

Antimicrobial Stewardship Practitioners – Primary Care, Long-term Care

Provincial Antimicrobial Stewardship Advisory Committee (ASAC)

About ASAC

Public Health Ontario (PHO) promotes and supports antimicrobial stewardship as an effective strategy for limiting inappropriate and excessive antimicrobial use in health care, while improving and optimizing antimicrobial therapy and clinical outcomes for patients.

The Antimicrobial Stewardship Advisory Committee (ASAC) is a Program Advisory Committee of Health Protection that advises PHO on matters related to antimicrobial stewardship, taking into account the following:

- PHO's Vision, Mission, Mandate and Values;
- Goals, objectives and scope of PHO's Antimicrobial Stewardship Program; and
- Provincial priorities.

ASAC membership is multidisciplinary in nature. ASAC is currently seeking practitioners (e.g. pharmacist, physician, nurse, nurse practitioner or infection prevention and control practitioner) from the following sectors/professional areas:

- Primary care
- Long-term Care

Desired Qualifications:

Expertise, experience, and leadership in antimicrobial stewardship/appropriate antimicrobial use.

Requirements to become a member:

Candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Registered to practice in the province of Ontario.
- Able to accommodate the time requirement for quarterly meetings (held virtually) and related activities; all members serve on PHO Advisory Committees on a volunteer basis.
- Able and willing to comply with <u>PHO's Conflict of Interest Rules</u> and confidentiality requirements.

Expressions of Interest

Interested candidates should send their expression of interest, with curriculum vitae and complete contact details to asp@oahpp.ca by **May 31, 2024**.

