

## Terms & Conditions

- The application will form the first part of the accreditation and award process only.
- The application must be made with the consent of the owner or manager of the venue and the venue must be situated within the qualifying area.
- To be considered for accreditation, premises must be in operation at the time of application and in operation for a minimum of one month prior to the assessment visit.
- Best Bar None reserves the right to adjust your category classification if necessary.
- Assessment visits will commence following the application deadline. The assessors' visit is designed to verify the details on the application form and the criteria checklist, therefore applicants must make themselves and their premises available for the assessment visit.
- Establishments apply and are assessed under the ownership, liquor licence, operating name, concept, BBN category and physical setting/layout at the time of application. Any changes to the above after accreditation is granted may require review by the Steering Committee to determine if the accreditation status remains valid.
- Assessments will be scored to determine:
  - Accreditation - the venue is deemed to have satisfied the minimum standards laid down by the program and is eligible to display the accreditation credentials.
  - Category Winners and Runners Up - selected by an independent judging panel from the highest scoring accredited venues. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence or appeal process will be entered into.
  - A Winner and two Runners Up will be named in each category.
  - Accreditation plaques and all awards will be presented at an Awards Event.
- Best Bar None allows customers to make choices about the safest places to enjoy a night out. BBN signage at the entrance, within premises and in advertising will assure patrons that the venue meets the required standard of safety and customer care.
- The Best Bar None signage and certificates remain the property of Best Bar None.
- *If a licensee has had disciplinary actions for an infraction in the past 12 months, they may be considered eligible for BBN accreditation at the discretion of the Steering Committee (on an individual, case by case basis), however they would be ineligible for an award.*
- At the time of the accreditation and award presentation, the premises are acknowledged to have reached the agreed standards. If these standards fall below those achieved, the accreditation and/or award may be withdrawn.

***Submission of your Best Bar None application will be considered acknowledgment and acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.***

If you have questions about the program, the process, or your application, please contact:

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