

Primary Care Networks (PCNs) are not-for-profit organizations supported by an agreement between Alberta Health (AH), Alberta Health Services (AHS) and the Alberta Medical Association (AMA). PCNs are collaborations between local physician group and AHS Zones to enhance comprehensive primary care services in local geographic areas. Established in 2006, the Edmonton West Primary Care Network (EWPCN) employs an interdisciplinary team of nurses, pharmacists, dietitians, behavioural health consultants, and administrators who support family physicians in their care of patients suffering with chronic and complex disease or specialty related problems.

Our PCN is seeking applications from individuals interested in volunteering to serve as a public member on our Board of Directors. A public board member shares the responsibilities of governing the PCN, formulating policies and processes, fostering the purpose and vision of the PCN and has a commitment to the financial and social wellbeing of the PCN and to primary care generally.

Education

Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate business acumen and/or have demonstrated experience working within non-clinical industries.

Experience

To be eligible, you should have senior leadership and governance experience, an understanding of financial matters, strategic planning, advocacy, demonstrated community involvement and experience with board or corporate governance.

SKILLS

Preference will also be given to applicants who have demonstrated an understanding of the principles of corporate governance, have public relations experience and who are residents of the west or south west Edmonton communities.

Commitment

- A monthly meeting averaging 3 hours/month.
- Appointments are for a 1 or a 2-year term.

START DATE

Orientation will start September 7, 2019 with the board orientation. The first Board meeting being September 25, 2019.

Applications

If you are interested in this unique opportunity, please email your resume and cover letter addressed to the Recruitment Committee of the Board of Directors care of Wendy Dawson at wendy.dawson@ewpcn.com.

If you are the successful applicant, the information provided in your biography may be used in media releases. The use and disclosure of your personal information is managed in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (Alberta). If you have any questions about the collection, use or disclosure of this information, please contact Wendy Dawson.

We thank all those who apply, however, only those who will be offered an interview will be contacted. A clear criminal record check will be required.