



# City of Olympia Boards and Commissions Committee Application

## **DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION SUBMISSION** **Friday, December 15th at 5:00 PM PST**

Advisory committees are a structured way for individual community members to share their opinions and perspectives, study issues, and develop recommendations in a focused small group. Their primary purpose is to provide judicious advice, from a community member's perspective, to the Olympia City Council. Committee activities may include study of critical issues, hearing public testimony, independent research, and reviewing staff reports and recommendations - all of which is intended so that the committee is prepared to discuss, formulate, and forward well-developed, thoughtful recommendations to the City Council in a timely manner. The City of Olympia values participation from all perspectives and life experiences and looks for equity and inclusion in advisory board appointments.

To reduce barriers to community member participation the City offers stipends of \$25 per meeting attended to Advisory Committee members. Those members who certify as low income are eligible to receive stipends of \$50 per meeting attended. Advisory Committee members may waive the stipend upon request.

The Olympia City Council's Community Livability and Public Safety Committee recommends appointments to the full Council. Recommendations are made following review of applications and interviews of qualified candidates.

**All of this careful consideration takes time, please be aware that you will not be notified until February of 2024 of any next steps in the process.**

The City of Olympia is committed to the non-discriminatory treatment of all persons in employment and the delivery of services and resources. Questions? Contact Dawn Carvalho, Executive Services Assistant, 360.753.8065, [dcarvalh@ci.olympia.wa.us](mailto:dcarvalh@ci.olympia.wa.us)

If you saved or submitted an application and did not receive a confirmation, please check your spam folder. When filed with the City, your application and attachment documents are public records and may be subject to public release.

**Name** Amna Qazi

**Email** [REDACTED]

**Primary Phone Number** [REDACTED]

**Address** [REDACTED]

**Some appointments require that applicants reside within Olympia city limits. Even though your mailing address may be Olympia, you may reside in the County or another jurisdiction. Are you a resident of the City of Olympia?**

Yes

**Select your residential area (Olympia residency is not required; however, it is a primary consideration. )**

Westside

**Which Boards and Commissions would you like to apply for?**

Social Justice and Equity Commission

## Interests & Experiences

Please keep answers concise and informative. You are introducing yourself to the Olympia City Council and sharing with them why you are interested in being considered for appointment. You may attach a resume.

### Attach a Resume



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Amna Qazi CV 2017 (1) jss.doc

### Briefly describe why you wish to serve on this/these Advisory Committee(s).

I believe in equality and equity for everyone by identifying and addressing disparities, being a part of this Commission makes you part of a community who work together to build a platform that can eliminate racism, raise voice for human rights, and recognizing the importance of equality for all.

### Describe your experience, qualifications, and/or skills which would benefit the advisory committee(s) you are applying to.

I believe in diversity and have been working for last 7 years in many different roles, from working for homeless shelter, trans women and standing up with DACA recipients. I also served as the Commissioner for Los Angeles human relations department for four years as first Muslim Pakistani woman and worked to build bridges between the communities. I have been part of many campaigns where we have conducted sessions for men and women to understand their rights and political system.

### Share the ways you've been involved or have volunteered in the community.

Community service and volunteerism is helpful to building a more inclusive society, shaping the place we want to live in, touching and changing the lives of the people around us, and helps to create a healthier emotional well-being. Therefore, it is important to volunteer in our community. Recently through my work in city of Olympia Muslim Heritage Month was recognized and also now its official also participated in AAPI work activities and had the chance with Congresswomen Judy Chu in LA on the issues that AAPI community face. I believe in giving back to the community. I have been party of Rotary club for last 8 years through rotary we have been changing lives through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty. I also volunteer at the food bank regularly and was also running a thrift shop at the Mosque for the people who cannot afford clothes and other household stuff. I have been volunteering since the age of 15 with my mother for special needs children and later for SOS children village. Being a physician by profession I have been party of many blood camps, ACLS programs and medicine camps. I am on board of many organization in United States which serves on a National level. I have been actively involved with Women Shelter specially those who have been affected by sexual violence. Recently we have been helping a school in Olympia to build a round about through our Rotary club and also helping the immigrant families. Volunteering is important for communities because it supports organizations to provide vital services to groups and individuals within the community.

### List your educational and/or professional background and area of study.

Physician by profession

**Appointment to an advisory committee will require your attendance at evening meetings, and undertake other work (reading, meeting preparation etc.). How many hours per month are you willing to commit as a volunteer?**

I am willing to do whatever is required .

## **If you are not appointed to a Board or Commission at this time:**

**Do you wish to be considered for appointment to another Board or Commission?**

Yes

**Do you wish to be considered for future appointment to your preferred Board or Commission?**

Yes

**Thank you for your interest in serving on a City of Olympia Advisory Committee!**

**Please hit the "submit" button below when you have completed your application .**

*Curriculum Vitae of*

AMNA FAIZ QAZI, M.B.B.S.

