



## Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County Board of Director Nomination Form

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Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County was established in 1977 and is a non-profit counselling agency. The agency is accredited by the Canadian Centre for Accreditation, and is a member of Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and Family Service Ontario.

### **MISSION:**

“In the spirit of hope and compassion, CFSSC together with community partners is committed to providing professional counselling, education and advocacy to heal and strengthen family and individual life”

### **VISION:**

CFSSC envisions strong, caring, healthy communities where families and individuals are empowered to reach their potential in spirit, mind and body.

### **Our Core Values:**

CFSSC envisions strong, caring, healthy communities where families and individuals are empowered to reach their potential in spirit, mind and body. Inspired by Christ’s example and guided by the pastoral, moral and social teachings of the Catholic Church, our values are:

“Compassion” ~ CFSSC seeks to create an accessible environment where all people are nurtured, accepted and enabled to grow.

“Respect” ~ CFSSC recognizes and upholds the inherent dignity, rights and uniqueness of every person.

“Accountability” ~ CFSSC accepts responsibility to provide stewardship, service excellence and to act with integrity, in every encounter with our clients, colleagues, funders and community.

“Innovation” ~ CFSSC actively seeks opportunities to learn, change and grow to ensure our capacity to respond to emerging needs.

**Our Service Philosophy:** At CFSSC we are committed to providing professional services to reduce emotional distress, enhance personal well-being and strengthen relationships. *Guided by Catholic beliefs and values* we recognize the unique needs and preferences of clients and work with them to develop a service plan based on consultation and best practice. We recognize the importance of the family context and ***strive to be inclusive of persons of all abilities, religions, cultures, sexual orientation or gender identity.***

**Nominee Profile**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please specify your contact preference: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any previous contact with Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County:

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Briefly outlined below why are you interested in becoming a member of the Board of Directors at Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County:

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### **Competencies**

The Board of Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County (CFSSC) has primary oversight and strategic responsibility to ensure that the Agency fulfills its mission, strategic goals and to realize its opportunities and obligations for service. We are currently seeking directors at an executive level with a mix of strategic, business or social work competencies to support and advance CFSSC's performance, and achievement of its mission and vision.

### **Please check any specific skills or experience you can contribute:**

1. Financial savvy/Business expertise	
2. Knowledge of the whole community (geographic, cultural and socio-economic)	
3. Ambassadorship: to reflect the spirit and integrity of CFSSC	
4. Risk Management	
5. Commitment to continuous learning	
6. Human Resource Management	
7. Governance	
8. Policy Development	
9. Social Service Expertise	
10. Fund Raising	

## Experience and Career Highlights

Do you have previous experience on a Board? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**If Yes, please list board governance experience:**

**Other Experience or Skills you feel would be an asset to the Board:**

## Characteristics

CFSSC seeks Board members that can demonstrate the following characteristics. Please note brief examples of these characteristics from your experience.

1. Decision making based on Catholic, Christian or spiritual values

2. Team Player

3. Ability to listen

Please provide a **business reference** we may contact as part of the review process.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a **personal reference** we may contact as part of the review process.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Time Commitment:** *The time commitment as a Director is anticipated to be in the range of five to eight hours per month.*

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*Please sign/date and return a completed copy of the application form, along with a copy of your resume via email to [info@cfssc.ca](mailto:info@cfssc.ca) or Board of Directors, Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County, 20 Anne Street South, Barrie ON, L4N 2C6.*

## **Agreement and Signature**

*I understand that information contained on my application will be verified by CFSSC. I understand that misrepresentations or omissions may be cause for my rejection as an applicant for a volunteer position with CFSSC or my termination as a volunteer.*

*This application serves as my notice that I wish to apply to be a Board member with CFSSC.*

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

***Thank you for your interest in Catholic Family Services of Simcoe County!***

Please attach a copy of your resume to this application.