

CALL FOR INTEREST

CAM Representative for the Prenatal Environmental Health Education (PEHE) Advisory Committee

**Appel aux intéressées
Représentant(e) de l'ACSF à l'intention du
comité consultatif d'éducation prénatale
en santé environnementale**

(*veuillez noter que les réunions sont en anglais)

Deadline for applications March 9, 2020

Date limite: le 9 mars, 2020

To apply:

Please send a cover letter and CV in a single PDF document with your name and the word *CAM Rep PEHE* in the file name to:

Annie Hibbert

ahibbert@canadianmidwives.org

Dear CAM members,

CAM is now accepting applications from members interested in sitting on the Prenatal Environmental Health Education (PEHE) Advisory Committee

About PEHE Project and Advisory Committee

Full Project Summary can be found here:

https://acsf.sharepoint.com/teams/NationalProjects/Shared%20Documents/PEHE/PEHE_2019/PEHE%20project%20summary.pdf

TEAM EXPERTISE: The University of Ottawa has assembled a multidisciplinary team of experts in reproductive health and clinical care, environmental health, public health, health policy and knowledge translation. To guarantee diverse clinical perspectives and effective knowledge translation, we will work in close partnership with the Society for Obstetricians and Gynecologists of Canada, the College of Family Physicians of Canada, the Canadian Association of Midwives, the National Aboriginal Council of Midwives, and the Canadian Association of Perinatal and Women Health Network among others.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES: Findings will directly influence Canadian policy and practice of partner professional associations and inform the development of educational strategies, clinical practice guidelines and educational resources. Ultimately, this research represents a critical step toward ensuring that PHPs are equipped to effectively counsel patients and that patients have the information they need to make the safest choices possible during pregnancy.

Ideal candidates will have:

- Minimum 3yrs research experience;
- Minimum 3yrs midwifery practice experience;
- Diverse community experience
- A strong interest in environmental health issues & desire to learn
- Experience liaising with other national stakeholder groups and working in an inter-professional context;
- Bilingualism is a strong asset
- Indigenous midwives are particularly encouraged to apply

Responsibilities:

- Provide Canadian midwifery context and expertise at all stages of the PEHE project;
- Review PEHE website and provide suggestions for additional resources
- Inform CAM and NACM staff of distribution timelines and deadlines for membership surveys
- Communicate with CAM and NACM on regular basis regarding project progress, news items and results of project

Time commitment for 3-year project:

- Time commitment will not exceed a couple of hours per month on average although some months may be busier than others.

The CAM/ACSF Executive shall appoint the liaison based on qualifications and interest, and to avoid potential conflicts of interest.

Interested in participating?

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No later than March 9th, 2020 12:00am EST

Thank you,

Tonia Occhionero
Executive Director
