

# Queensland Maternal and Perinatal Quality Council

## Call for expressions of interest - consumer representation 2021-2023 Term

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The Queensland Maternal and Perinatal Quality Council (QMPQC) is required to refresh its membership every two years. Expressions of interest are being sought from appropriate consumer representatives (x 2) for the upcoming two-year term. Membership of the QMPQC is very inclusive and input from the consumer membership is highly valued.

The purpose of the QMPQC includes:

- Case review and classification of perinatal and maternal deaths
- Consideration of patterns and causation of morbidity and mortality in Queensland so that recommendations may be made to reduce preventable death and disability
- Investigation of avoidable or preventable factors for maternal and perinatal deaths
- Provision of advice regarding standards and quality of clinical care and assistance with the promotion of such standards in both public and private sectors.

Terms of Reference are attached and information on QMPQC activities, including biennial reports, can be found at <https://clinicalexcellence.qld.gov.au/priority-areas/safety-and-quality/queensland-maternal-and-perinatal-quality-council>

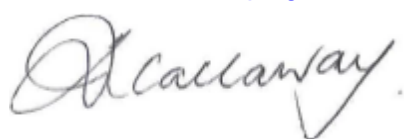
The QMPQC currently meets every two months on a Tuesday from 9.30 to 11.30 am currently on TEAMS or when permitted in person at Queensland Health building located at 15 Butterfield Street, Herston. The Maternal Mortality and Perinatal Mortality Sub-Committees also meet every two months and the Congenital Anomaly Sub-Committee meets quarterly. It is expected that all Council members will take part in the activities of one or more of these Sub-Committees.

Consumers will be remunerated for the time they attend meetings, including Sub-Committee meetings, and reimbursed for related out-of-pocket expenses, in accordance with Health Consumers Qld remuneration rates.

### Expressions of Interest close on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Submissions can be lodged via email to [QMPQC@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:QMPQC@health.qld.gov.au) and simply need to take the form of a brief statement of interest accompanied by a short Resume.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the QMPQC Secretariat in the first instance, at [QMPQC@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:QMPQC@health.qld.gov.au) or tel: 07 3328 9094



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