



APPLY BY  
JULY 18TH!

# 2025-2026 LEADERSHIP COLLABORATIVE

THE LEADERSHIP COLLABORATIVE AIMS TO DEVELOP **RESILIENT LEADERS** WITHIN THE SOCIAL SECTOR.

OUR SECTOR NEEDS LEADERS THAT ARE **CURIOUS, CONNECTED, AND COLLABORATIVE.**

INVEST IN YOUR LEADERSHIP JOURNEY THROUGH A **CUSTOMIZED, PEER & ADVISOR BASED COHORT!**



# MORE ABOUT THE PROGRAM



## WHAT IS IT?

Support Center's Leadership Collaborative is a **10 month, cohort-based professional development program for social sector leaders.**

There are 11 virtual and 1 in-person gatherings throughout the experience, each focusing on topics that are most relevant to the cohort. Previously covered topics include: **leadership & management; financial stewardship, fundraising, boundaries & goal setting; project management; board governance; strategic communications & marketing; personal brand development; organizational culture; human resources with an equity lens; equity & inclusion in leadership.**

Look to the next column for other aspects of the program →

## WHAT YOU'LL GAIN

- **Twelve learning sessions**
- **Two 1:1 coaching Sessions**
- **DiSC Assessment**
- **Capstone Project aimed at tackling your individual challenges**
- **Learning partner**
- **Your own Community of Practice**
- **Access to Support Center advisors and expert practitioners**

## WHO IS THIS FOR?

**The ideal cohort member is interested in:**

- Rounding out their expertise across different disciplines
- Learning from and with other social sector leaders
- Reflecting on their leadership journey
- Co-creating a safe place to discuss workplace challenges and opportunities

**And has a:**

- Minimum of 4 years in their social sector role
- Commitment to personal and professional development

# PROGRAM DETAILS



**Dates:** September 2025 - May 2026. Specific dates will be announced at the end of July.

**Time:** 10:00AM - 1:30PM Eastern Time

**Location:** Virtually on Zoom.

**Tuition:** \$2,500. *Partial scholarships are available; please do not let financial constraints prevent you from applying.*

**Application Process:** Complete [this application form](#). Once completed, we will schedule a 15-minute conversation to determine fit. Admissions are rolling.

**Application Deadline:** Friday, July 18th

**Questions? Seeking an extension?**

Reach out to Program Manager Maya Kassahun at [mkassahun@supportcenteronline.org](mailto:mkassahun@supportcenteronline.org)

## MEET YOUR ANCHOR FACILITATORS



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## WHAT DO ALUMS HAVE TO SAY?

“This leadership program was a transformative experience that provided **both personal insight and professional growth**. The DISC assessment and one-on-one coaching **helped me reflect deeply on my leadership style**, while the sessions on Fundraising Mastery and Effective Governance offered practical strategies I could immediately apply in my work. **I highly recommend this program to anyone looking to strengthen their leadership skills and make a meaningful impact in their organization.**”

- 2024-2025 Leadership Collaborative Alum



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