

2021-2022 CALL FOR PARTICIPATION



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Cabinets, Committees, Councils, Professional Networks & Advisory Groups

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CABINETS

Our Cabinets are organized around member segments and serve four key functions 1) Shape and inform our annual legislative agenda 2) Advise on regulatory issues 3) Showcase emerging models and best practices and 4) Identify education and resource development opportunities.

Adult Day Cabinet (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- How can we raise the profile of Adult Day Programs within the larger long-term care community and with the general public?
- What tools and resources e.g. advocacy, regulatory changes, professional development, are needed to enable Adult Day Providers to better serve their participants and caregivers?
- How can we increase referrals to Adult Day Programs?

Assisted Living Cabinet (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- How should LeadingAge respond to and shape public policy on issues related to assisted living providers?
- How can LeadingAge increase the supply of assisted living services for seniors in Washington?
- How do we advance the need for adequate funding for assisted living to remain an option for all consumers?
- What partnerships should be pursued to advance this work?

Life Plan Community (CCRC) Cabinet (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- How do we grow awareness of the value of Life Plan Communities as a senior living and care option with the public and policymakers?
- What public policy or communication and relationship strategies will best achieve transparency and trust?

Housing Cabinet (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- How can LeadingAge increase the supply of affordable housing for seniors in Washington?
- How can we advance a more integrated approach to senior housing and services?
- What partnerships should be pursued to advance this work?
- The Housing Cabinet partners with other affordable housing organizations to collaborate.

Nursing Home Cabinet (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- How do we prepare for the new Medicare and Medicaid payment systems?(Bundle model, managed care – Medicaid and fee for service/quality).
- What implementation issues must be addressed to improve operational efficiencies and opportunities for success in the new and changing health care market?
- What tools can we develop or promote to support members?
- How can we prepare members for upcoming federal initiatives like the new conditions of participation, value based purchasing, and other emerging trends?

COMMITTEES

Finance and Audit Committee (12 meetings/year)

The Board of Directors shall authorize a Finance and Audit Committee and charge it with oversight of the Association's financial matters.

COUNCILS

Our Councils are organized around emerging issues facing our members that cut across lines of business. Councils include experts and stakeholders from outside the membership to inform and advance the Council's work.

Workforce Solutions Council (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- What new public policies, partnerships, programs or resources can help position members for workforce strength?
- How can we utilize existing workforce data or fill research gaps to best understand and advance regional solutions?
- Which outreach approaches are essential in building an effective aging service workforce public awareness campaign?

PROFESSIONAL NETWORKS

Professional Networks are organized by disciplines for mutual support, information sharing, and professional growth. Networks meet based on an agreed schedule, (Monthly, Bi-Monthly, Quarterly), throughout the year, their meeting purpose is self-determined and led by chairs.

Members are automatically added to our networks based on like disciplines and invited to participate. Speakers, topics, meeting locations are determined by chairs and offer CE's when applicable.

Board authorized networks include disciplines that express an interest in forming.

Currently, active networks include:

- Activity & Wellness • Directors of Nursing • Fund Development
- Human Resources • Marketing & Sales • Social Workers • Staff Development

ADVISORY GROUPS

Advisory groups provide guidance to the Association and members in areas of interest that regularly affect the operations of both the Association and its members.

Clinical and Regulatory Practices (minimum 4 meetings/year)

- What emerging evidence based practice or care protocols will reduce risks and improve outcomes for older adults across the spectrum of services?
- What decisions need to be made to balance practice and regulation while elevating the quality of services provided to older adults?
- What tools or resources are available to understand clinical phenomenon with an emphasis on understanding the experience and values of the older adult ?
- What are the trends in certification surveys and what do members need to know to be prepared?
- What federal and state regulatory challenges can LeadingAge Washington address through advocacy with regulatory agencies?
- How can LeadingAge Washington members work with DSHS to provide quality care to seniors in our state?

Education Planning (6 meetings/year)

- What staff training or educational programs are priorities for the coming year for all member segments?
- How can our signature events e.g. Leadership Institute, Annual Meeting be improved educational programs, exhibits, social events, logistics, etc.?
- Which Call for Presentation (CFP) submissions should be recommended for the 2021 Conference?

Member Recognition (2-3 meetings/year)

The Member Recognition Advisory Group is comprised of committee and cabinet chairs and is chaired by the Immediate Past-Chair of the Board.

- What qualities are found in exceptional individuals and organizations serving older adults and what is the best way to recognize them for their achievements?
- What nominations should be selected to receive awards in 2020-2021?
- How can we share the stories of our award winners with a broader audience to generate positive public awareness of our work?

Get Involved

If you wish to share your time and talent and/or continue your work with LeadingAge Washington, please check the box to the left of the committee, cabinets, councils, and advisory groups on which you would like to serve and/or continue your work.

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COMMITTEES	
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PLEASE RETURN BY: JULY 14, 2021

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