

Guideline for CHLA Interest Groups

CHLA/ABSC Interest groups are informal groups of CHLA/ABSC. The purpose of the Interest Group is to allow members of CHLA/ABSC who have a common interest in an aspect of Health Librarianship not covered by other committees and task forces, to meet, correspond and discuss that common interest.

Each Interest Group must have a Convenor. The Convenor is elected by members of the Interest Group at least every two years. The Interest Group may adopt other structures as determined by the members of the Group. Each Interest Group must have Terms of Reference, Goals and a statement about membership.

Any member may organize an Interest Group by contacting the CHLA/ABSC President. The President will bring the request to the Executive for approval.

Interest Groups are provided with meeting space during the annual conference, space on the Association's web page and space in the Association's journal to communicate Interest Group news.

All CHLA/ABSC members in good standing may belong to an Interest Group. An Interest Group must have a minimum of three (3) members in order to gain the support of the Association. There is no limit to the number of members who may belong to an Interest Group.