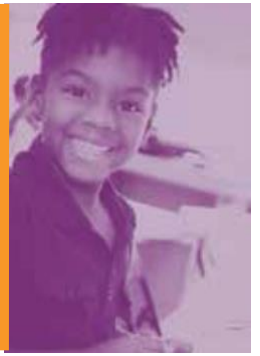




to a brighter future

Mental Health Counseling
Suicide Prevention and Intervention
Community Outreach



Provident Young Professionals Advisory Board

The purpose of the Provident Young Professionals (YP) Board is to engage and support a new generation of community leaders through service and advocacy. The Board will promote Provident's mission and events and serve as a base of support for Provident and its respective initiatives.

Terms:

- (a) Recruitment of new board members will be held as needed throughout the year. Members will be invited to attend a meeting by the Chair or Staff Liaison after a resume has been submitted and/or an interview has taken place. An orientation will take place as needed.
- (b) Board members must serve for one (1) year and for no more than three (3) consecutive years. Under special circumstance, the Board reserves the right to waive the limit of a member's service.
- (c) Board members shall be between twenty-one (21) and thirty-nine (39) years of age. Exceptions can be made to this rule.
- (d) Membership may be terminated by written resignation to the Staff Liaison or by not meeting the minimum responsibilities of membership. Those not fulfilling minimum responsibilities will be removed as members after a vote from the general membership at an official meeting. Members may also be removed by a majority vote of the Board upon consultation with the Staff Liaison stating the reasons for such action.

Responsibilities:

Members have the option to serve as Planning (active) or Supporting (inactive) members. Responsibilities apply to Planning (active) members.

- (a) Members shall serve without pay.
- (b) Members must regularly attend meetings, either in person or by phone. A minimum meeting requirement for Active Members will be once quarterly or 4 meetings/year. Exceptions can be made for excused meeting absences and extenuating circumstances.
- (c) Members must support Provident with at least one meaningful donation during the calendar year. A \$10 dues "donation" to Provident will be solicited annually in January, in addition to larger gift and in-kind requests throughout the year. A member will not be removed for failure to make donations.
- (d) Members must participate in advocacy and fundraising events on behalf of Provident.
- (e) Members must attend a new member orientation as scheduled by Provident.
- (f) Planning (active) members will be asked to join a committee at the beginning of each year. Committee options include Membership, Fundraising and Social and Marketing.

This group meets for regular meetings on a monthly basis (typically a weeknight) and social events frequently occur outside of meetings.

Please contact Maggie at mbauer@providentstl.org or 314-802-2581 if you are interested in learning more about this group or would like to attend an upcoming meeting.

Provident's Mission:

Helping individuals and families *to a brighter future* through counseling, suicide prevention and intervention, and community support programs.



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