## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Membership is open to any individual who subscribes and commits to the mission of the Cancer Alliance of Texas (CAT).

**Mission:** To engage organizations, agencies, institutions, and individuals to work collaboratively to reduce the impact of cancer in Texas and promote the *Texas Cancer Plan (Plan)*.

Members may represent public, private, and non-profit organizations, or themselves as citizens, volunteers, or survivors.

**Instructions:** Please complete this application and review the member expectations. Save your completed application before submitting it via email to Amanda Ivarra (<a href="mailto:amanda.ivarra@dshs.texas.gov">amanda.ivarra@dshs.texas.gov</a>).

Contact Information
Name and Credentials:
Title:
Organization:
Address:
City, State, and Zip Code:
Phone:
Email:
Website:

Which of these describes yo	our organizatio	n? (check all th	at apply)
$\hfill\square$ Not applicable; I am joining as an individual		<ul><li>☐ Community Clinic/Federally Qualified Health Center</li></ul>	
☐ Local Health Department		☐ Faith-based Organization	
☐ State Agency		□ Advocacy Group	
☐ Federal Government		☐ Nonprofit Organization	
☐ Professional Society		☐ Business	
☐ Academic Institution		$\square$ Other (please specify):	
☐ Cancer Center			
☐ Hospital/Health System			
Areas of Expertise			
Please indicate your area(s) of	expertise.		
☐ Advocacy	□ Evaluation		□ Research
☐ Collaborations	<ul><li>□ Fundraising</li><li>□ Grant Writing</li><li>□ Government Relations</li></ul>		<ul><li>☐ Strategic Planning and Implementation</li><li>☐ Other (please specify):</li></ul>
☐ Community Development			

What are your organizational or individual cancer-related goals?

How did you learn about CAT? (check all	I that apply)			
☐ Friend/Colleague	☐ Search Engine			
☐ Newsletter/Email	$\square$ Other (please specify):			
☐ Conference/Meeting Presentation				
☐ Social Media				
Why you are interested in joining CAT?				
Priority Area Workgroups (PAWs)/Operational Committees				
	<u>Plan</u> . Operational committees address CAT's ers are expected to participate in at least one			
Please select the PAW(s) and/or operationa	I committee(s) you would like to serve on.			
PAWs:	Operational Committees:			
☐ Tobacco Control	☐ Communications			
Screening and Early Detection (includes the following subgroups; check all that apply)	□ Membership			
	□ Nominations			
☐ Breast Cancer Screening				
☐ Cervical Cancer Screening				
☐ Colorectal Cancer Screening				
☐ Lung Cancer Screening				

 $\ \square \ Survivorship$ 

cancer prevention)

 $\hfill\Box$  Cancer Disparities (includes liver **Member Expectations:** There are no membership dues. However, members are expected to:

- Regularly attend meetings and provide feedback on coalition, workgroup, and committee matters.
- Actively participate in at least one PAW or operational committee.
- Frequently share individual and/or organizational updates on cancer control activities related to the *Plan*.

**Application Submission:** Save your completed application and email it to Amanda Ivarra (amanda.ivarra@dshs.texas.gov)