



## Membership Application Procedure

### Background

At MMM we believe in the power of mothers to make the world a better place and advocate for their recognition and support as changemakers.

Created in 1947, we are an international NGO with no political or religious affiliations, transparently voicing the concerns of mothers at the highest level. We work with a network of more than 40 member associations active in the field around the world, representing over 10 million mothers. We provide them with a voice, visibility and exposure. The importance of associate members cannot be emphasized enough. Together, we are stronger in highlighting and addressing the needs and concerns of mothers with decision makers and the general public. Beyond the diversity of cultures and environments, mothers have a lot in common. Our strength as an NGO is in bringing mothers together whilst recognising their potential in the areas of education, health, peace and economy.

MMM has representation within key International Institutions:

- United Nations in New York, Geneva and Vienna. MMM benefits from the General Consultative Status with ECOSOC
- European Union in Brussels
- UNESCO in Paris

### Our requirements

Please return the completed Membership form (in Word format).

To help you with your application, refer to the attached MMM Charter.

In addition, please send us the required documents as below either by email or via your website link:

- Constitution/byelaws of your association
- List of your Board members (if available)
- Latest AGM report
- Two latest Activity reports
- Two latest Financial reports

According to our bylaws, our executive office and board of directors will review your application and the supporting documents at the next meeting. Upon approval, we will send you a Membership Commitment and Subscription form to sign, scan and return. By signing, your association expresses its agreement to conform to the MMM [Mission, Vision](#) and Commitment Charter. Your membership will become effective upon receipt of the signed form and your annual subscription.

A two-year review period will follow enabling both you and MMM to confirm that the established collaboration meets with our respective expectations.

We wish you every success in your work.

Best regards

Marie-Liesse Mandula - General Secretary

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