



Cleveland Angels

Young Professionals CARE (Connecting for Advocacy, Resilience, and Empowerment)

Associate Board of Cleveland Angels

Vision for Young Professionals CARE Board

The Associate Board of Cleveland Angels consists of young and emerging professionals over the age of 22 seeking to make a difference in the foster care community in Northeast Ohio by educating and advocating for the organization. Members will contribute by

1. Increasing the organization's visibility in local communities and personal networks.
2. Introducing businesses and/or corporations to engage with Cleveland Angels to further the number of children and families served.
3. Contributing time volunteering through outreach events when needed, and hosting one friend/fundraiser as a group.
4. Becoming a volunteer in some capacity within Cleveland Angels programs.

Statement of Expectations for Associate Board Members

Potential candidates will be expected to:

1. Be committed to and passionate about moving the mission of Cleveland Angels forward.
2. Be personally in alignment with [Cleveland Angels' Core Values](#).
3. Be willing to attend orientation to fully understand Cleveland Angels programs and their underpinning of relationship-based healing.
4. Commit to a minimum of a 12-month term.
5. Attend 75% of the monthly Associate Board Meetings, be on time, attentive, and well-prepared for all meetings. Members are encouraged, but not required to attend Cleveland Angels Board of Directors meetings as well (hybrid schedule).
6. Help recruit additional passionate, diverse, and committed Board Members including representatives of the population we serve.
7. Act as a support to the Board of Directors, Executive Director, and staff of Cleveland Angels in achieving the goals of the 2024 Strategic Plan.
8. Participate actively — reading and responding to all communications in a timely way, sharing ideas, contributing expertise and areas of particular knowledge to further the mission, and being a responsible public representative of the organization.
9. Be willing to share/ interact with social media posts when appropriate.
10. Volunteer or donate in some capacity with the [Love Box](#), [Dare to Dream](#) or [Angel Alliance](#) program. (Staff will help you find the right fit!)
11. Attend fundraising & special events.

Benefits of Becoming a YPs CARE Board Member

1. Join a community of caring young professionals
2. Expand your network and receive exclusive insight into philanthropy and Child Welfare
3. Engage with the Board of Directors and gain experience for future board involvements
4. Educational, Engagement, and Public-Speaking Opportunities
5. Professional development and event opportunities

To Apply

Please submit a resume and cover letter describing your interest in the YPs CARE Associate Board to laura@cleangels.org! Applications for board membership will be due by July 2024.