Violence against women affects everyone.
If you are passionate about making a difference in our community,
apply today to join the Interval House of Ottawa Board of Directors!

Founded in 1976, Interval House of Ottawa provides service to all persons who identify as women and their dependants, including children and pets. In partnership with the community we provide safe shelter and support, intervention and prevention services, and advocacy to break the cycle of violence. Our core values include compassion/empathy, empowerment, equality, leadership/accountability, intersectionality, respect and a client-centred approach.

We are currently seeking up to 5 individuals to join our board. Key areas of expertise include Accounting/Finance, Human Resources, Fundraising, Legal and Communications/PR.

We welcome individuals of all genders from a variety of backgrounds to join the Interval House of Ottawa Board of Directors. If you are interested and would like to join our Board, please provide your CV and a cover letter **to klewis@intervalhouseottawa.org.** If selected, you will be contacted for a personal interview. Interval House of Ottawa requires a minimum two-year commitment.

Qualifications:

- Knowledgeable and passionate about violence against women issues
- Commitment to a feminist analysis and practice
- Personal competencies must reflect our core values and include:
    - Integrity and trustworthiness
    - Reliability
    - Initiative and eagerness to participate
    - Ability to listen to others and accept differing perspectives
    - Willingness to accept group decisions that may not reflect your personal opinion
- Previous Board experience an asset
- Directors must make a personal financial contribution at a level that demonstrates their personal commitment and establishes credibility if called upon to ask others to give
- Directors must be able to commit to the time involved and participation in at least one committee. There is a minimum of 5 to 10 hours of work required per month.

Interval House of Ottawa is committed to employment equity and encourages applications from people from diverse communities and backgrounds. Applicants are invited to self-identify as a member of any of following community/designated groups: Indigenous, person with disabilities, member of a visible minority group/racialized person, LGBTQ+. This self-disclosure is voluntary and the information will be held in confidence.