



## **ICPHSO Board Opportunity - 2018**

Have you been looking for an opportunity to share your leadership skills and contribute to the success and development of ICPHSO? ICPHSO is seeking applications from members for positions on the ICPHSO Board of Directors which will become vacant on February 23, 2018.

The Nominating Committee is responsible for presenting a slate of directors to the ICPHSO Board to ensure the organization is governed with excellence and vision. ICPHSO strives to ensure that its governing Board is multi-stakeholder and representative of its growing membership base. The Nominating Committee is inviting interested and qualified members to apply for candidacy. ***This year, we are especially interested in seeking qualified nominations from the retail and consumer advocacy communities to ensure a balanced and representative Board.***

Terms of directors are for three years, and may be re-nominated for one additional term, or if a director is elected to an officer position. Generally, the meetings are held via teleconference, with the exception of an in-person meeting held in conjunction with the Annual Symposium.

Here are the some of the qualities that make a good board candidate: ([job description information here](#))

- Knowledge and understanding of product safety issues and trends;
- Dedication and responsibility;
- Policy making, strategic thinking, and leadership abilities;
- Decision-making and analytical skills;
- Team player, ability to work in multi-stakeholder environment;
- Excellent communication skills;
- Ability to commit the time and resources to serve on Board, committees, and attend ICPHSO events, and
- Links with one of ICPHSO's stakeholder communities (i.e. – manufacturing, retail, trade association, non-profit organizations, consumer advocacy organizations, safety organizations, legal, standards, testing, consulting, academic/research).

If you feel you have the skills and commitment to make a strong contribution to the future success of ICPHSO, we would like to hear from you. Complete the [application form](#), and send with a current résumé to:

**Nancy Cowles, Past President and Chair of Nominating Committee at: [ncowles@icphso.org](mailto:ncowles@icphso.org).  
All completed applications must be received by Friday, September 15, 2017**

For any questions or more information, please call Nancy Cowles at 312.595.0649 or Marc Schoem, Executive Director at 301-774-3020