

The global alliance to promote universal eye health



IAPB Membership



Stronger together

The International Agency for the Prevention of Blindness (IAPB) is a global alliance of non-governmental organisations, professional associations, eye health hospitals, research and academic institutes, disability groups, funding bodies and the corporate sector. It strives for a world in which no one is needlessly blind or visually impaired and where those with vision loss can achieve their full potential.

Reasons to Join

Influence global advocacy and strategic partnerships

- Gain access to global health policy-makers and international development institutions such as WHO, the World Bank, and UN bodies
- Broaden your partnership opportunities through IAPB's resource mobilisation and cross-sector collaborations
- Contribute to coordinated advocacy efforts and inform key messages on global health and development themes
- Help shape the global eye health agenda at the IAPB Council of Members and Annual General Meeting

Gain global visibility and recognition

- Increase your organisation's recognition with peers and the global health and development communities
- Promote your support to the VISION 2020 initiative and leverage its global profile
- Broaden your audiences by drawing on IAPB communication platforms to promote your messages
- Increase your visibility by featuring your organisation's profile on the IAPB membership directory

Collaborate and engage with international peers

- Learn, share and interact with colleagues and peers at the annual Council of Members meeting
- Set common agendas and coordinated approaches through thematic member-driven work groups
- Help inform and participate in regional workshops addressing locally identified needs and priorities
- Access exclusive opportunities to engage with and shape the quadrennial IAPB General Assembly

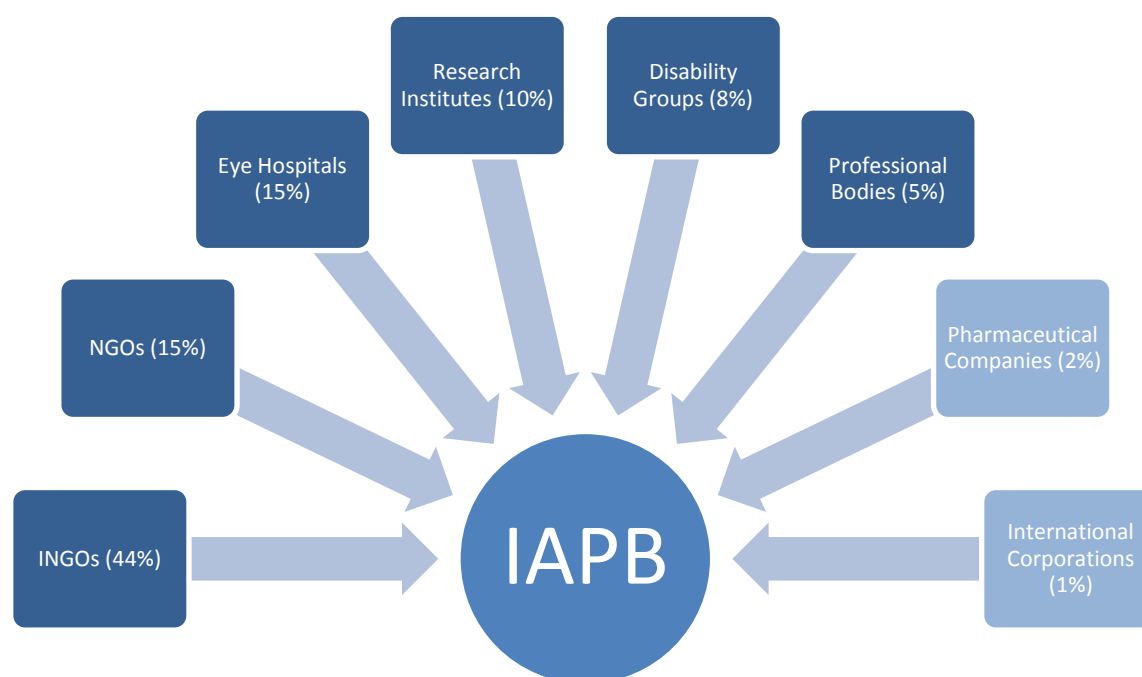
Access exclusive resources and latest information

- Access information and specially negotiated prices on a carefully evaluated range of eye care supplies through the online Standard List
- Benefit from World Sight Day communication resources and promotional material
- Access members-only resources and premium content on the IAPB website
- Keep on top of latest developments and news in eye health via IAPB newsletters

Membership Categories



IAPB membership embraces a plurality of organisations, including virtually every major international eye health NGO, global and regional apex bodies for both ophthalmology and optometry, disabled persons' organisations, academic institutions, local charities and hospitals, as well as the corporate sector.

