



AOM Board of Directors Nomination (elected)

DEADLINE: February 24, 2021 at 11:59 PM EST.

Please complete the following nomination form.

Candidate name: _____

Please select which Board of Directors Position you are interested in:

- Secretary (2 year term)
- Member-at-Large (2 year term) (3 positions)

I have been nominated by

Member name: _____

Member #: _____

All nominators will be contacted by the AOM to confirm that they have agreed to nominate the candidate. Nominators can provide consent for candidate nominations in writing by e-mailing executiveassistant@aom.on.ca. **Please note that self-nominations are accepted.**

Please briefly describe why you are interested in serving on the AOM Board of Directors:

What skills do you bring to AOM Board of Directors? Please describe any previous experience as a Board member and any previous roles with the AOM or other Midwifery related group.

The Board especially seeks to increase diversity on the Board to be reflective of its membership, as the AOM prioritizes addressing racial inequity within the profession. The Board encourages members who have the following the skills, knowledge, and experience in the following priority areas to be nominated:

1. Knowledge of and competence in racial equity and anti-oppression work
2. Knowledge of Indigenous/Aboriginal midwifery and/or Indigenous/Aboriginal health
3. Experience with strategic thinking and innovative thinking as it pertains to health systems (e.g. OHTs) and technology



The Board is committed to principles of diversity and inclusion on the AOM Board. The Board has the objective of diversifying the composition of the Board such that it reflects the diversity of the AOM membership and brings diverse perspectives to strengthen its decision-making. It would be helpful for the Board to know if you self-identify and consider relevant to your nomination any of the following:

- I am an IMPP grad
- I identify as an Indigenous/Aboriginal person
- I am an Indigenous/Aboriginal midwife working under the exception clause
- I identify as a racialized midwife
- I identify as a late career midwife
- I am in my first five years of practice
- I live and practice in Northern Ontario

Please describe the contribution you expect to make to the AOM Board and how those contributions will advance the profession of midwifery in Ontario.

The Ontario Corporations Act requires any Board member to have a duty of loyalty to the organization on which that Board member serves. To help the Board ensure Board members can meet this duty of loyalty, please provide the following information:

1. Do you have an employment or consultant contract with the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care?
Yes No
2. Do you have a staff, director, or volunteer position with the College of Midwives?
Yes No
If Yes, which position:
3. Do you have a staff, director, or volunteer position with BORN Ontario?
Yes No
If Yes, which position:
4. Do you serve as a Board Member for any other health care related organization?
Yes No
If Yes, which organization:



Please note that answering “yes” to any of the above questions does not make you ineligible to serve as a Board member, but will prompt a Board member to contact you to discuss the implications of serving in both organizations.

Declaration of Nomination:

(check each box to declare the statement is true)

- I confirm my willingness to stand for nomination for the Board of the Association of Ontario Midwives. **I understand that the terms of office is for two (2) years, starting May 5, 2020.**
- I have read and understand the nomination information provided including the Anti-Oppression, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Policy, Code of Conduct Policy, Governance Style Policy and the job description for the Board member role for which I am applying.
- I authorize AOM to post the information in this nomination on the AOM website, or in another format normally used by the AOM, in order to inform members about the board nominees.

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