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Call for Volunteer Firefighters!

The Ministry of the Solicitor General established a Mental Health Collaborative Table (MHCT) for Ontario's Fire Service in 2021. There are additional MHCTs for police, corrections, and EMS. The MHCT mandates are to:

- Advise on strategies, initiatives, and innovations to improve mental health supports in Ontario;
- Provide advice and support on the development and implementation of Ontario's Mental Health Action Plan for public safety personnel and first responder organizations; and,
- Serve a coordinating function to provide unity and timeliness of action in pursuit of the tables' common goals.

The Fire MHCT is chaired by Jon Pegg, Ontario Fire Marshal and includes members from across Ontario's fire service. As the important work of the table has continued to grow and evolve, we have decided to expand the membership of the Fire MHCT to ensure it has a topical, diverse, and inclusive voice.

We are looking for increased engagement from volunteer firefighters from across the province. Currently there are 3 openings available specifically for volunteer firefighters.

All meetings are conducted virtually (2-3 hours) and the MHCT meets approximately 4 times a year. Meetings take place Monday through Friday between 9AM and 5PM. Additional work and collaboration may be required outside of meeting times to complete assigned tasks.



If you are interested in joining the Fire - Mental Health Collaborative Table, please apply by using the QR code or link below. All applications must be in by September 6, 2024.

Apply for MHCT

A virtual meeting will be arranged with those under consideration and all applications will be held for any future vacancies.