

odha
 Ontario Dental Hygienists' Association
needs volunteers

Find out how you can become part of a thriving organization and work with your peers to advance the profession of dental hygiene. *It's a rewarding experience!*

Passion, pride, commitment and just wanting to be connected are some of the reasons for volunteering. At ODHA individual volunteers can make a difference and together they form a strong entity to work on behalf of the members.

Share your knowledge and perspectives.

As a volunteer

- Provide input on the direction of your professional Association
- Share your ideas and experience
- Network and socialize with your peers
- Learn skills for personal and professional growth
- Receive recognition for your efforts

Opportunities include...

- Director on the Board
- Member of a committee or task force
- Official representative
- Advocacy (lobbying)

Volunteer vacancies for 2019

- Director on the Board
- Public Awareness Advisory Committee (PAAC)
- Newsletter Advisory Committee (NAC)



Committees, Task Forces & Official Representatives

ODHA is always seeking members to serve as official representatives or to serve on task forces and committees. The specific responsibilities of these volunteer roles vary according to the committee, task or position.

If you are interested in volunteering with the ODHA, but not sure if a Director position is appropriate for you, please contact the ODHA for more information about other opportunities to serve the ODHA and your profession.

Volunteer Commitment

Once you decide to volunteer for the ODHA, you are making an important time commitment - one we hope will take pride in honouring. It's an opportunity that will benefit you and your profession.

Make a difference as an ODHA volunteer

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The 11-member Board is made up of nine Regional Directors, the President and President Elect. The province is grouped into seven regions with one Regional Director in regions A, C, D, E and F and two Regional Directors in Regions B and G.

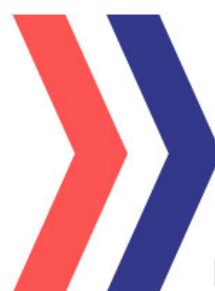
As a Director, you play an important role in providing direction and making decisions, including approval of the operational budget; shaping ODHA's strategic initiatives and vision; promoting dental hygiene to the community; supporting the government relations program; and encouraging membership.

REGIONAL DIRECTOR

Regional Directors represent the interests of the region as well as the general membership and work or reside within the defined geographic area for the region. The Regional Directors are elected (if more than one nomination is received) by members from their region.

Region

- A** – Algoma, Thunder Bay, Sudbury, Nipissing, Timiskaming, Kenora, Timmins, Manitoulin, Cochrane, Rainy River and Parry Sound
- B** – Halton-Peel, Simcoe County, Muskoka
- C** – London & Area, Sarnia-Lambton, Windsor-Essex, Huron-Grey-Bruce
- D** – Bay of Quinte, Kingston & Area, Ottawa, Peterborough & Area
- E** – Hamilton & Area, Niagara Peninsula, Waterloo-Wellington
- F** – City of Toronto
- G** – Durham, York Region



2019
vacancies

Region A
one-year term

Regions E, F, G
two-year term

Requirements

- Positions are for a two-year term
- Candidates must have a minimum one-year experience working as a dental hygienist
- Election platform

Responsibilities

- Attend and participate in at least three face to face and 3 teleconference sessions per year
- Possible involvement at events during the year

NOMINATION FORM

REGIONAL DIRECTOR (check one)

Region A

Region E

Region F

Region G

(please print name of nominee)

We, the undersigned, being members in good standing of the ODHA, hereby nominate the member named above.

1. _____
(signature of ODHA active/life member)

2. _____
(signature of ODHA active/life member)

(please print name)

(please print name)

As a member in good standing, I accept the nomination.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Signature: _____

Please complete & return this form by **February 15, 2019**, with a current resume.

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