



GRACE HOSPITAL
FOUNDATION

Arlene Wilgosh

Arlene was the first woman to be appointed as Deputy Minister of Health for Manitoba, a position she held for five years, and the first female CEO and President of the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority. A graduate of the University of Manitoba Faculty of Nursing, Arlene has worked in the public and private sectors, acute care and long-term care.

She is the recipient of the Award for Distinguished Service from the Canadian Healthcare Association.

Since her retirement, Arlene proudly wears the blue jacket of the Grace Hospital Volunteers, volunteering in the Oncology Department on a weekly basis. Arlene is also the Chair of the Board of Directors of HealthPRO Inc., Vice Chair of the Board of Directors of the Catholic Health Corporation of Manitoba and chairs the Community Council for Community Ventures, and also sits on the Southern Chiefs' Organization Health Transformation Advisory Circle.