



Hospice Vaughan Call for New Board Member – July 10, 2019

Hospice Vaughan – Vaughan, ON

Join an outstanding team and have the opportunity to make a lasting impact on community

As a growing not-for-profit organization that is focused on delivering care with dignity and compassion, Hospice Vaughan is seeking candidates interested in serving on our Board of Directors in a volunteer capacity.

Candidates will preferably have previous experience serving on a Board of Directors and/or a Hospice Vaughan Committee. In an effort to continually reflect the diversity and vibrancy of our community, the Board is seeking community-minded leaders, particularly with experience in finance, governance, health care, public affairs, strategy and fundraising.

Terms are 3 years beginning October 2019 with option for a second 3-year renewal.

Applications must include a CV together with a letter of interest articulating the reasons for wanting to serve on the Board and ways in which candidates feel they can support Hospice Vaughan, its staff, volunteers and those we serve in the community. CVs and letters of interest should be no longer than 3 pages total.

Board candidates should:

- Be a strong champion for Hospice Vaughan, and act as an ambassador
- Be active in the Vaughan community
- Be a strong collaborator
- Be prepared to engage and focus on Hospice Vaughan's needs, and to not actively solicit for one's own services
- Be prepared to attend regularly scheduled Board meetings and other meetings as required
- Assume a leadership role and actively participate on one or more Hospice Vaughan Committees
- Support and attend events and other activities offered by Hospice Vaughan

Applications must be received by end of business day on Wed July 24, 2019 by email to hr@hospicevaughan.com

Submissions will be reviewed and finalists interviewed by the Executive Committee.

We thank all candidates for their interest. Only those which include a CV and letter of interest will be considered. No extensions to the deadline will be granted.

Organizational Overview:

Since 1995, Hospice Vaughan, a not-for-profit organization, has been providing compassionate support to individuals facing a life-limiting illness or the loss of a loved one. We provide in-home visiting volunteers, a day program and grief and bereavement support. Our services extend out to caregivers, family members and friends who also need support in their time of need and grief. All our programs and services are free of charge for individuals of all ages. With a volunteer base of more than 120 volunteers we offer a visiting volunteer program supporting more than 500 individuals in the community. Our trained staff work with caregivers, community agencies and health care professionals, to offer services in the community and at our Woodbridge Centre. The need for residential hospice beds is acute and Vaughan currently has none. Hospice Vaughan is committed to building a fully integrated and comprehensive Centre of Excellence for the delivery of Hospice and Palliative Care that includes 10 residential beds for end-of-life care. For more information visit: www.hospicevaughan.com