



Volunteer Board Members Needed

Bellwoods Centres for Community Living is a community-based, not-for-profit organization committed to transforming lives through excellence and innovation in independent living. Bellwoods provides government funded personal and attendant support services and independent living education in the community for approximately over 300 clients.

Description

Bellwoods is seeking qualified people with inspiration and dedication for service on the Board of Directors for the position of Director, available in October 2016.

The Board's role is primarily that of policy governance, and provides leadership, vision and guidance to the corporation. As a member of the Bellwoods Board of Directors, you will be also responsible for directing organization's businesses in accordance with applicable legislation, strategic and business plans, and the accountability agreement with the Toronto Central Local Health Integration Network.

Qualifications

The Board of Directors for Bellwoods Centres is made up of 12 volunteers with various expertise, including: finance and property management, law, health care, strategic planning, human resources, senior management, labour relations, community relations, consumer relations and government relations.

We are currently seeking candidates with significant experience in the following areas: property management, government relations and fundraising.

Serving on a Bellwoods Board will be involving your commitment to attend meetings (in person and/or via teleconference) during and outside normal business hours. The number of meetings vary according to the agenda of the individual committees. Candidates should consider their ability to make such a commitment as part of their decision to express their interest in serving on the Board.

Terms

Directors are appointed at the Annual General Meeting for a term of up to three years, subject to renewal.

Board meetings are usually held once a month – September through June, or on an ad hoc basis as needed. Members are also required to sit on at least one committee. The Board meetings of Bellwoods are usually held at the office of the organization.

If you are interested in serving on the Board of Directors, beginning October 2016, please forward your resume by June 17, 2016 to:

Chair

Corporate Planning and Development Committee

Bellwoods Board of Directors

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