



Board of Directors Opportunity

A tremendous opportunity exists for business, health system and community leaders to join Scarborough Health Network's (SHN) Board of Directors and be part of redefining the future of health care in one of Canada's most unique and culturally diverse communities. At SHN, the patient and caregiver experience comes first. With three hospitals (Birchmount, Centenary and General) and seven satellite locations, SHN is Ontario's third largest community teaching hospital committed to delivering the highest quality patient, family and caregiver centred care. With a focus on enhancing access to services for the 650,000 residents of Scarborough, SHN works in consultation and partnership with community members, health care organizations, the University of Toronto, the Health Network's Foundation, Ontario Health and the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.

SHN provides patient services for the entire continuum of care across our network. SHN is home to exceptional regional programs serving east Toronto and beyond, including nephrology, cardiac care, vascular surgery, and vision care, and is recognized as a centre of excellence in orthopaedic surgery, cancer care, and mental health. In addition, SHN is well-positioned to continue the important work of helping newcomers navigate Ontario's health care system while providing care to a diverse population.

In 2018, SHN launched a bold five-year strategic plan to redesign the community's health system to be Canada's leading community teaching health network. "Shaping the Future of Care" includes ambitious and innovative new facilities and programs. It is the culmination of progressive and inclusive consultation with the communities served by SHN, the doctors dedicated to SHN, the Ministry of Health, peer health organizations, and SHN staff and leadership. Through partnerships and collaboration SHN is shaping care that is accessible to everyone. SHN is poised to make significant progress on transforming health care.

Scarborough Health Network is inviting applications from outstanding business, health system and community leaders to join our Board of Directors. SHN's Board of Directors provides oversight to the development of strategy and the stewardship of resources, and ensures accountability to the public. Collectively, SHN's Board Directors bring their diverse backgrounds together to consider opportunities and risks from multiple perspectives and professional disciplines, supporting effective decision-making and risk management.

Board Directors reflect the SHN values of compassion, inclusiveness, courage, and innovation. Each Board Director works in partnership with all Independent Directors, the senior leadership team and key stakeholders to advance SHN's vision and mission from a strategic and governance perspective. The ideal SHN Board Director demonstrates a genuine affinity for and commitment to transforming health care within one of the most culturally unique and diverse populations in Canada. Future SHN Board Directors will have Board experience from the private, public and/or not-for-profit sectors and bring relevant functional expertise in areas such as legal, accounting, human resources, communications, risk/crisis management, business transformation, regulatory public policy, research, and/or technology/big data/analytics. Governance education and/or credentials such as ICD.D or C.Dir. are each assets. This is an exciting volunteer opportunity for Board, business and community leaders who are passionate about having a positive impact at SHN now and for years to come.



How to Apply

To explore this dynamic Board of Directors opportunity, please contact Lisa Heidman LL.B., ICD.D at lisaheidman@arlingtonpartnersinc.com. A detailed Board Position Profile highlighting the Board of Directors opportunity and desired key competencies will be provided to all Board candidates under consideration. We look forward to exploring your candidacy.