



# Become a member of HEAL

Better health through a healthy environment

## The mission of Health and Environment Alliance

Founded in 2003, the Health and Environment Alliance (HEAL) is a leading European not-for-profit organisation addressing how the environment affects health in the European Union. Our organisation's vision is a healthy planet for healthier people in Europe and beyond. HEAL's advocacy and awareness-raising work aims to show how environmental action can bring down rates of asthma, obesity, diabetes, cancer and infertility.

## Who may join HEAL

Membership to HEAL is open to non-governmental organisations and other not-for-profit organisations and professional bodies, whether local, regional, national, European or international. Applicants must be legally constituted pursuant to the laws and customs of their country of origin; have non profit-making purpose; and be independent of governments, political parties and commercial interests.

### Three types of membership categories exist:

**Full Members:** Non-governmental organisations for which environment and health links are a major area of interest. Full members have two votes at the Annual General Assembly.

**Associate Members:** Other not-for-profit organisations and professional bodies, such as educational and academic institutions; professional associations; statutory and non-statutory environment or health agencies; and regional, city and local authorities. Associate members have one vote at the Annual General Assembly.

**International Members:** membership is open to organisations whose legal base is outside the 53 countries of the European region as defined by WHO. International members have observer status.

## Membership Fee

The standard HEAL membership fee is **€300 per year** for full and associate members and **€100** for organisations from Croatia.

## Membership Application Form

**To apply for membership, please complete the information below and post it back to us with your organisations Statutes and Annual Accounts to HEAL at 28 Boulevard Charlemagne, B-1000 Brussels – Belgium.**

For questions please contact us at +32 2 234 36 40 or [info@env-health.org](mailto:info@env-health.org) or visit [www.env-health.org](http://www.env-health.org).

Organisation's full name:	_____
Organisation's acronym:	_____
Website:	_____
Contact person:	_____
Title of contact person:	_____
Address:	_____
City:	_____
Postal code:	_____
Country:	_____

*NOTE: It is preferable that all application documents be sent at once to reduce processing time for your membership.*



Tel:	_____
Fax:	_____
E-mail(s):	_____
When was your organisation established?	_____
Do you have your own member network (organisations/individuals)? If so, how many:	_____
How are you funded?	_____
What is your annual budget?	_____
What are your main objectives and activities?	_____
What are your major publications?	_____

**How would you describe your organisation?**

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> National organisation      | <input type="checkbox"/> European organisation              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> International organisation | <input type="checkbox"/> Research/Public Health institution |

**Based on the above information what type of membership are you applying for?**

- Full Membership       Associate Membership       International Membership

**What topic(s) is your organisation interested in so we may subscribe you to specific news updates?**

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment and Health Policy     | <input type="checkbox"/> Mercury                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's environment and health | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Cancer Prevention |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemicals / Pesticides            | <input type="checkbox"/> Bio-monitoring                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Climate Change                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Shale Gas Fracturing            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Air Quality                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other issues: _____             |

**If your colleagues are interested in participating in discussions for one (or several) topics listed above, please specify what their names, titles and email address(es) are to include them on our mailing lists.**

*Applications for HEAL membership must be provisionally granted by the HEAL Executive Committee, and approved at the subsequent HEAL Annual General Assembly as noted in HEAL's statutes. Processing time can be expected within a few weeks of sending all necessary documents and information.*

**In applying for HEAL membership, please sign your organisation commits to share the mission of the Health and Environment Alliance and to paying the annual fees on demand.**

**DATE:**

**SIGNATURE (ORIGINAL REQUIRED):**

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