



The Charles H. Best Diabetes Centre has Board Director positions open!

We are seeking knowledgeable, dynamic and passionate community members to join our Board of Directors.

Organizational Overview

The Charles H. Best Diabetes Centre is Canada's only stand-alone community centre and charitable organization, specializing in healthcare and mental health support for patients of all ages living with type 1 diabetes. Lead by the Executive Director, our interdisciplinary team of nurses, dietitians, social workers work with affiliated physicians to provide individualized patient care. All supported by dedicated development/fundraising and administrative staff.

You:

- Are motivated to give back
- See the big picture
- Are interested in supporting strategic plans and programs that aim to improve quality of life
- Enjoy challenge
- Act strategically
- Like to work within teams

We:

- Give life changing support to families living with type 1 diabetes
- Are a dynamic and forward-thinking charitable organization
- Drive meaningful change across healthcare sectors at regional, national and international levels
- Work with a diverse group of professionals

Volunteer Board Director Responsibilities

- Attend Board meetings, either in-person or virtually
- Provide governance support to the Centre's strategic plan, connect with the vision and mission
- Contribute to financial oversight and ensure fiscal responsibility
- Support fundraising and advocacy efforts
- Promote and build relationships with key stakeholders, including donors, partners, staff and the broader community
- Offer expertise, insights and guidance to support consistent growth and development
- Contribute to at least one of the Board's standing sub-committees

Qualifications

- Leadership experience
- Strategic thinking, financial acumen and problem-solving skills
- Commitment to the Best Centre's values, vision and mission
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Not required but advantageous to have a connection to someone with type 1 diabetes
- We are currently looking for individuals with experience in legal, information technology and financial sectors but feel free to apply if you think this is the place for you

To be considered for a Board Member position,

Please send your resume and a cover letter outlining your qualifications and interest to the Executive Director, Lorrie Hagen at lorrie@charleshbest.com. The Charles H Best Centre is committed to fostering diversity and inclusion in all its endeavours. We encourage applications from individuals of all backgrounds. We will ensure that your onboarding experience is tailored to meet your specific needs.