Our Business | Mission

CLC advances the field of Child Life by establishing and maintaining professional standards, enhancing the professional growth and development of members, and advancing credibility of the Child Life profession by fostering research and promoting the efficacy of Child Life practice.



Organization Performance

Fuel Success

Key Performance Indicators

Member Satisfaction Fiscal Strength **Child Life Reputation**



Our Impact | Vision

Every child and family has

access to comprehensive

services provided by a child life

professional as an integral part

of their health care

experience.

Ongoing Operations

- Certification
- Conference
- Communications
- **Professional Development**
- Committees
- Office Operations
- **Member Services**
- **Resources for Members**
- Accounting
- **Fundraising**



Strategic Drivers

Professional Credibility Member Experience

Organizational Strength









Honesty

Influence

Inclusion

Relevance

Vision

Strategic Driver	Goals	Committee	Outcomes
Professional Credibility Strengthen perceived value and awareness of child life	Define CLC's role in facilitating, promoting research and quality improvement/quality assurance	-Research Task Force -Research & Scholarship -EBP -Professional Resources -Bulletin	 Initiate CLC's plan to facilitate and promote research submitted to the board from the Research Task Force by 12/31/2015 25% increase in web traffic on research related web pages by 12/31/2018 All research related web pages are reviewed and updated by 12/31/2017
	Standardization of academic preparation, clinical training, and ongoing competency of child life professionals	-Internship Accreditation Oversight -Undergraduate Endorsement -Graduate Program Accreditation -CLCC -Education & Training	 70% of Undergraduate Endorsement Applications reviewed by 12/31/2017
			 70% of Internship Accreditation Applications reviewed by 12/31/2017
			 70% of Graduate Program Accreditation Applications reviewed by 12/31/2017
			• Process for accreditation in place by 12/31/2015
			 Develop CLC competency assessment tools by 12/31/2018
	Establish key partnerships	-Executive Committee -Board of Directors -Public Policy Work Group	 3 similar organizations accept child life representative on their committees by 12/31/2018 (e.g. Play Therapy Assn)
			 Initiate 3 partnership activities (coalitions, joint meetings, etc.) by 2018

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Member Experience High-value, relevant member experiences	Increase member engagement	-Webinar Advisory Group -WONAC -Professional Resources -CLCC -Community Based Practice TF	 90% member retention by 12/31/2018 25% of CCLS nonmembers are recruited into membership by 12/31/2018 25% increase in web traffic on community webpages by 12/31/2018 30% of members open e-communications 25% increase in overall web traffic by 12/31/2018 Nontraditional CLS membership increased by 5% by 12/31/2018
	Up-to-date relevant resources for members	-Professional Resources -Community Based Practice TF -EBP -Research & Scholarship -CCLC - Webinar Advisory Group	 Increase the resource library by 75 new listings each year starting in 2016 100% of current resources reviewed and updated by 12/31/2016 Identify and support non-traditional member community and their needs
	Increase leadership capacity	-Leadership Development -All committees	 10% of Leadership Academy graduates actively engaged in CLC committees by 2018 10% of volunteer pool across all CLC committees/task force are new volunteers (e.g. never served) by 12/31/2016 For CLC mentor program, increase the number of mentor/mentee matches by 25% by 12/31/2018 10% increase in membership from non-traditional members/those who practice in alternative settings.
	Global support and partnerships	-International Collaboration -Public Policy TF -Board of Directors	 Define CLC's role in global support and partnerships by 10/31/2016 Complete a needs assessment of international members as it relates to psychosocial care and CLC by 12/31/2016

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Organization Strength Well-resourced, responsive CLC	Increase donors and funding	-Research TF -Board of Directors -Finance	 Develop a strategic and sustainable program to cultivate corporate giving and government grants by 12/31/2016
			5% increase in conference sponsorship each year
			 Update CLC's Investment Policy so that it identifies and supports CLC's long term financial needs by 12/31/2015
			 Obtain funding for a large scale research project that looks at the financial efficacy of child life services
	Encure relevance of	-Governance -Board of Directors -CLCC	 Updated official documents by 12/31/2016
	Ensure relevance of governance and maximize efficiency of organization		 Modifications to by-laws submitted to membership for a vote by 12/31/2017
			 Policy Manual submitted to Board for approval by 12/31/2016
			Evaluation of staffing resources by May 2016
	Strengthen certification	-CLCC -Internship Accreditation Oversight -Undergrad Endorsement -Graduate Program Accreditation TF	 CLC certification program is accredited by ICE by 12/31/2018
			Sustainable implementation of internship and academic accreditation by 2018
	Strengthen the CLC brand	-All committees with content on website -Bulletin	 10% increase in number of views of new CLC website by 2018
			 6 sister associations will recognize rebrand by 2018 (CHA, APA, etc.)
			 6 partnerships will post information regarding the CLC rebrand by 2018
			• 25% of children's hospitals will promote CLC brand by 2018
			5 independent practitioners will use rebrand by 2018
			• 5 hospitals without child life recognize rebrand by 2018