



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Women In Philanthropy program at Queensway Carleton Hospital Foundation brings together like-minded women who want to help transform healthcare for Ottawa and our region through their collective giving.

Who can join Women In Philanthropy?

- Membership is open to women who are interested in healthcare philanthropy and being part of a collective giving program.
- Members are representative of the region we serve and include business women, physicians, healthcare practitioners and administrators, educators, public servants, philanthropists, patients, caregivers, mothers, daughters, community leaders, etc.

What benefits do Women In Philanthropy members receive?

Members receive the following benefits:

- **Behind-the-Scenes Tours** - up to four times a year, members receive exclusive invitations to see, up close, how their philanthropy helps transform healthcare at Queensway Carleton Hospital. From operating rooms, surgical equipment and diagnostic imaging machines, to emergency medicine, medication management systems and specialized bedside technology, Women In Philanthropy will see how their contributions can impact patient care.
 - **Meetings with Hospital Leaders** - hear hospital leaders speak to the innovative ways QCH is addressing our community's changing healthcare needs and how Women In Philanthropy members can invest for the future.
 - **Annual Voting Meeting and Celebration** - three short-listed projects are presented and members vote for the project that will be supported by Women In Philanthropy funds that year. We'll also celebrate members' collective support and share a project update from the recipient of the previous year's Women In Philanthropy funds. *Members may bring guests or future members to the annual celebration for an additional fee.*
- Access to a diverse network of women who are highly motivated to improve healthcare in our community and make a difference through their own philanthropy.
 - A deeper connection with Queensway Carleton Hospital and a greater say in how their donations are invested.

How can I join Women In Philanthropy?

It is easy to join anytime with a minimum, high-impact annual donation

- \$1,200 (\$100 per month)
- \$600 (\$50 per month) for women under 40 years of age

Donations may be made as a single gift (cash or gifts of securities) or in monthly installments:

- Make your donation online qchfoundation.ca/women
- Complete the membership form and send it to the Foundation office at the address on the form
- Call Nadine Fowler at the Foundation office 613-721-4700 ext. 5609

Tax Receipts

Tax receipts will be issued for 100% of your annual Women In Philanthropy donation.

For monthly payments, an annual consolidated tax receipt for the total donation amount of all your monthly gifts in a calendar year will be issued at the beginning of the next calendar year.

Annual Membership

Currently membership in the Women In Philanthropy program is for one year from the date you join the program. Membership renewal information will be sent to you prior to your anniversary date.

Is membership in Women In Philanthropy restricted to women?

Yes.

How do I get more involved?

The Women In Philanthropy program is guided by a Leadership Committee comprised of ten to twelve current members. The purpose of the Leadership Committee is to:

- Support the development and goals of the Women In Philanthropy program
- Organize and lead the meeting events
- Create a unique and rewarding philanthropic experience for members

If you are interested in joining the Leadership Committee, please contact Nadine Fowler at nfowler@qch.on.ca or 613-721-4700 ext. 5609.

