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Booshoo,
Tansi,
Bonjour!

Governance Models for Boards

Overview

Governance Models for Boards explores the various models that are being used to oversee not for profit organization. Within an organization, the board is responsible for governance and management is responsible for operations. Is your organization using the best governance model available?

Today, many not for profit's fall outside the traditional organizational models of service delivery and as such require an alternative model of governance. Creativity and innovation have brought about the development and successful application of many alternative models of governance being presented with considerable success in governance circles today.

This three hour session is designed for the new and veteran board members who are seeking to better understand of the various governance models available to provide leadership to human service organizations.

You will leave this highly participatory session with an action plan to strengthen your governance model. By attending this session you will also receive details to complete a free governance model assessment for your organization.

Learning Outcomes and Objectives

After Taking This Course You Will Have The Knowledge, Skill And Ability To:

- Understand what governance is and why it is important.
- Distinguish between governance and management and the board member's responsibility to each.
- Identify the four factors which affect board effectiveness
- Analyze various governance models
- Assess to determine what kind of board you are a member of
- Assist your board in determining what kind of board your organization needs
- Implement tools and strategies to implement good governance in your organization.

Topics

Governance is....

Why is Governance Important

How is Governance Different from Management

Four Factors Affecting Board Effectiveness

Governance Models

Tools to Implement Good Governance

Strategies to Implement Good Governance

The Board Member's Toolkit

Techniques

Governance Dialogue

Tools

Assessment of Board Effectiveness

Templates

Governance Models

Who Should Take This Workshop

This three hour session is designed for anyone who volunteers on a not for profit Board of Directors such as new and veteran Board Executive, board member, committee members or works with a not for profit Board of Directors such as Executive Directors, management team members.

Learning Facilitator

Helen Wythe is a Certified Professional Facilitator (CPF) designation through the International Association of Facilitators and a Certified Technology of Participation Facilitator (CTF) through ICA Associates. She is also a Certified One Smart World trainer and facilitator. Helen is qualified both through academic recognition and 'real world' experience.

What's Included

- Guaranteed Small Interactive Sessions
- Specialized Manual with detailed agendas, checklists, techniques, templates, and practical examples valued at \$50.00.
- A Personal Action Plan
- Spring Forward - We encourage you to implement your learning by providing a 15 and 30 day check-in to confirm your progress.
- One of Coaching Support
- Suggested Reading List

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- Personalized Certificate of Completion
- We reinforce your learning by sending you Hints from Helen, a monthly refresher on various facilitation techniques.
- Snacks and Refreshments.

Length

This is a three hour session with 1 scheduled 15 minute nourishment break.

Course Registration Detail

- Your registration will be confirmed once payment is received.
- Participant course cancellation fee: \$50 per course.
- Participant rescheduling fee is \$25 [for each occurrence].
- Course fee is not refundable if Participant cancels within two weeks of the course.
- Participant substitutions may be made at anytime by calling or e-mailing our office.
- A confirmation letter will be mailed to you indicating workshop location, time, plus tips on how to get the most from your professional development workshop.

- Ask about our special rates – for multi-participation in one course, or several courses.

We reserve the right to reschedule our workshops due to low registrations.

** Your fees will be reimbursed or registration rescheduled at no charge to you.**