

## **FOUNDATION BOARD CANDIDATE APPLICATION**

Please submit application to mcortez@communicaresa.org by 12/15/23.

Name:				
Date of Birth:				
Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code):				
Home:				
Business:				
Phone: Business:Cell:				
E-mail:				
Profession:				
NEPOTISM POLICY:  1. Are you related to a current employee of CommuniCare Health Centers?				
YesNo				
2. Are you related to a current board member of The CommuniCare Health Foundation?				
Yes No				
AT LARGE CANDIDATES:				
1. Do you derive more than 10% of your annual income from the health care Industry?				
YesNo				
2. If yes, what percent?%				

1)	Why do you want to serve on the Board?		
2)	What expertise, interests, or areas of focus do you possess that would help this Board function more effectively?		
3)	How would you share these skills?		
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4)	What do you hope to accomplish during Board service?		

5)	(Board President, Vice President, or Treasurer)		
6)	Your personal Board service goals:		
7)	Personal development (How will serving on the Board help you develop skills or meet your interests?):		

## **Board Members must be able to:**

- a) Set and approve programs that become the basis for operating the CommuniCare Health Foundation.
- b) Have the time, or be willing to take the time to attend:
  - ♦ Board meetings (every other month)
  - ♦ Special meetings
  - **♦** Committee meetings
- c) Be an independent thinker, but open to other positions and opinions.
- d) Be willing to listen and learn.
- e) Be one who can accept change and even direct change.
- f) Be willing to commit adequate time to the work of the board in order to be an effective member and properly discharge the duties of the board.
- g) Posses character and demeanor that will reflect favorably on behalf of the CommuniCare Health Foundation.
- h) Be an individual who possesses sufficient stature to command the respect of fellow board members, management, employees and the public.
- i) Subordinate personal and other business interests to the needs of the CommuniCare Health Foundation.

## l agree to:

- a) Educate myself on the nonprofit, its history, goals, clients/constituency, staff, current situation, problems and needs.
- b) Try to keep abreast of national, state, and local trends that affect the nonprofit and its clients or constituency.
- c) Educate myself on the roles and responsibilities of the Board as a whole, as well as those of individual Board members.

## Participation:

- a) Participate in the tasks of the Board
- b) Be an enthusiastic and knowledgeable voice for the nonprofit.
- c) Act as an advocate for the nonprofit and the people we serve.
- d) Contribute financially to the nonprofit/provide fund raising contacts/ in-kind donations.
- e) Participate in discussions at meetings; ask probing questions and seek relevant

answers before voting.		
f) Report to the Board, in written or verbal form, as appropriat	bal form, as appropriate.	
g) Recognize my role as a member of the team.		
Board Candidate's signature	Date	