



ADVOCACY FOR
MENTAL HEALTH AND
DEMENTIA (A4MHD)

Application for membership

About A4MHD

We were set up in 1993 to provide independent advocacy for people using mental health services in Leeds

Our management has always had a majority of people who have experienced mental health services themselves.

We provide independent advocacy and involvement services across Leeds.

Being a member

Becoming a member of A4MHD means you add your active support to the organisation. As a member you are automatically invited to the Annual General Meeting (AGM) to hear an update of progress in the previous year and vote on resolutions (changes). You will receive a copy of our Annual Report. Members are entitled to stand for election to the Management Committee.

Application for Membership

I agree with the aims of A4MHD as a group of people led by service users to:

- Provide advocacy for people experiencing mental distress, including dementia, so as to be able to obtain their full rights as citizens
- Enable people with experience of mental distress, including dementia, to contribute to the development of appropriate services
- Increase awareness of advocacy amongst people experiencing mental distress, including dementia, and service providers

I understand that as a member of A4MHD I shall be joining a company limited by guarantee.

I define myself as:

A service user

An ally

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Organisation (if any) _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Recommended by: (this can be your advocate)

My relevant skills and interests:

Please return this form to:

A4MHD

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All applications are considered by the management committee