



IFSW Membership Application Form

Name of Organisation:

Beroepsvereniging van Professionals in Sociaal Werk (BPSW)

Please give in the field below a short outline of your organisation including its history, legal status and aims and objectives:

The BPSW is an professional association of social workers since november 2015. Before she has been since 1947 an association of a smaller group of social workers, 'maatschappelijk werkers', the NVMW. The BPSW has been broadened to strengthen the power of all social workers in the Netherlands and other countries in which people speak Dutch.
Her aim is to unite and strenghten professionals in de field of social work in order that they can support people in their social functioning. Her core value is empowerment and the BPSW supports the international mission off he IFSW.

Category (tick off the appropriate category)



> Professional Association
Individual Membership

Association and Trade Union
Federation of Organisations

Address:

Leidseweg 80
3531 BE Utrecht

President:

Jan Laurier

Name of Chief Executive Officer:

Lies Schilder

Date of Foundation: 19 november 2015

Are there other organisations of social workers in your country?

Yes No

If yes, name those, which exist: BVJong; BCMB (Beroepsvereniging voor Cliëntondersteuners voor mensen met een beperking)

~~Not applicable~~

Total Membership:

Categories of membership: we can't yet distinguish these categories in our administration. So I note the total of members of the BPSW at this moment.

Full Members 3417

Practitioners

Academician

Associate Members

Membership requirements:

Please include information on minimum education and other requirements to become a member of your organisation:

Full membership:

- General bachelor education and working in social work
- Bachelor education specific in social work.
- Living in the Netherlands or a country in which people speak Dutch
- Applying one of the ethic codes of the BPSW
- Subject to professional disciplinary

‘Extraordinary’ membership (= not applying one of our codes for social work and not subject to professional disciplinary) :

- Students social work
- Professionals working in sociaal work with a degree at minimal MBOlevel.
- Teachers, resaerchers, managers, and other people which contribute to the development of social work

Individual dues per category in USD : these are not distinguished in our annual report. So I can only mention the income of total Membership.

Category	Amount	Total Dues
Full Member		

Associate Member		
Total Membership income in USD in 2015	€ 405.566	

Number of paid staff:

7, all part-time

Duration, form and level of training for professional social workers and members of the association

Degree	Number of years of study
Bachelor	4
Diploma/Certificate	Yes

Is there a registry and licensing board for social work practice in your country?

- Registry Yes
- Licensing Yes

If so, is your association involved in the registry/licensing process?

- Registry Yes
- Licensing Yes

Is your association involved in the approval of training courses?

Basic training Yes

Advanced and specialised training Yes

Are there other organisations of social workers in your country?

Yes

Does your association have publications

Yes

Frequency: not a fixed frequency

Documents	Submitted
Constitution	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Date: 3 december 2015
By-Laws	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Date: 18 januari 2016
Code of Ethics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, several ones Date: 2010, 2015, 2016
Concept paper	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Date: 20 november 014
Last annual report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Date: 2012
Last financial report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Date: 23 juni 2016
Letter of Application?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Date: ?

Other information

I confirm, that the applying organisation supports the aspirations of the International Federation of Social Workers.

List of Executive Members	Members of the Board > Jan Laurier, Rien Vlam, Leo Rietbroek, Kristine Evertz, Joyce Neijenhuis, Josien Hofs, Hester de Boer, Michiel Baars, Ingrid Wood.
Person completing this form	Lies Schilder

Date: 4 augustus 2016

Signature:

