



Join the Austin Diaper Bank Board of Directors

Do you want to make a difference in the lives of Central Texas families while having fun working with a motivated, tight-knit, involved group of people? We are adding members to our Board of Directors and our board committees.

The Austin Diaper Bank serves over 35,000 Central Texas families annually with diapers, wipes and period products. Many of these families live below the federal poverty line, are experiencing homelessness or have been impacted by other crisis situations. The Board of Directors governs the mission of the diaper bank and provides support to staff. The Austin Diaper Bank is growing year by year to serve more families who need basic support and the Board of Directors plays a crucial role in growing and expanding the organization.

Applicants should have community connections they are ready and willing to leverage to help the mission grow; they should actively contribute to our governance and strategic growth. Prior nonprofit board experience is preferred but not required.

Skills and expertise preferred

- Healthcare Provider
- Education
- Policy and Advocacy
- Finance/Accounting

Committees include: Development, Finance, Programs and Communications. Committees meet at least quarterly; there are no set terms of service. Board terms are two years and members are eligible to serve two consecutive terms. The board currently meets 4:30 - 6 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month. The Austin Diaper Bank carries Directors and Officers (D&O) liability insurance.

Board member expectations:

- Embody Austin Diaper Bank's mission of ending diaper need and period poverty. Actively seek and share knowledge regarding poverty and access to basic needs, and represent the organization and the board in a positive way.
- Commit a minimum of 5 hours per month to the Austin Diaper Bank including meetings, volunteering, and fundraising activities.
- Attend at least 75% of all monthly board meetings (at least 9 meetings annually), committee meetings, and special events.
- Actively participate in fundraising and advocacy activities to expand the reach of Austin Diaper Bank in the communities we serve.
- Make an annual personal financial contribution at a meaningful level (minimum of \$1,000). The average board member gives and/or raises \$3,000 annually for Austin Diaper Bank.

To apply:

Send a resume and a cover letter stating why you want to join an Austin Diaper Bank board or a committee to board chair Allison Steinberg at board@austindiapers.org by **July 10, 2022**. Interviews and an on-site visit to the Diaper Bank to be conducted in July with an expectation to onboard new members in September.

Mission

The Austin Diaper Bank is dedicated to providing diapers to Central Texas families who need a clean, reliable supply of diapers for a healthy and comfortable quality of life.

Vision

By providing diapers to those who need our help, we empower our neighbors in Central Texas to lead healthy, dignified and independent lives.

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