

CALLEN-LORDE LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

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BENEFITS

- Serve as champions by raising awareness
- Raise meaningful funds for Callen-Lorde's life-saving work
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- Enhance your personal and professional development by discovering and developing new skills
- Collaborate with the Callen-Lorde community and get exposure to leadership, strategic oversight, collaboration, and influence
- Exclusive access to CEO briefings, special events, programming pipelines and advocacy initiatives

Got questions? Interested in joining?

Please contact April Griswold at agriswold@callen-lorde.org.







EXPECTATIONS

CAPACITY TO SUPPORT

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- 💠 Corporate sponsorship
- Event attendance (ticket purchase)
- In-kind donation (e.g. significant product donations, sponsorships)







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PASSION FOR CALLEN-LORDE

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Members both understand the importance of fundraising and seek to contribute to the sustainability of Callen-Lorde by participating in fundraising initiatives and events. The member has creative ideas regarding new ways to raise funds and awareness.

Join the event committee for the Community Health Awards or Hamptons Tea Dance, support Rainbow Run, or host a fundraiser!



The member brings diversity to the group in terms of ability to contribute, background, ethnicity, industry, career choice and/or personal connection to Callen-Lorde's mission.

TIME

Must attend at least XX of the XX meetings a year.







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VISION STATEMENT

The Callen-Lorde Leadership Council strives to be a force for change, leveraging our diverse experiences and collective power to champion accessible, compassionate, and comprehensive healthcare at Callen-Lorde.

DESCRIPTION

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DIVERSITY

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TIME

Members will commit time to meetings and collaborative discussions, contributing actively to the development and execution of strategic initiatives.















CALLEN-LORDE ANNUAL EVENTS



🚰 Saturday, May 4, 2024

Rainbow Run (RR) is a 5K or 10K fun run or leisure walk promoting health and wellness while supporting our lifesaving work. RR will be in person on May 4 at Hudson River Park or virtually, wherever you are, anytime between May 4 and 12. Participants also receive branded incentives, such as t-shirts and caps, when they reach fundraising milestones.

Corporate sponsorships and peer-to-peer fundraising are our focus. We also host a pep rally for which we need a venue and some items for a raffle. We also need water and snack donations for the runners.

Visit our event and fundraising pages from last year!

Saturday, July 13, 2024

Rooted in the tradition of queer tea dances, the Hamptons Tea Dance (HTD) is a premier LGBTQ+ event in the Hamptons. This outdoor party primarily raises funds through tickets. Join us for a day on the lawn with fun drinks, great music, and even better company.

HTD is our only annual event outside of NYC, which presents unique opportunities and hurdles. The audience tends to be folks who live in the area. We are cultivating relationships with local businesses and organizers and encouraging attendees to engage with us regularly outside this event. We are also open to sponsored activations or donations for auction.

Head over to our event website from last year!





Thursday, November 7, 2024

The Community Health Awards (CHA) will be held at Pier Sixty and honors leaders, trailblazers, and visionaries in LGBTQ+ health and wellness whose shoulders we stand on while celebrating Callen-Lorde's critical role in our communities.

CHA is our largest event every year—both in attendance and fundraising. We receive in-kind from brands and artists big and small for our silent auction (100+ items), and it's always helpful if they promote the event/auction on their platform. Selling tickets, soliciting corporate sponsorship, and engaging special quests are also priorities.

Check out our event summary and page from last year!