

### Volunteer Board Member

Gippsland Women's Health is seeking nominations from suitably qualified and experienced women to fill a number of Board positions.

### About the Business

GWH is a not for profit regional organisation working within a feminist framework providing leadership for women's health promotion, gender equity, prevention of violence against women, and family violence system leadership across Gippsland.

### About the Role

Board members are legally accountable for the overall performance of the organisation and oversee, provide advice and govern the direction of the organisation.

Board members do not provide any operational function and work closely with the Chief Executive Officer. Board power, responsibilities and accountabilities are granted and assigned under the Associations Incorporation Reform Act (2012) and the GWH Constitution.

As a Board member you may be required to participate in related Board Committees including Finance and Risk.

### Skills and Experience

A Board role at GWH requires you to:

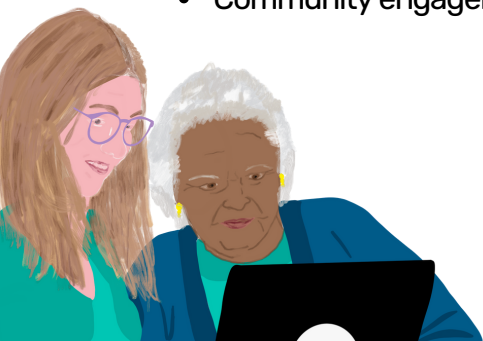
- Be a current Association Member of Gippsland Women's Health
- Have an understanding of and support of feminist frameworks
- Have a desire to promote women's health and wellbeing
- Be committed to reducing the incidence of violence against women
- Have excellent communication skills and a willingness to work collaboratively with other Board members
- Be curious and enquiring
- Have a genuine appetite for change, challenge and growth
- Be community minded

Ideally, you will have had previous Board experience although this is not mandatory.

You will hold or have the ability to provide a Police Check and ideally have qualifications or experience in one of the following areas:

- Health and/or social services
- Finance, Audit and Risk
- Governance
- Strategic planning
- Community engagement

If you require additional support with the nomination process or require special assistance with accessing information, please contact Jade Willox - [jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au)



Nominations and Applications

An **application pack** is available by contacting **Jade Willox, Executive Assistant** at [jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au)

All formal nominations are to be addressed to the "Returning Officer" and can be returned by **COB 30 September 2021**:

Email: [janine.pilgrim@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:janine.pilgrim@gwhealth.asn.au)  
Registered mail: Gippsland Women's Health  
PO Box 664, Sale VIC 3850

Members who may be interested in obtaining further information about the role and responsibilities of Members of the Board prior to nominating are encouraged to contact:

Board Chair: Sue Barker  
Email: [chair@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:chair@gwhealth.asn.au)

CEO: Kate Graham  
Email: [kate.graham@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:kate.graham@gwhealth.asn.au)

**Applications close 30 September 2021 and no late applications will be considered.**

If you require additional support with the nomination process or require special assistance with accessing information, please contact Jade Willox - [jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au](mailto:jade.willox@gwhealth.asn.au)

*Note that under the Equal Opportunity Act 2010 and the Human Rights List Exemption H311/2018, Gippsland Women's Health has been granted an exemption allowing recruitment of women only.*