

As a unified voice we can enhance the status of direct support professionals and promote the creation of a highly competent human services workforce!

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As of February 26, 2014 we have officially incorporated as the Manitoba Alliance of Direct Support Professionals.

THE 5 BOLD STEPS THAT HAVE DIRECTED OUR EFFORTS

1. Create a mission statement
2. Create a board (decide on roles and responsibilities, create a constitution)
3. Formalize the association (register the name and by-laws)
4. Create a communication strategy (online presence/website, public awareness, information sessions, membership and organizations drive)
5. Create a business plan (develop funding model/strategy)

We have tentatively adopted the following:

VISION STATEMENT

We envision a provincially unified voice of direct service professionals upholding the highest standards and ethical practices in supporting individuals with disabilities.

MISSION STATEMENT

We will work towards a qualified and fairly compensated workforce that upholds professional standards, provides networking opportunities, and enhances the status of direct service professionals.

Now we need you!
**Become a member today and lend your voice to the future of
the Manitoba Alliance of Direct Support Professionals.**

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Membership Benefits

- 1) Participation in a Provincial Association that enhances the standing of Direct Support Professionals by:
 - Promoting professional standards and skill development
 - Collaborating with agencies province wide
 - Promoting shared values
 - Providing opportunity for a stable and secure future
 - Increasing public awareness

- 2) Ability to stay informed and current on best practices by providing:
 - A network of professionals province wide
 - Peer to peer connection and sharing of information and knowledge
 - Access to up to date resources
 - Up to date information on developments in the field

- 3) Help shape the future by:
 - Having a dynamic and unified voice
 - Playing a constructive role in shaping future legislation and regulation
 - Having input when policies are being created regarding supports, salaries and education
 - Promoting the collective use of ethical outcome based supports

**Become a member today and enjoy the benefits of the
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