

Moraine Township Community Mental Health Board — Board Member Opening

*Moraine Township is seeking a resident to fill a **vacant position on the Moraine Township Community Mental Health Board (CMHB)**. The appointment will be for a **two-year term**.*

The CMHB works to support and strengthen mental health services and prevention, substance use disorder services and prevention, and services for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD) in Moraine Township.

*We are especially interested in applicants who bring **lived or professional experience with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD)**. This may include individuals with personal or family lived experience, self-advocacy experience, or professional experience working with people with IDD and their families. We also welcome applicants who bring other experiences, perspectives, and expertise that can help the Board understand and respond to the needs of Moraine Township residents.*

We hope to appoint a board that reflects the geographic, cultural, and lived-experience diversity of our community and brings a range of perspectives and expertise to the Board's work.

Service on the CMHB is unpaid, requires Township residency, and requires members to file an annual Statement of Economic Interest (SEI) with the Lake County Clerk.

If you are interested in serving, please upload the following materials to the secure link provided below by October 26, 2026. Applicants will be contacted by mid-November regarding next steps, which may include an interview, with the goal of making final appointment by the end of 2026.

- **Letter of interest**
- **Resume and/or bio**
- **Short statement describing the qualities, experiences, and/or skills you would bring to the CMHB, as well as your goals or vision for the Board**
- **Information about any potential conflicts of interest** (including those involving you or your spouse), or any personal or professional affiliation or involvement with an organization that might benefit from your membership on the Board.

Please note: Disclosure of a potential conflict of interest will not necessarily preclude selection. All Board members will be required to sign an annual conflict of interest statement and recuse themselves from Board activities when necessary.

[PLEASE UPLOAD DOCUMENTS HERE.](#)

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