

March 17, 2026

▶ Be an Early Bird for a chance to win a \$100 Gift Card! Complete your Annual RC Survey today.

▶ It's time to renew your OARC Membership for 2026-2027. Renewal notices are in the mail.

Time is running out to enter our Early Bird Contest.

Help to shape quality improvements for OARC! Complete OARC's Annual Residents' Council survey by **March 18th** for a chance to win a \$100 gift card of your Council's choice.

Note: Surveys must be received by 5:00PM on date of contest deadline.

There are two ways to fill your survey:

- 1 **By mail, fax or email.** Physical copies have been sent and should be in home mailboxes by this week.
- 2 **Online.** You can access an online version of the survey here: <https://shorturl.at/qADpl>

**A French translation of the survey is available here: <https://shorturl.at/SHGwa>

Why share your feedback?

Hearing directly from Residents' Councils helps us to understand what's working well, identify needs and priorities, and improve the support and services that OARC provides. We invite Residents' Council Leaders to work together with their Residents' Council Assistant to **fill out one short survey** to share your home's valuable feedback with us. Following the contest, completed surveys will be accepted until April 15th.



Questions? Contact Chloe Yeung, Evaluation and Quality Manager, at cyeung@ontarc.com or 1-800-532-0201 x 290.

OARC Membership Matters – 2026-2027 OARC Membership Drive

OARC membership brings Residents' Councils together as part of a supportive, province-wide network dedicated to amplifying resident voices and lived experience. Through collaboration, shared learning, and resident feedback, OARC works alongside government and sector partners to ensure residents remain at the centre of planning, decision-making, and quality improvement in every home.

As we move into the 2026–2027 membership year on April 1st, we kindly ask individual members to keep an eye on their mailboxes for their renewal notices.

- ▶ Your annual support through membership extends our reach and enhances our ability to support Resident's Councils across Ontario.
- ▶ Together, we are building a sector where resident influence continues to grow—well beyond the four walls of each long-term care home.

*Corporate member homes will receive notification of membership in the coming months.



Not currently a member but want to learn more? Visit www.ontarc.com/membership or contact Jennifer Langston jangston@ontarc.com

We are very pleased to work alongside and acknowledge the ongoing support of our Corporate Members*, whose partnership strengthens our collective impact:

- AgeCare
- City of Toronto
- Extendicare
- Jarlette Health Services
- Kindera Living
- peopleCare Communities
- Regional Municipality of Peel
- S&R Nursing Homes Ltd.
- Schlegel Villages
- Sienna Senior Living
- Southbridge Care Homes
- Halton Region
- Niagara Region