

Call for Expression of Interest Thamesview Family Health Team Board Nominations

The Executive Board Committee is responsible for the governance and management of the affairs of the Family Health Team to ensure a strong commitment to the provision of timely, comprehensive primary health care centred around the needs of our patients and their families and is now issuing a **Call for Expression of Interest with Legal Background** in serving on the Executive Board Committee:

- Nominations for this position must be formally submitted on the attached Thamesview FHT Call for Expression of Interest Form.
- A Candidate Application package must be completed.
- Candidates are requested to read the attached duties and responsibilities of a Thamesview FHT Board Director and be aware that there is an expectation that Board Directors will serve on Board Committees.
- You will also find attached the list of core and complementary competencies that prospective Board members will need to demonstrate as part of the Executive Board Committee's process to develop the skills-based slate of Directors.
- Candidates must have the support of their employer to take up the position and agree to the time commitment involved by signing the attached Call for Expression of Interest Form.
- References will be requested for the candidates who are selected for interview.
- Inclusion on the Executive Board Committee is subject to a successful third party background check. Candidates are requested to indicate agreement to undergo the third-party background check by signing Call for Expression of Interest Form.
- Submissions should be forwarded to the attention of:

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Background

Thamesview Family Health Team provides primary health care, including chronic disease management and health promotion and prevention, to approximately 23,000 patients in Chatham-Kent. We are a values-based organization with a strong commitment to quality, evidence-based medicine and teaching.

We have a strong team of interdisciplinary health care professionals and administrative staff who work in a collaborative model of care, to help patients reach their health goals, throughout the life cycle. Our physicians are committed to provide an integrated approach for optimal continuity of care. Physicians offer inpatient hospital care (round on patients, discharges, etc.) They also provide service in the following areas: Obstetrics, Oncology, Hospice, Hospitalist Medicine, Emergency Medicine and Long Term Care.

We are an accredited teaching site for Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry's Distributed Education Network for our Family Medicine Residency Program. We teach home –based residents elective residency blocks for rural electives, as well as core rotations and electives in family medicine for 3rd and 4th year students.

A skills-based governance model was approved by the directors at the June 2018 AGM. The new Executive Board Committee will be comprised of 7 voting Directors, and 3 non-voting members. To ensure continuity within the new Board, four of the Director positions will be filled by physicians of Thamesview FHT. Therefore 3 vacancies will need to be filled. In considering candidates, the nominations subcommittee will seek to ensure balance in terms of skills of Directors on the Executive Board Committee.