

# **HSMN Board Member**

# JOB DESCRIPTION

## EXPECTATIONS OF THE BOARD AS A

#### WHOLE

- Mission: To provide administrative services to the Florida Association of Healthy Start Coalitions and its member Coalitions.
- Purpose: To provide administrative functions including, but not limited to contract management, corporate support services, finance and accounting services, group purchasing, internet technology services, revenue cycle management / Medicaid billing services.

As the highest leadership body of the organization and to satisfy its fiduciary duties, the board is responsible for

- determining the mission and purposes of the organization
- selecting and evaluating the performance of the CEO/ executive director
- strategic and organizational planning
- ensuring strong fiduciary oversight and financial management
- · fundraising and resource development
- approving and monitoring ABC Organization's programs and services
- enhancing ABC Organization's public image
- assessing its own performance as the governing body of ABC Organization

## BOARD MEMBERS ARE ALSO EXPECTED TO

- follow the organization's bylaws, policies, and board resolutions
- sign an annual conflict-of-interest disclosure and update it during the year if necessary, as well as disclose
  potential conflicts before meetings and actual conflicts during meetings
- maintain confidentiality about all internal matters of ABC Organization

### EXPECTATIONS OF INDIVIDUAL BOARD MEMBERS

Each individual board member is expected to

- know the organization's mission, policies, programs, and needs
- faithfully read and understand the organization's financial statements
- serve as active advocates and ambassadors for the organization and fully engage in identifying and securing the financial resources and partnerships necessary for *ABC Organization* to advance its mission
- leverage connections, networks, and resources to develop collective action to fully achieve ABC's mission
- give a meaningful personal financial donation
- help identify personal connections that can benefit the organization's fundraising and reputational standing, and can influence public policy
- prepare for, attend, and conscientiously participate in board meetings
- participate fully in one or more committees

