





Informing the food industry

Share the Benefits join the **Allergen Bureau**

The Allergen Bureau can help your company:

- Reduce costs associated with VITAL Online subscriptions, attending VITAL Training, and attending Allergen Bureau conferences
- Understand the risks associated with handling allergens
- · Access up to date news and information about food allergens from around the world
- · Access and understand best practice allergen management guidance resources

Managing the risks associated with the presence of allergens in ingredients and products is one of the major challenges currently facing food manufacturers – at all stages of the supply chain.

If you are involved in the food industry, you would benefit from membership of the Allergen Bureau.

The Allergen Bureau, established by the Australian and New Zealand food industry in 2005, is funded by industry and is managed by industry representatives who understand the challenges faced in the management of allergens in a food production environment. We are a 'one stop shop' for information resources, practical tools and industry contacts for the management of food allergens.

By becoming a member of the Allergen Bureau you are demonstrating your company's commitment to this area of food safety and actively supporting this important industry initiative.

So what are you waiting for?

Allergen Bureau Members – including small, medium and large food companies – are recognised as leaders in this field, and share the benefits of an industry approach to improving the management of food allergens.



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Membership Options

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To ensure participation in this important industry initiative is accessible to the broadest range of food manufacturing and retailing enterprises, the Allergen Bureau offers the following Membership options:

Some of the benefits you will enjoy as an Allergen Bureau Member		Membership Category			
		FULL - GLOBAL	FULL	ASSOCIATE A, B & C	ASSOCIATE D
Free VITAL Online subscriptions. Your choice of a single free global VITAL Online yearly subscription, or, individual free VITAL Online yearly subscriptions for each regional division of your company (e.g. a separate VITAL Online account for each of your ANZ division; EU division; US division; etc)		✓			
85% discount on VITAL Online yearly subscription plan			✓	/	✓
20% discount on Allergen Bureau endorsed VITAL training		✓	✓	/	
10% discount on Allergen Bureau endorsed VITAL training					✓
Priority and discounts for Allergen Bureau Conferences and Workshops	Four free registrations; All others at 50% Discount ¹	✓			
	One free registration; All others at 50% Discount ¹		/		
	All registrations at 25% discount ¹			✓	✓
** Priority access to the Allergen Bureau phone and email information service		✓	/	✓	✓
Priority access to the Allergen Bureau VITAL Online helpline service		✓	/		
Priority access (2 weeks ahead of general distribution) to local and global breaking news and information delivered to your computer in the monthly Allergen Bureau eNews		✓	✓	✓	✓
Input to coordinated industry representations regarding regulatory and policy issues		✓	/	✓	✓
Able to participate in Allergen Bureau working groups		✓	/	/	✓
Entitlement to participate on, vote for and contribute to, the Allergen Bureau Board		✓	✓		
Supplier and Customer Awareness of your commitment to allergen management	Premium placement of your company logo with web link on the Allergen Bureau website, including on the Allergen Bureau Home Page	✓			
	Your company logo with web link on the Allergen Bureau website		✓		
	Your company name with web link on the Allergen Bureau website			/	
	Allergen Bureau member logo for your website and other media	✓	✓		
	Allergen Bureau Member certificate for display in your front office	✓	✓		
Acknowledgement in appropriate Allergen Bureau publications and presentations		✓	✓	✓	
Free premium placement of your company logo with web link on the monthly Allergen Bureau eNews		✓			
Free listing in the Services Directory		✓	✓	/	

Membership Investment² (GST exclusive)

Full Membership - Global \$30,000
Full Membership \$6,600
Associate Member C (51-100 FTE employees) \$3,960
Associate Member B (10-50 FTE employees) \$1,320
Associate Member A (<10 FTE employees) \$660
Individual \$220

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^{1.} These are the usual discounts provided to Members attending Allergen Bureau events. Discount rates may vary between events.

^{2.} New Memberships are calculated on a pro-rata basis throughout the Membership year: April - March. All prices quoted in Australian Dollars (AUD). All prices quoted are ex-GST. All prices for Australian entities are subject to a 10% GST under Australian GST Law

^{**} Non-members will only be able to access the Allergen Bureau phone and email information service as a priority (i.e. enquiries acknowledged within 2 working days and considered responses given within 5 working days) for one enquiry. Subsequent enquiries and requests for assistance by non-members will be considered on a case-by-case basis, as time and resources allow.



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- Utilise the latest management tools in allergen control including VITAL and the PIF

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