

## Membership Application

Please print details below.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Discipline:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (work): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (mob): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment Details:

**Direct Debit** (preferred option)

**BSB...814 282**

**A/C Number...10628605**

Place your surname as payee and fax this form

to **Sonia Markocic**

**fax: 02 4253 4847**

**OR**

Please return this form with Cheque

or Money Order to:

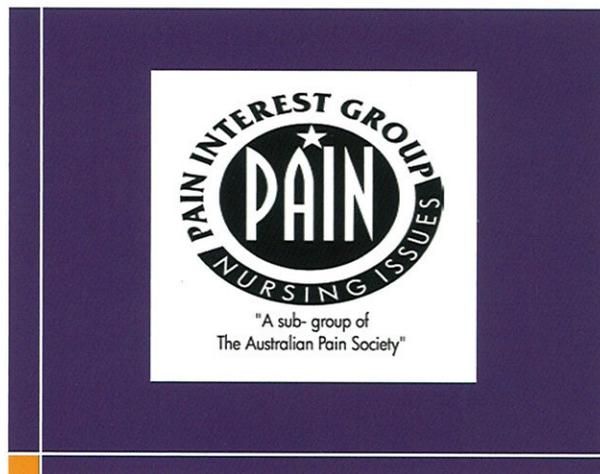
**Sonia Markocic**

**Acute Pain Service**

**Block C Crown Street**

**Wollongong Hospital**

**NSW 2500**



## Membership

The pain interest group evolved from meetings held by a number of Clinical Nurse Consultants in early 1987. Their aim was to improve education and create a forum for those interested in pain management nursing care.



Membership provides opportunities for networking with colleagues of similar interest in the field of pain Management as well as

Quarterly Newsletters

Being eligible for prizes if articles are submitted to the newsletter

Educational Scholarships

and collaborative research opportunities.

## Pain Interest Group Nursing Issues

A sub Group of the Australian Pain Society

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Become a member of this active group and advance pain management in your local setting



## The Pain Interest Group Nursing Issues

### Membership

Membership is open to all nursing, medical, allied health personnel, and scientists interested in pain management.

Regular members may vote, hold office and serve on the committee.

### Annual Membership

Annual fees \$30.00  
Renewable each October

### Corporate Membership

Further information about corporate membership can be provided upon request to the committee

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## The Pain Interest Group - Nursing Issues

### *Mission Statement*

The Pain Interest Group – Nursing Issues is a group of health professionals committed to promoting and providing optimal care of patients with pain and its resultant effects. Education, research, advocacy and setting of standards of care are the mechanisms through which these goals are achieved.

### *Aims*

To provide an educational forum for members and promote the principles and practice of excellence in pain management in acute, chronic and cancer pain.

- To disseminate news items and information via a newsletter.
- To facilitate networking of healthcare professionals interested in nursing issues in pain management.
- To stimulate and promote clinical research in pain management and encourage members to present their findings at national and international pain society meetings.
- To promote pain group topical seminars or refresher courses as requested by the membership.
- To retain a close liaison and sharing of ideas between the Australian Pain Society sub-committees.

### *Annual Conference*

Continuing professional development 4.5 hours