

Region 1 Candidate

Joseph Gallant

Education:

2009: Bachelor of Science in Nursing, University of Prince Edward Island

Additional Education:

2016: LEADS in a Caring Environment Workshops, Horizon Health Network

2015: CNA Certification in Community Health Nursing

2013: CNA Code of Ethics for RNs Modules

2013: Nursing Clinical Leadership Program, Horizon Health Network

2012: Immunization Competencies Education Program, Advancing Practice

Present Position:

Clinical Leader & Community Developer, Albert County Health and Wellness Centre, Horizon Health Network

Professional Activities:

Aug 2017 – Present: Canadian Vascular Access Association, Member

2016 – Present: Horizon Health Network Nursing Standards and Policy Committee, Member

2015 – Present: Community Health Nurses of Canada, Member

2015 – Present: Albert County Area Community Health Needs Assessment Community Advisory Committee, Member

2014 – Present: Horizon Health Network Regional Clinical Documentation Committee, Member

2014 – Present: Horizon Health Network Primary Health Care Clinical Documentation Committee, Chair

2014 – Present: Connecting Albert County Board of Directors, Chair

2014 – Present: Tele-Drive Albert County Board of Directors, Director

2014 – 2017: Anglophone East School District Community Health Advisory Committee, Member

2013 – Present: Horizon Health Network Primary Health Care Nursing Standards and Policy Committee, Chair

2013 – Present: Westmorland-Albert Action Board of Directors, currently Vice-President

2013 – Present: Nurses Association of New Brunswick Workplace Representative

2012 – Present: Horizon Health Network Regional Immunization Quality Improvement Committee, Member

2012 – Present: Horizon Health Network Community Developers Network, Member

2012 – 2015: Albert County Health and Wellness Centre Community Advisory Committee (disbanded), Member

2011: Preceptor for an RN student and an Internationally Educated Nurse, The Moncton Hospital

2009 – Present : New Brunswick Nurses Union, Member

Nominated by:

Susan Bennett and Gloria Smith

Reason for Accepting Nomination:

It is an honour to be nominated to serve as the Director for Region 1 on the NANB Board of Directors. I am passionate about nursing practice and advancing the roles of RNs and NPs. Over the past eight years, I have worked in both Acute and Community Care and have seen the variety of issues that can face nurses in both settings: for example, insufficient human resources, model of care restructuring, and complex care. I believe that my experience working with policy and supporting nursing practice in Horizon, as well as my experience working on multiple boards, has equipped me to represent our region and continue the work of advancing the nursing profession and protecting the public.