## Association of Physicians of Pakistani descent of North America(APPNA) Alberta Chapter Election Notification-2023

To ensure a transparent and fair election, APPNA Alberta Nomination and Election Committee consisting of three members: Dr Adnan Mansoor (Chair); Dr Tariq Awan, (co-Chair), Dr Hatim Karachiwala (Secretary) The NEC will be responsible for organizing and overseeing the election independently, maintaining an arm's length distance from the current BODs. Any APPNA Alberta member in good standing will have the eligibility to participate as a voter who have acquired their annual membership before July07,2023 or APPNA Alberta lifetime member. To contest the election any member in good standing with two year consecutive annual membership or APPNA Alberta lifetime member can be a candidate in this election. The list of executive positions, eligibility requirements and deadlines for nomination/ withdrawal of nomination are as follows.

Position	Nomination required	Fee*	Submission by	Withdrawal by
President	3 members	\$1000	Oct 20 2023	Oct 27 2023
President- Elect	3 members	\$1000	Oct 20 2023	Oct 27 2023
Secretary	2 members	\$ 500	Oct 20 2023	Oct 27 2023
Treasurer	2 members	\$500	Oct 20 2023	Oct 27 2023
Directors X 2	1 member	None	Oct 20 2023	Oct 27 2023

\*non-refundable

Interested APPNA Alberta members who meet the eligibility criteria and wish to contest for any of the positions should submit their expression of intent. Please clearly specify the desired position, provide the names of APPNA member(s) endorsing your nomination, include proof of application, fee payment, and submit a signed Affidavit for the code of conduct. All submissions should be sent via email to the NEC committee at *appna.alberta.election@gmail.com* by the submission deadline of Oct 20, 2023. Late applications for any position will not be accepted. If you have any concerns or objections regarding the election process or candidates' eligibility, please address them with the election committee through the same email address.

The list of approved candidates will be announced on Nov 2, 2023. In the event that there are multiple candidates for the same position, a mail-in ballot election will be conducted. Detailed information regarding such elections will be provided by the NEC on Nov 09, 2023.

We aim to complete the elections prior to the next APPNA AGM meeting scheduled for Nov 30, 2023. Insha Allah.

Sincerely,

Dr Adnan Mansoor Dr Tariq Awan Dr Hatim Karachiwala