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EXPECTATIONS OF SDAC LEADERSHIP TEAM MEMBERS

ESSENTIAL DUTIES

- 1. Attend and actively participate in all meetings, conference calls, activities or assignments. Listen, Learn, participate these are not just pizza parties!
- 2. Provide training to other self-advocates. (Training & practice assistance will be provided to Leadership Team members so they can provide training to others.)
- 3. Attend and present at conferences, if needed. All travel covered.
- 4. Submit articles, stories, jokes, columns, etc. for the SDAC quarterly newsletter.
- 5. Submit Monthly Reports of Hours worked for our grant match hours needed.

VALUES DESIRED

- 1. Your serious time and energy commitment to the missions and vision of SDAC.
- 2. Ability to communicate with others on Leadership Team and to speak in front of groups, especially also via email is very helpful.
- 3. Ability to listen to what others say; and to work with others as a Team.
- 4. Ability to demonstrate at all times good character and good manners as our SDAC Team representative to others.
- 5. Able to Travel with support if need be, as needed to Leadership Team meetings and other activities or projects. Able to take time off work if need be.

LENGTH OF TERMS

- 1. Team members start by serving "one term", and one term length is two years.
- 2. A team member MAY serve no more than 2 consecutive terms (a total of 4 years) if they wish, it's their choice (could serve only 1, 2-year term if they wanted to).

SUPPORT STAFF

1. Team members must find their own committed support staff, and not mandatory, but helpful, if the staff is of the same sex. SDAC does not provide reimbursement for *local* support staff cost in your hometown. IF *traveling* out of town for SDAC then we do pay all costs.

TRAVEL

- 1. Team members must arrange with their support staff their own transportation to meetings. SDAC Staff usually makes all the motel room reservations though.
- 2. SDAC grant will reimburse member and/or staff/agency for **all** travel costs at state rates for the team member and one support person.



YOU got what it takes for SDAC?

SD Advocates for Change (SDAC) Leadership Team is taking written "Applications for Consideration to Serve" from persons with disabilities who are interested in becoming a hardworking, active self-advocate on this busy TEAM!

Several positions are currently open. Team EXPECTATIONS and Guidelines are taken serious, real commitments are required, sincere consideration should be given before applying please.

Nomination Applications (2 pages only) are available by contacting Staff at 1-800-210-0143 and we'll get it to you!

Deadline to submit Applications is April 3, 2017



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