Our strength derives from diversity rather than uniformity.



IAPB Membership by Organisation Type - 2013

Membership is divided in different groups:

-  Groups A, B and C are open to non-profit organisations only
-  Groups E and D are for corporate members only

This information pack concerns membership of non-profit organisations only.

For more information on IAPB corporate memberships and other opportunities for private sector partnerships, please email jconlon@iapb.org or visit www.iapb.org/support-us.

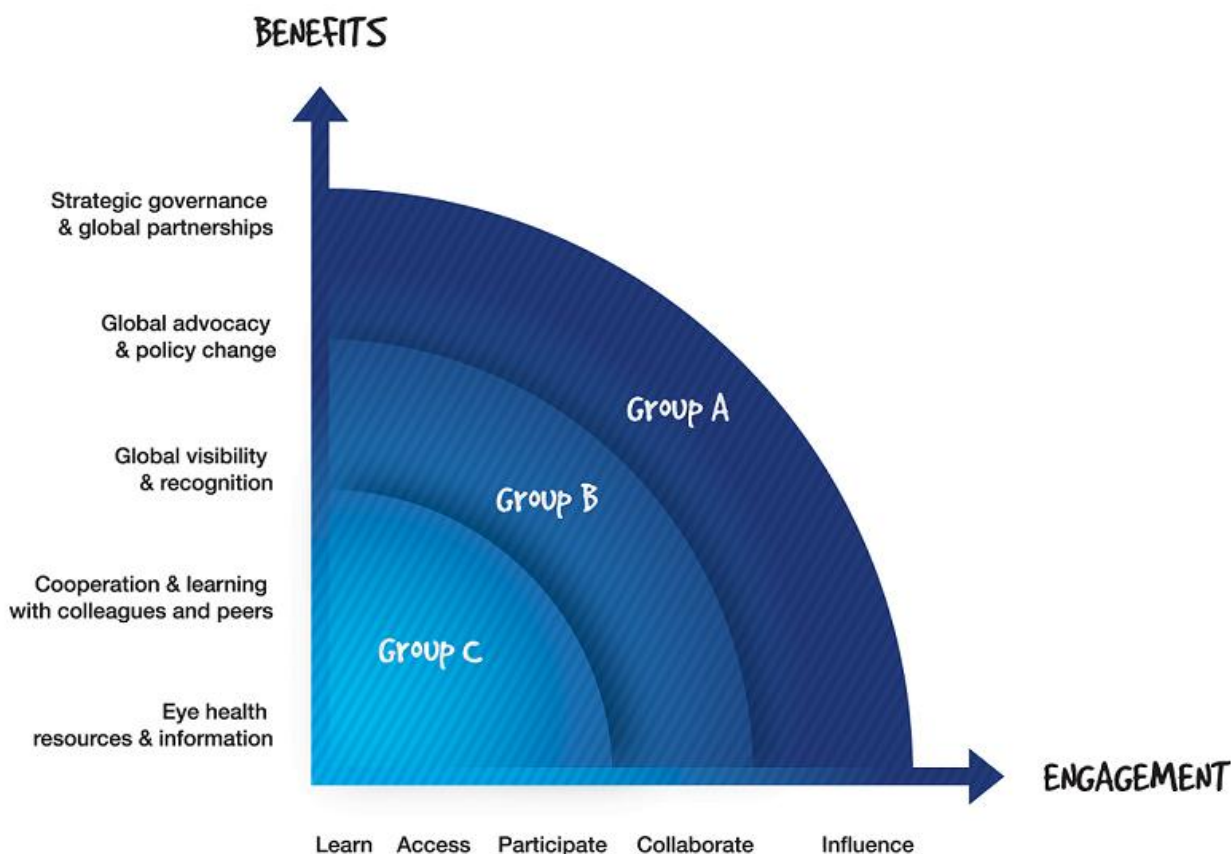
Membership Groups A, B and C

We believe that by working together we have far greater chances of achieving change than any one organisation can alone.

Alongside our common goal to achieve universal eye health, specific organisations may have a variety of reasons to join IAPB, depending on their resources, size, reach, needs and areas of interest.

