



**ONTARIO CHIROPRACTIC ASSOCIATION
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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

To: OCA Members
From: David J. Brunarski
Chair, Nominations Committee
Date: July 23, 2012
Re: Call for Nominations to OCA Board of Directors

Nomination for the OCA Board of Directors

The OCA Board of Directors consists of twelve OCA members. The OCA By-Laws require that elections be held prior to each Annual General Meeting (AGM) to replace those directors whose terms are expiring or to fill the seats of any directors whose terms cannot be completed.

This year, there are four positions open for election for three-year terms.

Nomination for a position as a director on the OCA board is open to any OCA voting member in good standing. The OCA Board of Directors meets five or six times per year. Directors are expected to become involved in policy development, governance and oversight.

Nominations and Elections Process

A nomination, to be valid, must be signed by ten (10) members in good standing. In addition to completing the nomination form, candidates should complete the attached form providing a brief biography (250 words or less) and answers to three (3) standardized questions. A black and white photograph of the nominee should also be provided. Please refer to the attached '**OCA Board Member – Job Description**' as a guide for prospective candidates. The job description identifies the requirements and responsibilities of OCA Directors. Additionally, information regarding any conflict of interest situations or circumstances that a nominee may have in serving in the position to which he or she has been nominated should be declared and included in the materials that are submitted.

For those who may be interested in running for election as a director a conference call will be held with the Chair of the Nominating Committee and the Chief Executive Officer to answer any questions you may have on **Monday, July 30th at 7:30 p.m.** If you are unable to participate on this call, please feel free to contact the OCA directly.

The call-in numbers are as follows: Local: 416-840-9801
Toll-Free: 1-877-727-8553
Access Code: 250758107#

Nomination Forms are due no later than **Monday, August 27th, 2012 at 5 p.m.** Nomination materials may be submitted by mail, facsimile, or email.

Being an OCA Director

Serving the chiropractic profession is a personal honour and a significant responsibility. The profession requires committed and responsible individuals who are prepared to allow their names to stand in service to the profession. I would urge you to look to your colleagues for those who would serve our profession through the opportunities that it faces, approach them and discuss the possibilities. There are never too many leaders to shoulder the effort and to do the work that has to be done. Please make the effort to approach someone you would be proud to nominate.

An organization is as healthy as the interest shown by its members in its functioning and future planning. The many successes of the OCA over the past three quarters of a century have been achieved through dedicated leadership supported by a strong membership. Your help is needed to continue our progress into the future. Exercise your ability to affect chiropractic's future in Ontario and Canada – become involved!

Thank you to those willing to stand for election to these positions.