



# TBC Quality Advisory Committee – Call for New Member

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## TBC QUALITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### CALL FOR NEW MEMBER

The Toronto Birth Centre (TBC) aims to build a space where pregnant people, families and communities can access culturally safe birthing care. The TBC is seeking an interested individual for appointment by the Board to the TBC Quality Advisory Committee (QAC). We aim to appoint members who can best accomplish the objectives of the TBC, in alignment with its vision, core values, and Indigenous framework.

The QAC focuses on safety monitoring and evaluation of services at the TBC, overseeing the activities of the Quality Management Program and reporting on those activities to the Board.

***The TBC is seeking a person to fill one (1) positions on the QAC. The successful candidate will be:***

- **Living in Toronto**
- **Have expertise on research and Aboriginal communities**
- Available to attend meetings quarterly or more frequently as called by the Chair
- Available to undertake the responsibilities of QAC members, including timely review of committee documents, verification of prepared minutes of meetings, ensuring that agreed-upon timelines are met, attending public events (when required), as outlined in the QAC Terms of Reference (available on the TBC website: [www.torontobirthcentre.ca](http://www.torontobirthcentre.ca)).
- Available to commit to a term of 1 to 3 years

Participation on the QAC is an exciting opportunity to be a part of the ongoing development of the Quality Management Program of the TBC as an innovative midwifery-led initiative.

The appointment process for QAC membership with the Toronto Birth Centre is guided by the TBC's Vision, Purpose, Core Values and Indigenous Framework, and works within an Indigenous worldview. Self-identified Indigenous people and those who have a strong track record of ally work with Indigenous communities are encouraged to come forward. People with skills and expertise in quality improvement, patient safety, and program evaluation are especially encouraged to apply.

**Please submit your Statement of Interest, including how you are able to contribute to the work of the QAC, (max. 300 words) and a curriculum vitae to:**

[torontobirthcentre@gmail.com](mailto:torontobirthcentre@gmail.com)

**Please specify in the subject line: "QAC application – Community Council stream"**

**Statements of interest will be accepted ongoing until the position is filled.**

If you would like more information about writing a Statement of Interest or a curriculum vitae, please contact: [cd@torontobirthcentre.ca](mailto:cd@torontobirthcentre.ca)

Statements of interest will be reviewed by the QAC Appointment Working Group of TBC's Community Council, who will facilitate the selection via election if needed. Selected candidates will be put forward for appointment at a TBC Board Meeting.