PATHWAYS ABILITIES SOCIETY

PROCEDURE: SUCCESSION PLANNING

Applies to: Board of Directors, Executive Director, Managers and Supervisors

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Board Presidency Change

- 1. The outgoing president provides the incoming president with:
- An overview of the society operations.
- An overview of current society and board projects.
- Keys and codes for the society, the executive director's office, desk and file cabinets.

Executive Director

Planned Departure

- 1. The executive director is required to provide a minimum of 30 days written notice to the board president when resigning. They provide a draft advertisement for the position and a copy of the executive director's most current job description and evaluation.
- 2. The board president establishes a recruitment committee and determines the level of the executive director's involvement.
- 3. The executive director provides the board president with a departure plan.
- 4. The executive director in consultation with the president designates a member of the management team to act as the board liaison.
- 5. Prior to leaving, the executive director provides the president with:
- A written overview of the status of all projects and agency operations.
- Keys, credit cards and codes.

Unexpected Departure Temporary or Permanent.

- 1. The board president appoints an existing management employee to the position of acting executive director.
- 2. The board president ensures all society property is returned and the necessary arrangements are made to protect society operations.
- 3. The board president establishes a recruitment committee.
- 4. The committee determines the process to be undertaken to recruit a permanent or temporary replacement.

Manager or Supervisor

Planned or Unexpected Departure

- 1. A manager or supervisor is required to provide a minimum of 21 days written notice to the executive director when resigning.
- 2. The executive director determines the process for recruiting a replacement and notifies the board of directors.
- 3. The supervisor or manager provides the executive director with a departure plan.
- 4. The executive director ensures the necessary arrangements are made to protect society operations.
- 5. Prior to leaving, the supervisor or manager provides the executive director with:
- A written overview of the status of all projects.
- Updates the applicable service area orientations.
- Keys, credit cards and codes.