

Member privileges and obligations

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What do we get out of joining the HPH network?

- Access to a network of over 800 hospitals and health services who have seen the benefit of working with health promotion
- Invitations to join research projects and at the same time access to a network of possible partners for research you want to do
- A network where you can spread knowledge about tactics and methods you use, research you have done etc
- Access to new knowledge about organisational and professional development and HP strategies
- The possibility of taking part in international task forces and working groups. Possibility to initiate such groups.



- Support from the International Secretariat
- Support from national/regional coordinating institutions
- International HPH conferences and WHO schools
- International website, the new scientific journal, newsletter, social media – Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn
- Tools such as HPH standards, guide for healthy workplace, SEMT on children's rights in hospital, standards for equity in health



- Tools that bring framework to life
- Energy and direction
- Support
- Inspiration



Norway- privileges

- The national coordinator works full time with the network
- A professor works 20% at the secretariat with developing a joint research project
- The secretariat is placed in a living HP environment at the only Centre for Health Promotion in a Norwegian hospital
- The network is lead by a steering committee with highly knowledgeable and enthusiastic people who believe that HP makes a difference. Who also work with lobbying.



- National working groups on specific topics for exchange of knowledge and who work on common projects
- A national strategy with a detailed yearly work plan
- Seminars
- Website
- Newsletter



Obligations

- Support the principals of international documents such as the Ottawa charter, Vienna recommendations etc
- Management support (signatory to LOI)
- Smoke-free policy
- Identify a local coordinator local working group



 Implementation of a culture for health promotion in the organisation aimed both at patients, staff and local community

Pay fee

You get from the network what you put into it



Norway - obligations

- Norwegian HPH strategy
- Take part in the national working groups
- Advocacy
- Share experiences



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