

Action for More Independence and Dignity in Accommodation

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Advocacy, Self Advocacy, Rights, Accessibility, & Community Living for People with a Disability

MEMBERSHIP FORM

AMIDA supports people with a disability as valued members of our community. AMIDA recognises that people with disability contribute to and develop our community.

AMIDA acknowledges that people with disabilities have a right to a choice of who they live with and where they live. Further, people with disabilities have a right to good quality housing which is accessible, affordable and non-institutional. People with disabilities have a right to live in the community with access to support to participate and have a good quality of life.

AMIDA aims are to:

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- Lobby for a range of safe, secure, accessible and affordable housing options for people with a disability.
- Liaise with government agencies, and interested community organisations and persons to improve services for people with a disability, especially people with an intellectual disability and make sure that housing and support services treat people with disabilities with respect and dignity.
- Work with community organisations to ensure they are accessible to people with disabilities.
- Foster local community support, acceptance and involvement of people with disabilities, especially people with an intellectual disability.
- Ensure that people with a disability, especially intellectual disability, who participate in AMIDA gain and maintain control of their own lives.
- Develop the management skills of people with intellectual disabilities on the Committee and encourage representation by people with intellectual disabilities on the Committee to exceed 50% of Committee members.

Becoming a member means you can participate in important decisions at AMIDA and vote at the Annual General Meeting and get our newsletter AMIDA NEWS. Membership is free.

Individual Organisation (Please tick)		
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I/we agree to keep to the aims and rules of AMIDA.		
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