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Class of 2026

Unlock Your Leadership Potential.

Are you ready to take the next step in your leadership journey? The **LeadingAge PA Fellows in Leadership Program** is a nine-month immersive experience designed to equip emerging leaders in aging services with the tools, confidence, and network needed to drive meaningful change.

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LeadingAge PA Fellows in Leadership Program – Overview

The LeadingAge PA Fellows in Leadership Program is a transformative nine-month experience designed for current managers and leaders in aging services who want to enhance their leadership effectiveness and drive meaningful change within their organizations.

Through interactive workshops, site visits, leadership assessments, and mentorship, participants refine their strategic thinking, emotional intelligence, and team engagement skills. Guided by aging services experts and experienced mentors, Fellows gain practical tools to navigate leadership challenges and inspire high-performing teams.

Upon completion, participants join the exclusive Fellows Alumni Council, gaining lifelong access to mentorship, networking, and continued professional development.

Why Join the Fellows in Leadership Program?

- **Personalized Leadership Development:** Gain self-awareness and hone your leadership style with the **Everything DiSC Work of Leaders** assessment.
- **Real-World Impact:** Learn strategies to navigate leadership challenges and implement solutions in your organization.
- **Exclusive Networking:** Connect with aging services experts, past Fellows, and mentors who will guide you throughout the program.
- **Experiential Learning:** Engage in group discussions, site visits, virtual meetings, and a Leadership Exploring presentation to apply your skills in real-time.

What You Will Gain

- Authentic leadership through self-reflection and strengths exploration
- Strategies for team engagement and workplace motivation
- Emotional and cultural intelligence for better leadership performance
- Coaching techniques to develop bench strength and empower future leaders
- Lifelong professional relationships and mentorship opportunities

Program Highlights

- **Core Themes:** Emotional Intelligence, Strategic Thinking, Workplace Engagement, and Work-Life Integration.
- **Interactive Sessions:** Virtual and in-person learning experiences, mentorship, and engagement with experienced aging services leaders.
- **Graduation & Recognition:** Celebrate your journey and achievements with an exclusive graduation event during LeadingAge PA's Annual Conference at The Hershey Lodge, Hershey, PA.

Did you know? LeadingAge PA offers an annual full-tuition scholarship for one LeadingAge PA member to complete the Fellows in Leadership Program. Visit our [website](#) to learn more about the Ron Barth Scholarship

Dates & Locations



How to Apply

- ✓ **Complete Your Application at LeadingAgePA.org/FIL between May 6, 2025 and July 8, 2025**
- ✓ Submit a **leadership essay**, **two letters of reference**, and a **statement of commitment** from your organization.
- ✓ Applications are reviewed by a taskforce made up of alumni from the program to select a diverse group of emerging leaders.

Application Deadline: July 8, 2025

Notifications Sent: End of August 2025

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Hear From Our Fellows

“ I’ve been a part of quite a few leadership programs throughout my career and none have compared to the experience the LeadingAge PA Fellows program has offered! From the information you learn to the fellowship and life-long connections, it was all such a worthwhile experience. ”

- Andrew Diehl, NHA, Class of 2024, Menno Haven Rehabilitation Center

“ The LeadingAge PA Fellows in Leadership program was a transformative experience for me. The actionable strategies learned were instantly applicable, and they’ve proven to be a lasting asset in my career progression. The focus on future-oriented leadership skills, coupled with the ongoing support of the alumni network, makes this program an essential investment for any aging services leader. ”

- Amy Young, Class of 2011, Wagman Construction, Inc.

“ The Fellows in Leadership program was a wonderful experience that expanded my leadership skills, extended my professional network, and empowered me to drive meaningful change within my organization. The program provided an incredible opportunity to build lasting relationships with passionate and like-minded professionals. In addition, the collaborative environment, mentorship, and peer support created strong personal connections that continue to inspire me in my leadership journey. ”

- Nicole Bowser, Class of 2021, Presbyterian Senior Living



Join a Legacy of Leadership

Upon completion, Fellows are inducted into the Fellows Alumni Council and gain exclusive access to:

- The Fellows Mentoring Program
- Invitations to participate in LeadingAge PA various taskforces and committees
- Networking events with Alumni & LeadingAge PA board members
- Continued learning & leadership development opportunities free of charge

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