

# Swindon IA

Registered charity no. 1038734

Patient support since 1980

Becoming an 'ostomist' can be pretty daunting - we know because we have all been through the same experience. That is why Swindon IA decided to produce this introduction letter.

We are a group of over one hundred ostomists from all walks of life. We are local people of all ages, from teenagers to 'recycled teenagers'!

We meet frequently for talks, exhibitions, social events and, in addition, we hold regular fund raising events.

The aim of our group is to help and support each other as needed as well as making new friends and having fun - it's amazing how good it can be just to meet someone who really understands what you are experiencing.

For further information, please contact the honorary secretary:  
Martin Brien, 38 Purley Avenue, Swindon SN3 2DS.  
Tel: 01793 532776 or e-mail: [secretary@swindon-ia.org.uk](mailto:secretary@swindon-ia.org.uk)

A membership application form is attached but please remember: even if you decide you do not want to join our group at the moment, we are only a telephone call away.

We hope to see you soon!

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## Swindon IA - membership application

First name.....Surname.....Date of birth.....

Address.....

.....Post code.....Telephone.....

I have an ileostomy  a colostomy  a pouch  other  e-mail.....

Signed..... Date..... Please send me a bankers order

Details on this form will be held on computer and used only for Swindon IA purposes and will not be made available elsewhere.

An annual subscription is due on 1st January and is £8 for members under 60 and £5 for members aged 60 and over at the beginning of the subscription year. Please complete this form and sent it with your cheque (payable to Swindon IA) to:

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