



BOSTON CONGRESS OF PUBLIC HEALTH

BCPH Membership Terms and Conditions Membership Statement

Membership Eligibility and Awards Policy

1. Membership Requirement for Awards, Recognitions, and Grants

- Awards, grants, and recognition offered by The Boston Congress of Public Health (BCPH) are exclusive to ACTIVE members only.
- Only individuals who hold an active membership with BCPH at the time of the award nomination and distribution are eligible to receive any form of recognition or benefit.

2. Minimum Membership Duration for Eligibility

- Members must have an ACTIVE membership for a minimum period of three months (or more) to be eligible for certain awards, including but not limited to:
 - Public Health Entrepreneur Annual Award
 - Public Health Champion Award
 - BCPHR Author of the Year Award
 - Most Prolific Author of the Year Award
 - Young BCPHR Researcher Award
- Specific eligibility criteria for each award will be detailed in the award guidelines. Membership duration will be taken at the date and time of application submission.

3. Retention and Revocation of Awards

- Retention of all awards, grants, and associated benefits is contingent upon the member maintaining an active membership for a full calendar year (12 months) from the date of the award.
- In the event of membership cancellation before the completion of the one-year period, all awards, grants, and benefits will be revoked.
- Revocation of awards includes but is not limited to:
 - Withdrawal of public recognition and listing on BCPH platforms
 - Cancellation of financial grants and cessation of any ongoing support related to the award
 - Reclamation of certificates and trophies awarded, if applicable

4. Award Benefits and Cancellation Policy

- Members who cancel their membership within the first year of receiving an award will forfeit all rights to the award and its benefits.

- BCPH reserves the right to revoke awards and benefits from members who do not comply with the terms and conditions of their membership agreement.

5. Compliance and Amendments

- All members are required to adhere to these terms and conditions as part of their membership agreement.
- BCPH reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time. Members will be notified of any changes via the BCPH website and email communications.

6. Acceptance of Terms

- By becoming a member of BCPH, you acknowledge and agree to these terms and conditions regarding eligibility and retention of awards, grants, and benefits.

For any questions or further information, please contact the BCPH Membership Services at communications@bcph.org.

7. Discounts

All discounts must be verified by the BCPH Team for BCPHR, conferences, or other events and webinars. BCPH retains the rights to determine discounts based on their final discretion.

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The Boston Congress of Public Health (BCPH)