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## **Ms Whitney Ayoub Goulstone**

Whitney Ayoub Goulstone is currently the Executive Director for the Canadian Immunodeficiencies Patient Organisation. A rare disease patient herself, she has been working in advocacy and health for over a decade. Whitney is active on various boards and committees, with present work including: the Working Advisory Group on Immune Globulin Supply, the Network for Rare Blood Diseases Organisation, the Canadian Association for Population Therapeutics, the Centre for ADHD Awareness Canada, the Canadian Standards Agency Technical Committee for Blood and Blood Products, and the Canadian Blood Services' National Liaison Committee.

For her advocacy work in epilepsy, Whitney received a HOPE award from Epilepsy Toronto and Toronto Western Hospital in 2014. She also received an award from the Canadian Organization for Rare Diseases as Chair of the NRBDO in 2017, for outstanding patient support and advocacy. A graduate from McGill University, Whitney currently lives in Victoria, BC with her family and rescue dog, where she can pursue her love of the outdoors and creative writing.