

Leadership Development Chairperson

The district leadership development chairperson, as a key member of the District MERL Team, assumes an active role in the enhancement of the leadership skills of current, new and emerging Lions leaders in the district.

The district leadership development chairperson position is a three-year term.

The district leadership development chairperson receives material and orientation from the multiple district leadership development chairperson and works closely with him/her. It is important for governors to know that, in multiple districts, the multiple district leadership development chairperson is appointed by the council of governors for a three-year term and endorsed by a resolution. In single districts, the leadership development chairperson is appointed by the district governor also for a three-year term and endorsed by a resolution. The council of governors or the district governor is notified when it is time to make these appointments.

Chairperson Duties

- Establish leadership goals and related action plans for the district
- Motivate Lions to develop and improve leadership skills
- Organize, promote and conduct leadership development seminars for Lions of the district including the club officers training
- Promote the development of leadership within clubs
- Assist the district governor in establishing effective and centralized leadership operations within the district

Encourage participation in LCI leadership development programs including Lions Leadership Institutes, Faculty Development Institutes and online Lions Learning Center courses

- Work collaboratively with other members of the District MERL Team to promote effective leadership development and membership growth

STATE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The state leadership development committee assumes an active role in the enhancement of the leadership skills of current, new and emerging Lion leaders throughout the state. The state leadership development chairperson position is a three-year term.

The district leadership chairpersons receive material and orientation from the multiple district leadership chairperson and works closely with him or her. This group should work as a team to fulfill the following:

Duties

- *Establish leadership goals for the State.*
- *Motivate Lions to develop and improve leadership skills.*
- *Organize, promote and conduct leadership development seminars for Lions of the State including the club officers training opportunities on a state-wide basis.*
- *Promote the development of leadership within clubs.*
- *Assist in establishing effective and centralized leadership operations within the State.*

- *Serve as a member of the State MERL Team.*
- *Put together a Team to conduct a detailed training course for Vice District Governors.*