

City of London - Application for Appointment to a City of London Board or Commission

Application

Please choose the Board or Commission you are interested in serving on: **London Police Services Board**

Contact Information

Name: **Dr. Gani Braimoh**

City: **London**

Province: **ON**

Postal Code: **N6H0B9**

Experience and Qualifications

1. Serving on the Police Services Board requires monthly, full-day meeting attendance; each meeting requires 4-6 hours of reading in advance. Can you describe your ability to participate and contribute this minimum amount of time monthly?:

I believe that i am duly able to flex my work schedule to fully participate and contribute to serving on this Police Services Board

2. What skills, education, community involvement and/or experience (including lived experience) do you have that will assist you in a role on this specific board?:

I am a registered Clinical Psychologist in the Province of Ontario who provides clinical health services to many individuals from diverse ethnic, racial, and other groups with mental health issues.

I have been a resident of London since 1986 and my work in primary care medical centre and at the regional children's mental health facility and have provided a number of school presentations that together provide me with a wealth of experiences with individuals from all walks of life that will assist me well in serving on this Board.

3. If you have experience on a Board, Commission or Committee (in London or elsewhere), please provide the details. If you have not previously served on a Board, Commission or Committee, please describe why this appointment is of interest to you.:

I am currently a co-chair on the Middlesex-London Health Unit, Anti-Black Racism Advisory Committee whose function is to act as an advisory body to the MLHU's Health Equity and Reconciliation Team that aims to actively engage with the black community in order to reduce health inequities, increase opportunities for dialogue, and to enhance the ability to achieve meaningful engagement with the black community.

I served as a consultant with the Nigerian Association of London and Area on a recent project on mental health and addiction awareness funded by the City of London.

4. We value the contributions of Londoners with diverse experiences and welcome applications from individuals who share our commitment to reconciliation, equity and inclusion. Please describe how your work, community or lived experience will enhance these efforts through Board and Committee work. (max. 3000 characters):

I believe that my lived experience, educational background along with many years of work experience with a diverse population will be a valuable asset to this Board, particularly being an immigrant person of colour will bring about to understanding the needs of minorities and the issues faced by those with mental health difficulties, and that I think this will enhance and contribute to the City's commitment on reconciliation, equity, and inclusion for all people of London.

Attach resume or other document here (optional).:

Attach more files here, if needed:

Confirmations

I declare the following: **I am at least 18 years old.; I am not a City employee or Council member.; I understand that my application and any attachments will be included on a public agenda that is published on the City website.**

To help inform our outreach activities, please tell us how you heard about this opportunity:
(optional): **City Website**

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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Dr. Gani Braimoh, C. Psych.

CPRI, London, Ontario

Victoria Family Medical Centre, London, Ont.

Educational Background

- 2021** Certificate in Mental Health Law
Osgoode Hall Law School of York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- 2006** Doctor of Psychology (Psy.D.), Clinical Psychology
Adler School of Professional Psychology (APA accredited) Chicago, Illinois
- 1997** Master of Arts (M.A.) Counselling Psychology
Adler School of Professional Psychology Chicago, Illinois
- 1989** Post-Graduate Diploma Art Therapy
University of Western Ontario, Faculty of Part-time & Continuing Ed.,
London, Ontario
- 1984** Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Specialization in Psychology
Laurentian University, Sudbury, Ontario

Doctoral Dissertation

- 2006** Gender & Level of Compensation among Work Injury Chronic Pain Sufferers & MVA Sufferers: Perception of Pain Level, Disability, & Depression

Employment Background

- 2006-Present** Clinical Psychologist, Mood and Anxiety Disorders, Clinic Lead
Ministry of Children, Community & Social Services, CPRI, London, Ontario
- 2013-Present** Clinical Health Psychologist,
Victoria Family Medical Centre, Family Health Team, London, Ontario
- 2016-Present** Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Family Medicine, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University, London, Ontario
- 2008-Present** Lecturer, Div. of Child Psychiatry, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry,
Western University, Ontario, London, Ontario
- 2006-2013** Clinical Psychologist, Private Practice
MacDonald and Bryant Psychological Rehabilitation Services, London, Ontario

2007 - 2009 Clinical Psychologist,
Thames Valley District School Board (TVDSB), London, Ontario

Supervisory Role

2009-Present Supervisor, Psychology Residents, London Consortium Residency Program

2009-2020 Clinical Supervisor, Psychologists for Autonomous Practice Registration

2010-Present Medical Students Admission community interviewer, Schulich School of
Medicine & Dentistry, Western University, London, Ontario

2012-2014 Special Graduate Faculty, Department of Psychology, University of Guelph,
Guelph, Ontario

2015-2021 Clinical Supervisor, Psychiatry Resident, Div. of Child Psychiatry, Schulich
School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University, London, Ontario

2015-Present Medical Admission, community interviewer, Schulich School of Medicine &
Dentistry, Western University, London, Ontario

2017-Present Appointed as a Peer Reviewer for the College of Psychologists of Ontario

2022-Present Family Medicine (CaRMS), community interviewer, Schulich School of Medicine
& Dentistry, Western University, London, Ontario

Professional Recognition

2017 Admitted as an expert witness in the field of Clinical Psychology in a civil
procedure by the London Ont. Court

2015 Provided opinion evidence in the field of Clinical Psychology in a civil procedure
by the London Ont. Court

2009 Certificate of recognition by the College of Psychologists of Ontario for the
support of candidates for Supervised Practice

Papers & Research:

2008 **Poster Presentation:** At the Joint Conference for the CMHO & OACAS
Title: Evidenced-Based Treatment for Bipolar Disorder: Evaluation of Cognitive
Behavioural Therapy in a Real-World Setting

- 2006** **Poster Presentation:** Children’s Mental Health Ontario Conference
Title: The Pediatric Bipolar Clinic: Evidenced-Based Treatment & Evaluation
- 2004** **Research Grant:** Differential Diagnosis and Outcome for Children referred to a Mood Disorder Clinic
- 1997** Braimoh, G., Rowntree, C. & Stacey-Corrin, R. (1997). The Relationships between Self-drawing & Self-report Measures in the Evaluation of Emotional Well-Being of Adolescents. Canadian Art Therapy Assoc. Journal. II, 1, 17-28
- 1986** Ahmed, A. Garg, R. & Braimoh, G. (1986). Psychometric Properties of Synder’s Self-monitoring of Expressive Behaviour Scale. Perceptual Motor Skills. 495-50

Professional Memberships

College of Psychologists of Ontario

American Psychological Association

Ontario Psychological Association

Personal

- 2013-2019** Secretary, Board of Directors, Crest Support Services, Elginfield, Lucan, Ontario
- 2021-Present** Co-chair, Middlesex-London Health Unit, Anti-Black Racism Advisory Committee
- 2022** Act as a consultant with the Nigerian Association of London Area (NALA) on a project on Mental Health and Addiction Awareness funded by the City of London