IAPB offers non-profits three different membership groups, catering for different aspirations, levels of engagement, as well as budget sizes.

From international organisations with the ambition and resources to play an influential role at global level, to those working nationally and looking to access expertise and build capacity; from specialist groups with an interest to widen their audiences and networks, to large development organisations covering a whole spectrum of eye health and disability-related issues; whatever your scope, we believe IAPB membership will provide the right platform to help you achieve your goals.



Group A Membership

2014 Membership fee: US\$63,760 (subject to an increase of 3% per year).

Group A members help drive the work of IAPB and are positioned to influence global eye health policies through their representation on the IAPB Board of Trustees, the key decision-making body of the organisation.

Group A Membership benefits

- ✓ Elect a representative on the board of trustees **Exclusive**
- ✓ Influence global eye health agendas by setting advocacy priorities and thematic work groups **Exclusive**
- ✓ Gain exclusive access to key decision makers, leaders and institutional funders in health and development **Exclusive**
- ✓ Represent IAPB in high level delegations to the World Health Organization and other international bodies **Exclusive**
- ✓ Feature full entry on the IAPB Membership Directory as Group A Member **Exclusive**
- ✓ Participate in thematic member-driven work groups
- ✓ Access IAPB communications and PR platforms to profile activities and key messages
- ✓ Access members-only resources and premium content on the IAPB website, including meeting notes, reports, and exclusive online spaces
- ✓ Leverage members' collective procurement power to access specially negotiated prices on eye care equipment and supplies through the IAPB Standard List
- ✓ Get unlimited staff participation at the yearly Council of Members meeting and one voting right at the Annual General Meeting
- ✓ Benefit from preferential rates at the IAPB General Assembly
- ✓ Feature the IAPB and VISION 2020 logos on all your publicity material
- ✓ Access World Sight Day communications support and promotional material
- ✓ Receive regular email updates and newsletters on eye health news and opportunities



Group A Members - 2014

Group B Membership

2014 Membership fee: US\$18,540 (subject to an increase of 3% per year).

Group B members influence IAPB's strategies and priorities through group representation on the board and benefit from tailored opportunities to promote their activities and key messages.

Group B Membership benefits

- ✓ Gain insight and exposure to the IAPB board through the election of two Group B representatives on the IAPB board **Exclusive**
- ✓ Benefit from tailored opportunities to use IAPB platforms and networks to drive your organisational messages and build your brand **Exclusive**
- ✓ Access IAPB leadership at exclusive Council of Members event **Exclusive**
- ✓ Feature full entry on the IAPB Membership Directory as Group B Member **Exclusive**
- ✓ Participate in thematic member-driven work groups
- ✓ Access IAPB communications and PR platforms to profile activities and key messages
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Group B Members - 2014

Group C Membership

2014 Membership fee: US\$1,740 (subject to an increase of 3% per year).

Group C members access IAPB information and resources as well as unique opportunities to establish collaborative relationships and benefit from collective economies of scale.

Group C Membership benefits

- ✓ Establish partnerships and build relationships with international colleagues and peers through IAPB meetings and online spaces
- ✓ Connect with IAPB regional structures to help shape and inform regional activities
- ✓ Participate in thematic member-driven work groups
- ✓ Feature entry on the IAPB Membership Directory as Group C Member
- ✓ Access IAPB communications and PR platforms to profile activities and key messages
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Addensbrooke's Abroad, Altino Ventura Foundation, Aravind Eye Hospital, Asian Eye Care, Asian Foundation for the Prevention of Blindness, ARVO, Beijing Tongren Hospital, British Council for Prevention of Blindness, Eye Care Caribbean, Centre for Eye Research Australia, Child Sight Foundation, Combat Blindness Foundation, CHEF International, Dana Center for Preventive Ophthalmology, Delos Foundation International, Dr. Shroff's Charity Eye Hospital, Edward S Harkness Eye Institute, Eye Foundation Hospital, Eyesight International, Fawzia Sultan Rehabilitation Institute, Focus on Vision, Fundacion Oftalmologica Nano, Fundacion Vision, Fundació Ulls del Món, He Eye Hospital, Heart to Heart Foundation, Himalayan Cataract

