**Adult Members: Membership Pack**

To join Irish Red Cross, please complete the membership form, on pages 2 & 3

You will be asked to select the activities you are interested in - please note that if you select Unit Member (First Aid) or Youth Leader, that you will be required to complete Garda Vetting.

**Pages 2 & 3 – Adult Membership Application Form:**

In order to provide your membership card, we will need a current, passport-sized photograph. This can be manually attached to the form or emailed to membership@redcross.ie stating your name and "card photo" in the subject line of your email.

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# ADULT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please complete this form in order to apply for your membership of the Irish Red Cross.

Photos can be attached to this form or emailed to membership@redcross.ie.

Full membership of the Irish Red Cross will be issued when the relevant steps have been completed. We will be in touch with more information regarding these steps on receipt of this application.
While awaiting membership confirmation there are activities which you will be able to get involved in –your local branch will be able to provide you with more details.
Please contact membership@redcross.ie if you require any further information.

Please affix photo
or email to:
membership@redcross.ie

Please complete using **BLOCK CAPITALS**

Date: `D D / M M / Y Y Y Y`

Branch*

*If you do not know your local branch please contact us and we can assist you.

Surname

First Name

Title: Mr.    Mrs.    Ms.    Other

Address

Eircode

CONTACT DETAILS

Home Tel:

Mobile Tel:

Email:

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: `D D / M M / Y Y Y Y`

Gender:  Male      Female      Non-binary      Other (please specify)

WHAT KIND OF ACTIVITIES ARE YOU INTERESTED IN?*:

**Unit Member (Requires Garda Vetting)**
Activities include but are not limited to: Event First Aid, Emergency Response, Rescue Teams (not available in all branches), Cardiac First Responder Groups .

**Youth Leader (Requires Garda Vetting)**
Activities include but are not limited to: Supervising youth volunteers, delivering training to youth volunteers (only available in branches with youth groups).

**Community Support**
Activities include but are not limited to: Skin Camouflage Service, Therapeutic Care Service. Psychological First Aid, transport to hospital appointments,  support for migrants and refugees

**Branch Administration**

**Fundraising**

**\*Please check with your branch to find out if these activities are available in your area**

I confirm that nothing within my personal or professional background deems me unsuitable for a position which involves working with young people or vulnerable adults;

I understand that I will be required to adhere to the Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement;

I understand that I will be bound by the Constitution and Operating Rules of the Irish Red Cross;

I declare that the above information is true and I agree to accept the terms and conditions of membership of the Irish Red Cross

Signed

Date `D D / M M / Y Y Y Y`

Please turn over to complete

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## IRISH RED CROSS PRIVACY POLICY

We hold information about our members and this information is shared within the Irish Red Cross network. It is not our policy to pass names, addresses or contact details of our members to third parties for their use.

As a member of the Irish Red Cross we may write to you occasionally to keep you updated on current projects and appeals.

If you do not wish us to send this information to you, please tick this box: ▢

## MANDATORY INFORMATION - PLEASE COMPLETE

**For child protection compliance we are required to keep a register of Mandated Persons. This only applies to the professions below, Please indicate if you are:**

- **A member of An Garda Síochána.** ▢

- **A member of the clergy (howsoever described) or pastoral care worker (howsoever described) of a church or other religious community.** ▢

- **A foster carer registered with Tusla.** ▢

- **An emergency medical technician, paramedic and advanced paramedic registered with the Pre-Hospital Emergency Care.** ▢

- **None of the above** ▢

The work of the Irish Red Cross is guided by the Seven Fundamental Principles of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement:

HUMANITY The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, born of a desire to bring assistance without discrimination to the wounded on the battlefield, endeavours in its international and national capacity to prevent and alleviate human suffering wherever it may be found. It's purpose is to protect life and health and to ensure respect for the human being. It promotes mutual understanding, friendship, cooperation, and lasting peace amongst all people.

IMPARTIALITY It makes no discrimination as to nationality, race, religious beliefs, class or political opinions. It endeavours to relieve the suffering of individuals, being guided solely by their needs, and to give priority to the most urgent cases of distress.

NEUTRALITY In order to continue to enjoy the confidence of all, the Movement may not take sides in hostilities or engage in controversies of a political, racial, religious, or ideological nature.

INDEPENDENCE The Movement is independent. The National Societies, while auxiliaries in the humanitarian services of their governments and subject to the laws of their respective countries, must always maintain their autonomy so that they may be able at all times to act in accordance with the principles of the Movement.

VOLUNTARY SERVICE It is a voluntary relief organisation not prompted in any manner by desire for gain.

UNITY There can only be one Red Cross or one Red Crescent Society in any one country. It must be open to all. It must carry on its humanitarian work throughout its territory.

UNIVERSALITY The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, in which all Societies have equal status and share equal responsibilities and duties in helping each other, is worldwide.

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## OFFICE USE ONLY

Membership Number: _____  Card issued: 

Photo enclosed: Yes ▢  No ▢  _____ D D / M M / Y Y Y Y

Garda Vetting Form enclosed: Yes ▢  No ▢

Youth Member: ▢

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