



APPLICATION FORM FOR THE FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEES

Please either:

Print this application form, fill it out and mail it with your **résumé** to:
Chairperson, Governance Committee
c/o Family & Children's Services of Guelph and Wellington County
55 Delhi Street, P.O. Box 1088
Guelph, Ontario N1H 6N3
or fax to (519) 763-9628

or

E-mail it along with your **résumé** to:
colleen.reardon@fcsqw.org

If you have any questions contact Colleen Reardon at 519-824-2410 ext. 229

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

Province: _____

Postal Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

Work Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

Email Address: _____

Our Vision

We envision a community where all children are safe and healthy, nurtured in a permanent loving family, and provided with opportunities to grow to their full potential.

Our Mission

Our mission is to ensure the safety and well-being of children and to support and strengthen families. Together with the community, we work to develop respectful and caring environments in which all children can grow to their full potential.

The Family and Children's Services (F&CS) Board of Directors is primarily a governance body. Those seeking nomination to the Board of Directors or appointment to a Committee must become society members and support the Vision and Mission of F&CS, and agree to have a criminal record check and F&CS file check done if elected/appointed.

1. Please check the statements that apply to you:

- I support the vision and mission statement of F&CS
- I understand that the F&CS Board is primarily a governance body
- I am over the age of 18 and live or work in Wellington County
- I can commit to attending one Board meeting and one committee meeting per month
- If elected to the Board of Directors or appointed to a Committee, I commit to having a criminal record check and an F&CS file check conducted

2. Why are you interested in being on the Board of Directors or a Committee of Family and Children's Services?

3. What strengths will you bring to the Board/Committee?

4. Do you have skills or experience in any of the following areas?

- Organizational development
- Human Resources
- Fundraising/Marketing
- Communication technology
- Financial management
- Community development and advocacy

What other skills and/or particular interests would you bring forward to the Board of Directors/Committee?

5. How would you describe your personal philosophy and vision of child welfare in Ontario?