

Call for New Members: WOMB Birth Centre Project

The Women's Oasis for Maternal Wellness and Birth (WOMB) aims to build a space where women, families and communities can access culturally safe wellness, perinatal and birthing care. The WOMB non-profit society is currently recruiting interested individuals for appointments to the WOMB Board of Directors and aims to appoint members who can best accomplish the objectives of WOMB, in alignment with its vision and core values.

The Board of Directors has the ultimate decision-making and authority for all responsibilities regarding the development of a birth centre in the Lower Mainland, including all matters relating to finances, strategic planning, fundraising, and community outreach. The Board is made up of community members who have a passion for making healthy, family-centered maternity services available to all. The Board is accountable to its society members, the communities the future WOMB centre might serve, institutional partners and community stakeholders.

WOMB is currently looking to fill one position:

WOMB Board of Directors Voting Member

WOMB aims to recruit board members from diverse backgrounds that can contribute to the differing needs of the Board of Directors. Duties include attending monthly board meetings, contributing time to fundraisers or other community events, participating in think-tanks, and research or clerical contributions

All interested community members are encouraged to apply, using the form attached. Please send completed forms by August 10th, 2015 to wombbirthcentre@gmail.com. Any questions regarding this position may be directed to the director, Jenny Yamagata (wombbirthcentre@gmail.com). WOMB will select and appoint the new Board member at our August AGM. Interested applicants are encouraged to attend the WOMB Annual General Meeting on August 18th 2015.

WOMB Board Members Nomination Form

Name:

City of Residence:

Please answer the following questions in the space provided. You may attach additional sheets if necessary.

1. Why would you like to be a WOMB Board Member?

2. Please list any skills you believe you would bring to the work of the WOMB Board.

3. Please list any previous experience you feel would be important to your role on the WOMB Board.