

BOARD QUALIFICATIONS

We are presently seeking current and emerging leaders at all levels of responsibility as Board candidates who are committed to the Partnership's mission. All Board members must be able and willing to regularly attend Board and Committee meetings and complete Board work necessary to perform Board governance and support responsibilities (approximately 6–12 hours per month). We are particularly interested in individuals who possess one or more of the following qualifications and leadership traits

- ✓ Leadership experience in business, philanthropy, legal, government or nonprofit sector
- ✓ Understanding of the varied domestic violence issues across California, and willingness to act in service of these statewide interests
- ✓ Professional skills in finance, fundraising, government affairs, human resources management, marketing or public relations
- ✓ Ability to raise funds on behalf of the Partnership, and willingness to solicit personal and professional networks in support of annual revenue goals
- ✓ Representative of California's rich diversity, and ability to bring underrepresented voices into the center of our work
- ✓ Network-weaver capable of fostering a positive image of the Partnership by cultivating relationships with business leaders, policy-makers, media outlets, philanthropists and the broader community
- ✓ Willingness to embrace discomfort, hear disparate viewpoints, and take informed and inspirational risks to advance the Partnership's strategic priorities
- ✓ Active participant in Regional networks, policy committees, peer learning circles and other components of our Membership community
- ✓ Knowledge or experience related to strategic communications
- ✓ Well-informed about the Partnership's mission, strategies and priorities