

Board of Health Manual

Public Health Sudbury & Districts

Policy

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Board of Health Administration

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Board Appointments

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Purpose

The Board of Health believes that fulfillment of its mission is enhanced by a thorough understanding of the health promotion and disease prevention needs of the communities it serves. Representation from the community at large on the Board provides an opportunity for public involvement in the identification of needs and the formulation of policy. Elected members have an additional responsibility and accountability to their constituent municipalities as a result of the electoral process.

The Government of Ontario makes appointments to boards of health through the Public Appointments Secretariat (PAS).

The Board of Health has committed, through the Indigenous Engagement Governance Reconciliation Framework, to advocate for and promote the selection of Indigenous people for representation on the Board. Representation could be municipally (where more than one representative appointment exists) or through provincial appointees.

In support of the PAS process, the Board will advertise the public appointment vacancies on the Public Health Sudbury & Districts website or as deemed appropriate throughout the catchment area.

Public Member Appointees and Reappointments

As per the Public Appointment Secretariat rules.

Public members will be bound by the code of conduct, confidentiality policy, conflict of interest policy and all other by-laws, policies and procedures of the Board.

Public members will receive an honorarium that is determined by the Board.