



Alison Brisson, CHFM, SASHE 2024 Candidate for Advisory Board President-Elect Bio

After 17 years in Hospitality Management, Alison transitioned into the Healthcare industry in 2007, first as a specialty practice manager. Within a couple of years, she found her passion for facility operations and has held positions as Plant Operations Manager at Wentworth-Douglass Hospital, Senior Facility Manager for Dartmouth-Hitchcock, System Director of Facility Operations for Concord Hospital, and now she is the Vice President of Facilities and Support Services for Cambridge Health Alliance in Massachusetts. Her experience in hospitality has helped to guide her strong customer service and leadership skills, while professional association experience has significantly contributed to her working facility knowledge today.

In Alison's current role as a Vice President at Cambridge Health Alliance, she supports the Directors and teams that facilitate physical plant operations, maintenance, construction/renovation projects, real estate, parking/transportation, environmental services, public safety, food and nutrition for three hospitals and associated regional ambulatory buildings. Alison works collaboratively with leadership on strategic planning for the built environment, including budgeting, site selection, leasing, programming and operations. Her goal is to build and maintain infrastructure that supports efficient and effective operations while building strong relationships between the clinicians, staff, patients, hospital leadership, vendors and community leaders. In addition, Cambridge Health Alliance is a vibrant academic organization with residency and training programs in collaboration with Harvard Medical School and Tufts University School of Medicine. Alison recently mentored two Harvard environmental sustainability interns and she looks forward to additional mentorship opportunities.

Immediately upon entering the healthcare engineering profession, Alison was introduced to the New Hampshire Society for Healthcare Facility Managers, the New England Healthcare Engineers' Society and ASHE. She volunteered right away and has been an active member, holding a board position for over 15 years. Alison's commitment to NHSHFM, NEHES, ASHE and her profession remain strong. Alison was President of NEHES twice and is currently serving her second term as the ASHE Region 1 Advisory Board Member.

Recognition:

NEHES Chapter Leadership Award 2013

CHFM 2015-Present

ASHE Regional Leader Award 2017

SASHE 2017

NEHES Engineer of the Year 2019

Volunteer Experience:

NHSHFM/NEHES Spring Conference Chair 2013

NEHES Treasurer 2014-2015

NEHES President Elect 2016

NEHES President 2017 & 2019

NEHES Immediate Past President 2020

NEHES ASHE Rep and Chapter Relations Rep 2021 & 2022

ASHE Chapter Leadership Forum Task Force 2017

ASHE Chapter Relations Committee 2019 & 2020

ASHE Region 1 Advisory Board Member 2021- Present

Town of Strafford NH ZBA Co-Chair 2022-2024