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## Louisiana HOSA-Future Health Professionals

### **Purpose:**

The Louisiana HOSA-100 Advisory Council serves as a vital champion of HOSA–Future Health Professionals.

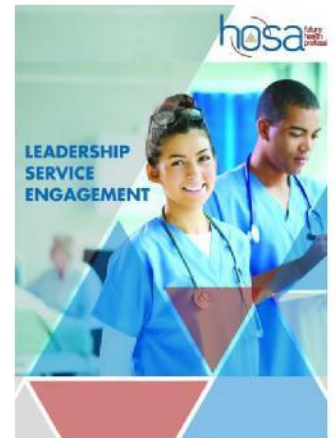
### **Mission:**

Members of the Louisiana HOSA-100 Advisory Council share their experience in service to HOSA’s mission by providing the organization with their professional expertise; their diverse knowledge of perspectives; their connections to local, state, or national resources, colleagues or peers; and/or their philanthropic support or other forms of valued assistance.

The Advisory Council focuses on service rather than governance. Together we can improve the health status of Louisiana!

### **Louisiana HOSA-100 Advisory Council:**

- Provides a means for involving those who are willing to give value-added assistance but have limited time
- Provides a means for involving those who would be good candidates for the board of directors, but who are unable to serve
- Provides the means to keep critical supporters connected to HOSA
- Creates a direct link to important professional and technical expertise
- Energizes Council members as ambassadors of the organization
- Recognizes individuals for their value-added service
- Assists in efforts to increase philanthropic support
- Enlists help from others without enlarging the governing board
- Participates in high profile meetings if schedule permits
- Supplies articles for the HOSA website that will be of value to students interested in careers in health
- Promotes HOSA-Future Health Professionals as the pipeline for young people interested in the pursuit of careers in health in middle and high school and in postsecondary institutions



**Appointment:**

- Annual appointment based on desire to serve and continue membership on the Council
- Open invitation to attend Louisiana HOSA local, state, and national functions as time permits

**Expectations:**

- Contribute in a significant way to support the organization's mission (expert advice, door opening, funding, assistance with fundraising)
- Maintain annual membership at an appropriate level of membership and financial sponsorship
- Allow the organization to publicize their name and participation on the Council in various organizational communications
- Attend events such as the annual State Leadership Conference or Fall Forum
- Keep informed about plans, activities and initiatives of the organization and participate as time permits
- Alert HOSA leaders as to opportunities that exist for the organization to gain an advantage
- Assist in identifying and securing keynote speakers for the annual State Leadership Conference and Fall Forum

**Leadership:**

- Chair and Vice Chair are elected by the Council to lead the LA-100 Advisory Council
- Chair or Vice Chair will preside at Council meetings
- Chair provides strategic guidance and leadership to Council members for all HOSA related outreach

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