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HEALTH PROMOTION LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE PILOT PROGRAM 2023

Application

Overview

Health promotion problems pose unique challenges due to their scale and complexity. Leadership and governance are necessary to drive the health promotion agenda, provide strategic vision and a voice for the health promotion approach in positively influencing the public's health. The Australian Health Promotion Association (AHPA) is pleased to invite eligible and interested members to participate in the Health Promotion Leadership and Governance Pilot Program (the Program) to develop these critical health promotion competencies, ensuring our action is effective, ethical, equitable and empowering. We seek members interested in participating in structured experiences designed to accelerate active leadership and governance participation in AHPA, in their employment and in their community. It is our aspiration that by supporting members to participate we can contribute to stronger health promotion action and to our vision of a healthy, equitable Australia.

Eligibility

All applicants must be:

- a full, financial, individual (non-student) member for a minimum of 2 years prior to closing date.
- an early-mid-career professional, generally with six to ten years' experience working in health promotion.
- available to participate in the professional development activity in full.
- willing to participate in social media activity and/or assist with any AHPA activities or promotion leading up to, during or after participation (as appropriate)
- committed to participating in an AHPA Board, Branch or Committee position post Program completion.

Assessment of applications

- A panel will assess all applications received by the closing date according to the purpose and criteria outlined above.
- Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.
- The panel may deem all, some or none of the applications are suitable. Shortlisted applicants may be contacted to provide further information.
- The panel's decision is final. AHPA commits to notifying all applicants of the outcome of their application by end of July 2023.

AHPA investment in the Program is significant. Your capacity to benefit depends on your commitment to participate in the entire Program including attending all sessions and engaging in required activities. Your commitment, with the support of your employer, where relevant, is critical to Program acceptance.

How to apply

Please submit the completed Health Promotion Leadership & Governance Pilot Program Application Form along with a brief resume to the AHPA Secretariat via email: members@healthpromotion.org.au by Friday 7th July.

Use email subject line: Attn: LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE PILOT PROGRAM APPLICATION

Please consider the following as you complete your application:

- Submission of your application reflects your commitment to the requirements of the Program;
- AHPA reserves the right to verify any information contained within your application;
- AHPA reserves the right to terminate enrolment should participants not engage fully in the Program; and
- Applicants must support AHPA's core principles:

ETHICAL PRACTICE - Supporting culturally informed, participatory, respectful, and safe practice.

HEALTH EQUITY - Addressing the sociocultural, economic, political, commercial and ecological determinants of health in order to build health equity.

INNOVATIVE AND EVIDENCE INFORMED APPROACHES - Promoting and supporting evidence informed research, policy and practice.

COLLABORATION - Working in partnership with other organisations to improve health and wellbeing.

Applications Close: Friday 7 July 2023

Application

Name	
AHPA Membership Number	
IUHPE Registered Health Promotion	
Practitioner ID Number (if applicable)	
What are your qualifications?	
What is your current organisation?	
What is your current position?	
Workplace address	
Contact phone number	
Email address	
How long have you been in your	□ Less than 1 year
current role?	□ 1-2 years
	□ 3-5 years
	□ 6-9 years
	□ 10 years +
If less than 1 year, what was your	
previous position?	
For how long did you hold that previous	□ Less than 1 year
position?	□ 1-2 years
	□ 3-5 years
	□ 6-9 years
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What is the length of your career in health promotion (or relevant	□ Less than 1 year □ 1-2 years
discipline)?	□ 3-5 years
uiscipinie):	□ 6-9 years
	□ 10-14 years
	□ 15 -19 years
	□ 20 years +
Do you currently serve on any Boards	□ Yes
or committees?	□No
If yes, are they:	□ Voluntary
	□ Part of your paid role
	□ Both
Please list:	
Have you previously served on any	□ Yes
Boards or committees?	□ No
If yes, were they:	□ Voluntary
	□ Part of your paid role
	□ Both
Please list:	
Have you participated in any previous	□ Yes
leadership or governance training?	□ No
If yes, what programs have you	
previously undertaken?	
In 50 words or less, why are you interested in undertaking the Health	
Promotion Leadership and Governance	
Pilot Program?	
In 50 words or less, how will your	
participation contribute to your health	
promotion competencies and practice?	
In one specific sentence, what unique	
contribution would you bring to the	
Program?	



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How will the Program support you to	
achieve your future career goals?	
In 50 words or less, how will	
participation in the Program contribute	
to AHPA's mission for A healthy,	
equitable Australia and purpose of	
Leadership, advocacy and workforce	
development for health promotion	
practice, research, evaluation and	
policy?	
Which of AHPA's Strategic Priorities do	□ Promote the health promotion profession and our members
you think your participation will	□ Advocate for health promotion
contribute to over the next few years?	☐ Build the professional capacity of AHPA members
	□ Support career pathways in health promotion
	□ Promote equity, diversity and inclusion
	☐ Provide responsible and sustainable governance and management
In 50 words or less, what do you see as	
one key challenge and one key	
opportunity for health promotion	
leadership and governance over the	
next decade?	
Curriculum Vitae/Resume enclosed	Yes
	No
Referee	
Applicant signature	
I certify that the information on this	
application form is accurate and	
complete. I am committed to Program	
completion, maintenance of AHPA	
membership and participation in AHPA	
activities for at least 12 months post	
Program	
Management Endorsement	
I endorse the above-named individual's	
application to participate in the Program	
and confirm my organisation's support	
for the applicant to take part.	