerebral palsy commences movement.

Ataxia

Ataxia is characterised by unsteady, shaky movements or tremor. A person with this form of cerebral palsy has difficulty using their muscles to achieve balance and coordinated movement.

With appropriate support, people with cerebral palsy can lead personally fulfilling lives and make a valuable contribution to the community.

Why Become A Member?

Members of the Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland are offered many benefits including opportunities to participate in the League and its activities; access to expertise and resources; and discounts.

League members have a powerful voice. They may:

- Strengthen advocacy
- Vote on important issues (not staff)
- Contribute to debates
- Help change policy and legislation
- Influence funding initiatives
- Assist in developing new models of service delivery
- Contribute to building community awareness

Membership Benefits

Opportunities to participate in the League and its activities

- Attend the Annual General Meeting (AGM)
- Vote at the AGM (not staff)
- Receive invitations to all events
- Complementary League of Friends membership

Access to expertise and resources

- Access to information on cerebral palsy and related disabilities
- Access to national and international information and research
- Receive the Annual Report and other publications
- Receive quarterly newsletters

Discounts

- Receive a discount to some fundraising events

Personal Details

Title	First Name
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Surname	Date of Birth
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Address	
<input type="text"/>	
Suburb/Town	Postcode
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
League Location (for staff members)	
<input type="text"/>	
Telephone (BH)	Telephone (AH)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Mobile	Facsimile
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Email	
<input type="text"/>	

Association with the League

I am interested in the League because I am a:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Client | <input type="checkbox"/> League Staff Member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carer | <input type="checkbox"/> Educator / Researcher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Relative | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service Worker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

Membership Type

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinary | \$30.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinary (concession/pension) | \$15.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff | \$20.00 |