Project, Hong Kong Society for the Blind, ICEVI, International Centre for Eye Health, International Eye Foundation, International Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus Council, Ispahani Islamia Eye Institute, John Fawcett Foundation, Kilimanjaro Centre for Community Ophthalmology, Korean Foundation for the Prevention of Blindness, JCAHPO, Layton Rahmatulla Benevolent Trust, L.V. Prasad Eye Institute, Mission for Vision, Nadi Al Bassar, Nepal Netra Jyoti Sangh, Norwegian Association of the Blind and Partially Sighted, Organisation pour la Prévention de la Cécité, Ohana Eyes International, Pakistan Institute of Community Ophthalmology, Perkins School for the Blind, Prevent Blindness, Project

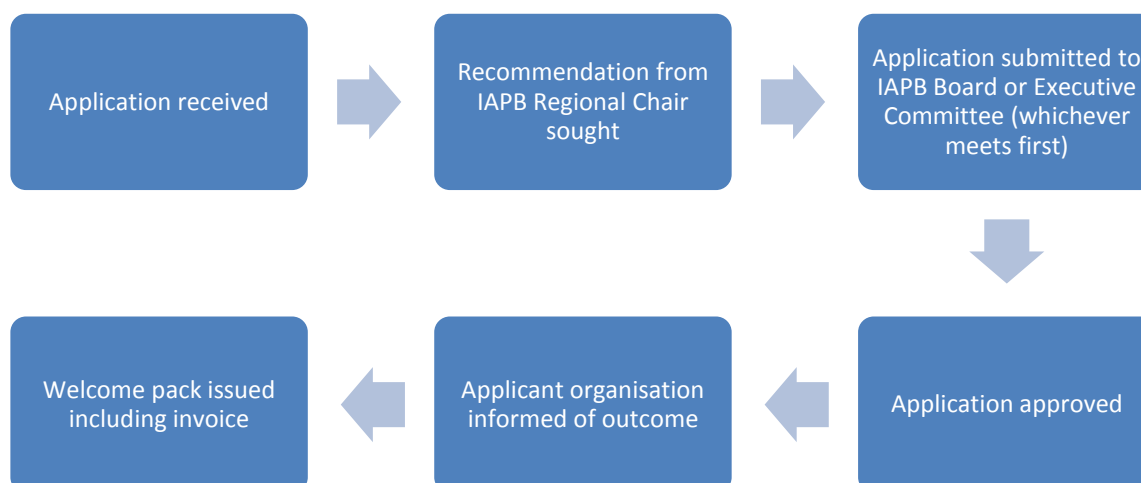
Vision, RNIB, Right to Sight, Sankara Eye Care, Sankara Nethralaya, Seva Canada Society, Seva Foundation, Shandong Shierming Eye Hospital, Singapore Eye Research Institute, South African National Council for the Blind, SEE International, Swiss Red Cross, The Bernadotte Foundation for Children's Eyecare, The Canadian National Institute for the Blind, The Fred Hollows Foundation (NZ), The Lighthouse International, The S. Fyodorov Eye Microsurgery, Tulsi Chanrai Foundation, UNESCO Chair in Visual Health and Development, Vision 2020 Australia, VISION 2020 (UK), Vision Aid Overseas, Vision Care Service, VOSH International

Application Process

Organisations interested in joining IAPB should send their application along with supporting material, as listed below, to the IAPB office.

- Completed application form
- Latest annual report
- Programme activities and annual budget
- Partners, if any
- Countries in which you have programmes

All applications are subject to due diligence review as follows:



Membership fee becomes payable once the application is approved and the invoice is issued. The amount is calculated pro-rata for the first year of joining and renewals are invoiced thereon in early December.

Please send your application **either by email or by regular mail** to:

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Global Initiatives

Join IAPB today and be part of the global alliance for universal eye health

Universal Eye Health: A Global Action Plan 2014-2019

IAPB supports the goal and objectives of the new WHO Global Action Plan and works towards its implementation at national level



VISION 2020: The Right to Sight

IAPB promotes VISION 2020: The Right to Sight, the joint initiative with the World Health Organization (WHO) for the elimination of avoidable blindness



World Sight Day

IAPB spearheads World Sight Day, an annual day of awareness held on the second Thursday of October, to focus global attention on blindness and vision impairment



IAPB Standard List

IAPB manages the world's leading online procurement platform for eye health services in developing countries that provides a carefully evaluated range of technologies from trusted suppliers

