

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: President-Elect, Board of Directors

The APHA Board of Directors is seeking expressions of interest for the role of President-Elect. The nominated individual(s) will be recommended for election to the Board by the general membership at the 2017 APHA Annual General Meeting (Summer).

Who Are We?

An association representing over 130 members in Alberta public health practice and research. Membership is open to anyone engaged in public health activities and/or that self-identifies as having an interest in public health.

OUR MISSION: To be a leading voice for public health and work to strengthen the impact of those who promote and protect the highest standard of public health.

What Do We Do?

- 1. Advocacy for public health.** Recent initiatives include:
 - Supporting provincial tobacco reduction efforts
 - Collaborating on efforts to restrict indoor tanning
 - Contributing to municipal decisions on fluoridation of drinking water supplies
- 2. Collaboration with public health partners and stakeholders.** Current relationships include:
 - Alberta Policy Coalition for Chronic Disease Prevention
 - Alberta Recreation and Parks Association
 - Canadian Cancer Society
 - Canadian Public Health Association
- 3. Membership engagement through email, newsletters, the website, and an annual general meeting.**

Who Are We Looking For?

Desired qualifications and skills:

- Demonstrated leadership in the field of public health practice or research
- Experience in the governance of not-for-profit Boards
- Training in business administration, project management, fund development, member engagement
- APHA member in good standing

Major duties include, but are not limited to:

- Responsible in partnership with the Board of Directors, leads the APHA towards Association goals
- In the absence of the President, assumes the duties and responsibilities of the President
- Prepares to assume the office of the President in 2018-19
- Learns the duties of the President and keeps informed on key issues
- Works closely as consultant and advisor to the President
- Participates in applicable APHA Committees
- Builds and leverages a network of relationships with partner organizations

Time Commitment

This role will serve as President-Elect for a one year term (starting Summer 2017). Following successful completion of this one year term, this role will assume the role of President for a two year term.

The Board of Directors meets in-person or via teleconference six times per year. The average time commitment varies between 5-10 hours per month.

Put Your Name Forward

For more information or to put your name forward, visit www.apha.ab.ca or e-mail Benjamin Kung at benjamin.kung@cpsa.ab.ca.

Note: the APHA Board of Directors is also seeking expressions of interest for Directors-at-Large. For more information, visit www.apha.ab.ca.