

## **MINIMUM CATEGORIES** FOR TIER 3 & 4 CHARITIES

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# **INTRODUCTION**



#### WELCOME

Francesca Ephraim will present the webinar on Minimum Categories today.

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## **LOGISTICS**

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#### DO I NEED TO USE THE CATEGORIES?

- Tier 3 and 4 use the categories
- Tier 1 and 2 do not need to use the categories

#### **OVERVIEW**

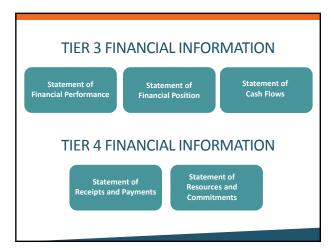
- What are Minimum Categories?
- Tier 3 Minimum Categories
- Statement of Financial Performance
- · Statement of Financial Position
- · Statement of Cash Flows
- Tier 4 Minimum Categories
  - Statement of Receipts and Payments
  - · Statement of Resources and Commitments
- Questions



## WHAT ARE MINIMUM CATEGORIES?

- Transactions must be grouped under certain headings
- High level overview a detailed list of all the transactions is not required
- Helps to tell a charity's story readers can quickly understand where money came from and where it was spent
- Mandatory for Tiers 3 and 4





TIER 3	TIER 4		
Statement of	Statement of		
Financial Performance	Receipts and Payments		
Revenue Categories	Operating Receipts		
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	Donations, fundraising and other similar receipts		
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	Fees, subscriptions and other receipts from members		
Revenue from providing goods or services	Receipts from providing goods or services		
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	Interest, dividends and other investment income receipts		
Other revenue	Other operating receipts		

#### RECORDING GRANT INCOME

- No separate category for grants must record the grant within the category that best matches the purpose of the grant.
- $\bullet$  General operation (including capital items) "Fundraising, donations and other similar revenue".
- Delivering a service, goods, a project or a programme 'Revenue from providing goods or services".

#### TIER 3 – GRANTS WITH CONDITIONS

- Money may need to be used for a stated project. If money is left over at the end of the project, then the grant must be returned – eg has a use or return condition.
- If use or return condition, unspent portion must be recorded as a liability

## TIER 4 – GRANTS WITH CONDITIONS

Grants or donations with conditions attached, which have not been fully met at the end of the financial year?

The charity needs to state:

- The amount of the grant or donation and the amount for which conditions have not been fully met; and
- The purpose and nature of the condition and what portion of the condition(s) has not been met.

#### MEMBER AND NON-MEMBER REVENUE

Needs to be recorded separately.

#### A member is:

- Clearly separate from general public (access to benefits, goods or services)
- Can be involved in decision making
- Some form of contribution towards the charity membership fees, subscriptions, attendance expectation or volunteering

"Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members"

- Membership fees and subscriptions
- Donations, koha or offerings from members
- Fundraising contributions from members
- Revenue from members for goods and services

#### QUIZ NIGHT - MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS

75% of the money will be recorded in the category 'Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members'.



25% of the money will be recorded in the category 'Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue'.

#### Notes section:

"Revenue from the quiz night was split as follows: 25% from non-members and 75% from members".

## KOHA AND DONATIONS

- Koha unconditional gift similar to a donation
- Stop and think what is the purpose or reason it was given? Then record this in the category that reflects the type of koha or donation.
- Community class receives koha to attend considered a payment for the class rather koha – "Revenue from providing goods or services".
- Use the category consistently in future can explain why you decided to record koha or donations in a certain category so it is clear to readers.

TIER 4
Statement of
Receipts and Payments
Operating Payments
Payments related to public fundraising
Volunteer and employee related payments
Payments related to providing goods or services
Grants and donations paid
Other operating payments

#### **RECORDING GST**

- GST registered can record amounts as including GST or excluding GST.
- Need to be consistent throughout the Performance Report and from one year to the next.
- Not GST registered all amounts with GST included.
- Need to state in the Statement of Accounting Policies whether the amounts are recorded including or excluding GST.

#### CAN WE CHANGE OR DELETE CATEGORIES?

- You can't change the type of information that must be reported within each category.
- You can split a category and rename it to make it more meaningful for your charity
- Example: A charity that provides classes and sells education books, might want to rename the category 'Revenue from providing goods or services' to 'Class fees and book sales"
- If a category doesn't relate to your charity delete the category!

# REVENUE AND EXPENSES **MUST** BE REPORTED SEPARATELY USING THE CATEGORIES

- You cannot record the difference between these two amounts. If you
  want to show the profit of a particular activity, you can do this in the
  Notes to the Performance Report.
- If you had a movie night, you would need to record the money received for ticket sales from the public under "Donations fundraising and other similar revenue" and the payments for the venue, catering and prizes etc under "Expenses related to public fundraising".

#### **HELPFUL LINKS**

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## **ANNUAL REPORTING GUIDES**

- Annual Reporting to Charities Services
- Download a specific guide for Tier 3 and Tier 4





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