

Alzheimer Society

SOUTHWEST PARTNERS

Your *partner* in dementia care.

The Alzheimer Society Southwest Partners (AlzSWP) exists to support people living with dementia and their care partners across London-Middlesex, Oxford and Elgin counties. Our mission is to provide community and person-centred support and education to those impacted by dementia.

Why join our Board of Directors?

- **Make an impact:** Help guide services, education and supports to approximately 15,000 people living with dementia and 8,500 care partners across our region.
- **Keep up the momentum:** Join an organization advancing its 2024–2029 strategic plan, focusing on innovation, partnerships, and system leadership.
- **Build our legacy:** Contribute to shaping sustainable, person-centred dementia care across our area.
- **Show your community leadership:** Collaborate with a committed, values-driven Board dedicated to quality of life, equity and community well-being.

What we're looking for

In an effort to enrich our governance table, we are seeking individuals with the following backgrounds and a passion for AlzSWP's work:

- Governance and leadership experience.
- Finance, accounting, or risk management expertise.
- Health care, community support, legal or social services knowledge.
- Fundraising, philanthropy, marketing, or community engagement.
- Lived experience as a care partner or a personal connection to dementia.
- Diverse voices that reflect our region (age, culture, geography, identity).

What the role involves

- A three-year term beginning September 2026, with a potential for an additional 3 year-term.
- Nine (9) meetings per year, with two (2) being in-person meetings at the London office.
- Participation in at least one standing committee, such as:
 - Finance and Audit
 - Governance
 - Philanthropy
 - Quality
- Committees meet approximately 4–5 times per year.
- Attend major fundraising events (e.g., Cabin Fever Reliever Gala, Walk for Alzheimer's).
- A focus on strategic governance and oversight, not day-to-day operations.

Not ready to become a member of our Board of Directors?

Consider serving as a Community Committee Member on one of our standing committees.

Why now?

ALZSWP is in a period of growth and opportunity:

- Evolving service delivery models
- Growing and strengthening partnerships across health and community sectors
- A deepening focus on organizational well-being, leadership development, and equity
- Efforts to strengthen financial sustainability and donor engagement

Board members joining in 2026 will help guide this next chapter of impact.

Learn more

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