

AIMS Membership can be paid by Standing Order which is easier for us to administer and does not incur the charges PayPal or Stripe make. Hence membership via standing order is only £25 instead of £26, which also covers these charges.

We have not increased our membership fees since 2008 and we are not planning to do so. However, had we adjusted them for inflation (around 71% since then) the rate would be closer to £45. We know that many people could not afford this, but if you can we would be very grateful for an increased amount. We are also aware that £25 is more than some can afford, if this is the case for you, then please email us to agree a lower subscription rate.

### Setting up the Payment

Standing orders can be set up via your internet banking, or at your bank, using the AIMS bank details below. If you already have a membership number, please could you include it as a reference.

Account Name            Association for Improvements in the Maternity Services  
AIMS Account No        00025718  
Sort code                40-52-40  
CAF Bank Limited, 25 Kings Hill Avenue, Kings Hill, West Malling, Kent, ME19 4JQ

### Letting us know about you and the payment details

If you are an existing member, please email [membership@aims.org.uk](mailto:membership@aims.org.uk) with the date the payment will be made each year and the name of the account if it is in a different name to your membership.

If you are a new AIMS member then we will need a few more details - your full name and address as well as the date the payment will be made each year. You can just email these to us.

### Gift Aid Declaration

If you are a taxpayer you can gift aid your AIMS membership. You can complete an online declaration at [www.aims.org.uk/giftaid.php](http://www.aims.org.uk/giftaid.php).

If you would prefer to print and complete a form, which can be scanned or emailed, or posted, then one is available here [www.aims.org.uk/GiftAidForm.pdf](http://www.aims.org.uk/GiftAidForm.pdf)

Please contact [membership@aims.org.uk](mailto:membership@aims.org.uk) with any questions

Thank you for supporting AIMS