

Bob Bell, Ex-Officio

A former patient, Bob is one of the few that can still share his first-hand experience with Dr. Shaver, part of Hotel Dieu Shaver's namesake. Back in 1966, he spent three weeks under the care of Dr. Cecil Shaver. So impressed with how Shaver cared for him, he was determined to give back to the centre, which was then called the Niagara Peninsula Sanatorium. As executive director of the Hotel Dieu Shaver Hospital Foundation from 1994-2010, Bob is an inseparable part of the centre's history. He has been here through all the changes, from a tuberculosis hospital to a rehabilitation centre to the merge of Ontario Street's Hotel Dieu and Shaver Hospital in 2005.

Though retired for many years, Bob continues to volunteer with Hotel Dieu Shaver's Auxiliary, and is still an active member of Hotel Dieu Shaver Foundation's Board of Directors.