# THE GREATER GOOD

## 2023-24 Call for Engagement



### SHAPING THE FUTURE OF AGING IN WASHINGTON

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 health care system at large and ensure the public knows about this as a health care and services option?
- 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 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?
- Balancing consumer driven efforts to regulate without diminishing the organization's need to effectively manage, control costs and fulfill mission.

#### 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 & Audit Committee (12 meetings/year)

The Board of Directors shall authorize the establishment of a Finance & Audit Committee and charge it with the 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 <u>automatically</u> 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

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### **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 decisions need to be made to balance practice and regulation while elevating the quality of services provided to older adults?

• 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?

#### **Education Planning (6 meetings/year)**

• What staff training or educational programs are priorities for the coming year for all member segments?

• How can signature events, such as, Fall Leadership Summit and Annual Conference, continually improve educational content, exhibits, social events, and networking opportunities?

• Which Call for Presentation (CFP) submissions should be recommended for the 2024 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 2023-2024?

• How can we share the stories of our award winners with a broader audience to generate positive public awareness of our work?

#### **PACE West Coast Networking Meetings**

• What are some emerging PACE trends around the Nation?

• What federal and state regulatory barriers can LeadingAge Washington address through advocacy or work with regulatory agencies?

- What technology changes or advancements are needed to support PACE centers?
- Provide opportunity to network with other PACE providers in nearby states.





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

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	Nursing Home Cabinet			

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Finance & Audit Committee

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Workforce Solutions Council

### **ADVISORY GROUPS**

**Clinical and Regulatory Practices** 

**Education Planning** 

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