

# 2025-2026 HMA Membership Benefits

The members of HMA are the biggest and most important reasons why HMA exists. As a volunteer based, non-profit organisation, HMA relies on membership fees and donations to help fund our programs and provide informative and practical self-help resources for the D/deaf and hard of hearing people, their families, and friends and advocate for them wherever we can.

## Your Membership Benefits Include:

- You will receive quarterly issues of “**Hearing Matters**” each year – printed copies and digital copies.
- You will receive additional issues of magazines, such as **Hearing Research Matters** – digital copies.
- Access to support groups, e.g., Café & Chat sessions and Peer Support sessions re managing hearing loss.
- Opportunity to take/give practical advice and support from/to other members.
- Opportunity to borrow resources from the HMA library.
- Have a say in how HMA operates by voting at special and annual general meetings.
- Eligibility to be nominated for the HMA committee.
- Information about opportunities to participate in hearing research programs.
- Supporting HMA to advocate for the D/deaf and hard of hearing community.
- Being invited to contribute articles to the Hearing Matters magazine to raise about hearing loss issues.
- Be invited to attend HMA End-of-Year events.
- Be part of a community organisation of like-minded people.

## 2025 HMA Membership Period and Fees:

Membership Period: 1 July 2025 to 30 June 2026

- **Full membership: \$55;**
- **Student and Concession: \$45**
- **Digital magazine subscription: \$30**  
*(includes access to all our digital magazines and invitations to events)*

## For Corporate Supporters:

- **Corporate supporter membership: \$250**  
Your corporate logo and website link included on the HMA website.  
Exclusive print acknowledgment included in the **November “Hearing Matters”** distributed to all members, with a brief introduction of your services.  
***Please consider making a tax-deductible donation to HMA to support the deaf and hard of hearing community.***

At Hearing Matters Australia, we are dedicated to making a meaningful difference in the lives of individuals with hearing loss and their families. Your membership or donation helps us continue providing vital peer support, resources, and advocacy, and to build a more inclusive and accessible world for people with hearing challenges.

👉 **Renew or Join HMA Membership:** <https://www.hearingmattersaustralia.org/join>

👉 **Make a Donation:** <https://www.hearingmattersaustralia.org/membership-products/donate>

***With your support, we can build a  
stronger and more sustainable HMA TOGETHER.***