

3 REGIONAL LEADERSHIP TEAMS: The regional leadership team is a required function of regional prevention contractors. It is expected that Regional Leadership Teams represent the geographic and community sector diversity of the region and must include at least one representative from each of five core community sectors: business, safety, medical, education and government. Fiscal sponsors are required to have representation on the Regional Leadership Team.

In support of the Regional Network System, Regional Leadership Teams are in service to their communities by:

- Meeting regularly to provide leadership and guidance in prevention and health promotion initiatives within the region
- Encouraging shared knowledge, resources, and capacities to support prevention and health promotion
- Determining service and capacity gaps
- Endorsing community priorities and resource allocation to meet community prevention and health promotion needs
- Assigning a chairperson each year to participate in state level meetings and trainings as available and serve as a primary point of contact