

Board Member Announcement - Imagine Supported Living Services

About Imagine

Imagine Supported Living Services (Imagine), a nonprofit agency in Santa Cruz, CA since 2002, has the mission "To empower individuals with developmental disabilities through service and advocacy". Imagine provides person-centered services to about 35 individuals who give our organization its purpose and build our agency through their character, intelligence, interests, charisma and struggle. We promote empowerment in our clients' homes and inclusivity in our community.

Imagine's core values, listed below, are reflected in every choice the organization makes, taking into consideration the individual clients and their families, the Imagine employees that serve them, and the larger community.

- Outstanding Service. Providing outstanding and ever improving service.
- **Employer of Choice.** Being an employer that values and responds to the needs of employees.
- **Safety and Security.** Working to create an environment that is safe and secure, while maximizing independence.
- **Lifelong Learning and Innovation**. Encouraging lifelong learning and innovation throughout our community.
- **Empowerment.** Empowering those served to pursue meaningful life choices.
- **Fabric of the Community.** Integrating the Imagine family into the fabric of the community as good neighbors and friends.

Please visit our website to learn more about us: imaginesls.org

Board of Directors

Our current Board of Directors consists of professionals who are committed to empowerment and advocacy for individuals with disabilities. They include past/present service providers, advocates, community and family members.

Criteria

Imagine is working to diversify the board, seeking additional members who can commit to our mission and help us with strategic direction and decisions. We welcome anyone who is open to sharing their community connections and contributing their skills and experience. At this time, we are seeking a GAAP-trained treasurer and a legal perspective and expertise.

Expectations

We expect each board member to commit to and be passionate about our mission, learn about and know our programs and services, participate in community and fundraising events at least 2 times annually, read all board materials and regularly attend board meetings, serve on at least one board committee, and participate in board education opportunities.

We encourage anyone who is interested, or who knows someone who might be a good match, to contact the Board President via info@imaginesls.org.