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**Thoughtful and passionate leader with aptitude to promote health and increase wellbeing through public health practices, civic engagement and social diplomacy.** Gained experience with nearly seven years as an M.D. practitioner and health care provider working with diverse populations both in Pakistan as well as United Kingdom. Appointed by the City of Los Angeles Mayor as a Human Relations Commissioner, and served for three years to promote interfaith relations. Convened and led diplomacy initiatives with the Los Angeles Consular corps, the second largest consular corps in the U.S. and hosted international delegations with International Visitors of Los Angeles on behalf of the city.

**EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

**MBBS**, Baharia University, Pakistan

**Master Certificate in Health Care Leadership**, Cornell University, New York

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Los Angeles Human Relations Commission, Commissioner 2017 - 2020
- Rotary Club, lifetime member
- World Affairs Council, member 2017 - present
- International Visitor Council of Los Angeles, member 2017 - ??
- Pakistan Medical & Dental Council, member 200???

**PROFESSIONAL CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

**Dyker Heights Clinic, Brooklyn, NY**  
Surgery Externship

May 2009 - June 2010

**Shifa International Hospitals, Islamabad**

December 2004 - January 2008

Served at Shifa International Hospital in various rotations and leadership capacities including:

- Department of Medicine, Chief Resident
- Medical Officer
- Department of General Medicine, Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
- Emergency Room
- Coronary Care Unit (CCU)

**Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences, Islamabad** September 2003 - June 04

Served as a House Physician and rotated in multiple departments including the Department of General Medicine, Cardiology, Gastroenterology, as well as Ear, Nose and Throat. Performed

case presentations, diagnosis, treatments, weekly teaching sessions, and provided academic presentations. Conducted various procedures including Ascetic Tap, Liver Biopsy, and Endoscopies and managed acute emergencies. Worked under supervision in the General Surgery Department and conducted pre and post operations management of patients and assisted with surgical procedures.

### VOLUNTEER CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

New York Organ Donor Network, New York, NY  
St. Thomas & Guys Hospital, London

September 2009 - May 2010  
January 2006 - April 2006

### PRESENTATIONS & ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

- Association of anorexia nervosa with depression, Fawad Kaiser, Amna Syed, **Amna Qazi**, Rawal Med J Jun 2007;32:76-78
- Type – II A Hyperlipdemia, Naveed Akhter, Ayesha Khalid, **Amna Qazi**, Submitted to Pakistan Journal Of Cardiology
- Ovarian Hyperstimulation Syndrome, **Amna Qazi**, Aamir Nazir, Mah Parveen Qazi. Arsalan Ahmad, ready for submission
- Poster presentation “Ovarian Hyperstimulation Syndrome,” **Amna Qazi**, Aamir Nazir, Mah Parveen Qazi. Arsalan Ahmad presented in ICNR 2007 Delhi 9-10 March, 2007
- Othello Syndrome in acute coronary syndrome, Fawad Kaiser, **Amna Qazi**, Rawal Med J Jun 2006;31:48-49
- Participated and conducted a data in **QUALITY CONTROL SURVEY** of patient in Shifa International Hospital
- Presented a Case Report on “**PHAEOCHROMOCYTOMA**” in Nephrology Conference in Shifa International Hospital, Islamabad

### CONFERENCES & SELECT GUEST SPEAKING

- Certificate of platform presentation “Ovarian Hyperstimulation Syndrome ” Presented at Pakistan Society of Neurology 14th Annual Conference at Lahore 24-25 March 2007.
- Certificate of attendance in the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Cardiology at convention center Islamabad. 1-3 December 2006.
- Oral presentation in clinico-pathological conference on carotid artery stenting, “patient with recurrent strokes” and review of literature on carotid artery stenting, held in Shifa International hospital.
- Certificate of attendance in the 12th Pakistan Society of Neurology Annual Meeting held in Shifa International Hospital Islamabad. 22-23 April 2006.
- Certificate of attendance in 7<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference UROCON – 2006, 5-7 May 2006 held in Islamabad.
- Attended Annual Cardiology Conference: Bhurban-Pakistan
- Attended “Training the Trainers Courses in Trauma Psychiatry” in Islamabad Pakistan University of Missouri, Center for Psychological Trauma & US Department of State.
- Attended 1<sup>st</sup> NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INFECTIOUS DISEASE at Shifa International Hospital.

- Attended workshop on “PCR” in Shifa International Hospital.
- Attended the workshop of PAKISTAN CARDIAC SOCIETY on UNSTABLE ANGINA / NON ST ELEVATION MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION.
- Attended International Workshop for PHYSICAL THERAPIST ON ORTHOPEDIC AND TRAUMA REHABILITATION

## LANGUAGES AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

Native Proficiency: Urdu

Proficiency: English

Technical skills with MS Widows, MS XP, Word, Power Point, Outlook, MS front page, and MS Access

*References will be provided upon request.*