

Villa Colombo Toronto is pleased to announce that Lisa Alcia has been hired as the new Executive Director. Commencing her role on February 5, 2024, Lisa brings an extensive background in senior care, boasting over two decades of leadership experience characterized by strategic vision, innovation, and a profound dedication to person-centered practices.

Lisa holds a Master of Health Science in Health Administration, a Bachelor of Science, and is a Certified Management Accountant (CPA, CMA).

Lisa has dedicated the past two years to senior care, where she led and implemented innovative strategies in long-term, assisted, and community care, with a particular emphasis on person-centered and other leading practices. Prior to this, she successfully guided a family health team through the challenges of the pandemic, demonstrating a special commitment to senior and long-term care.

During her distinguished 18-year tenure at a large, academic downtown hospital, Lisa played a pivotal role in bringing stakeholders together to develop frameworks for risk management, integrity, and quality. She designed and executed an innovation strategy that enhanced process efficiencies and generated external revenues across service teams. Lisa's visionary leadership extended to the conceptualization and sponsorship of enterprise-wide software solutions, disseminated as leading practice concepts to partner organizations.

Lisa is committed to servant leadership, mentoring, and coaching in all aspects of her life. She has conducted operational reviews across Canada and Overseas as advisor and mentor. Lisa's strategic oversight has consistently resulted in the development of high-performance teams and the successful management of key areas such as finance, human resources, information technology, clinical quality integration, and facilities.

In addition to her professional achievements, Lisa is a dedicated wife and mother to two grown daughters and a Maltese. She believes in the importance of good nutrition, enjoys hiking through trails, and has a charming weakness for dark chocolate— a recommended daily requirement, along with vitamin D!

Lisa is very excited and honoured to join the Villa Colombo Toronto team! Her passion, experience, and commitment perfectly align with our mission, and we anticipate the positive impact she will bring to our organization.

Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Lisa as she starts her new role as Executive Director.

Ben Vozzolo, Chair Villa Colombo Toronto Board of Governors

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