

Are you concerned about... ?

- Corporate-led globalisation
- Medicalisation of health, with disregard for the broad determinants of health
- War and occupation
- Discrimination in the right to health
- Environmental damage caused by unsustainable development

Equity, ecologically sustainable development and peace are at the heart of our vision of a better world – a world in which a healthy life for all is a reality.

-- People's Charter for Health

Join your voice with others throughout the world, and be part of the People's Health Movement.

Why Not Get Involved... ?

As an individual:

- Sign the People's Health Charter
- Subscribe to our announcements email list, at the website below
- Join the Victorian activist group

As an organisation:

- Sign the People's Health Charter
- Become an affiliated organisation

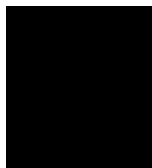
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To learn about the global network of the People's Health Movement:



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People's Health Movement, *Australia*



Health For All

Local Action

Global Activism

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The People's Health Movement

The People's Health Movement is a growing coalition of people's organisations, civil society organisations, NGOs, social activists, health professionals, academics and researchers.

The goal of the People's Health Movement is to re-establish health and equitable development as top priorities in local, national and international policy-making with comprehensive primary health care as a key strategy to achieve these priorities.

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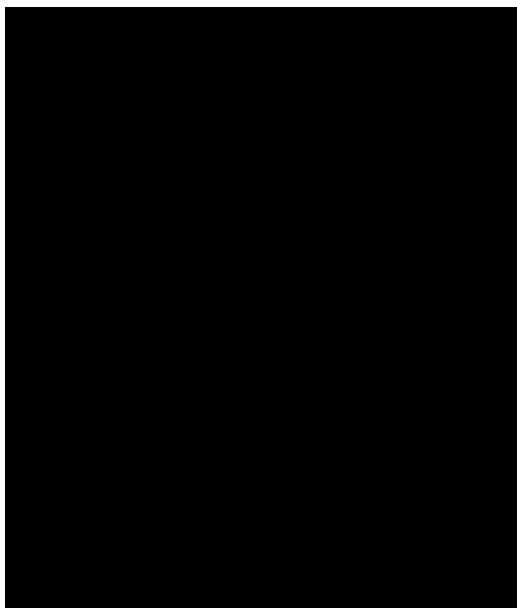
In December 2000 the People's Charter for Health was created and endorsed by members of PHM from 75 countries. The charter reflects the vision, goals, principles and calls for action that unite all members of the PHM coalition.

<http://phmovement.org/charter/>

The charter is a call to action to put the goal of health for all in its rightful place on the development agenda.

PHM in Australia aims to:

- Contribute to global solidarity and collaborative action;
- Assist Australian activists to make personal links with those elsewhere;



- Raise awareness within Australia about the global determinants of health and their impact on developing countries;
- Assist People's Health activists in other countries to access resources, and to participate in conversations and planning for change.

Activities in Victoria

The Victorian branch of PHM Oz was launched in March 2005, joining branches in NSW and South Australia. The Victorian branch is working on:

Expanding Affiliates Network

We are actively seeking organisations, who also believe in the broader determinants of health, to affiliate with PHM-Oz by signing the People's Health Charter and contacting us.

Developing Briefing Topics

Short "briefings" on global issues affecting health are prepared and discussed at our monthly meeting. We aim to circulate these to our expanding network to encourage education and activism.

Participating in National and International Forums

In 2006 individuals within PHM-Oz have participated in international and local gatherings such as an Alternative G20 Forum in Melbourne and the International Society for Equity in Health conference in Adelaide.