

WORLD Leadership Institute

Fact Sheet

Who is the Leadership Institute for?

The Leadership Institute is for women and girls living with HIV across the state of California who have a desire to be an advocate, community leader and/or go into politics and serve their community, including sitting on planning councils, commissions, and giving a voice to those who are still working to find theirs.

What is the WORLD Leadership Institute (WLI)?

The WORLD Leadership Institute (WLI) consists of eight 2-hour training sessions, delivered by trained facilitators, including an orientation and graduation. The WLI will take HIV-positive women on a journey from Acknowledgment & Acceptance to Empowerment and Leadership while addressing the following topics:

I: Orientation: Laying the Foundation

II: My Backstory

III: What Does Advocacy, Leadership and Being a Leader Entail?

IV: What is the Difference between Local, State and National Advocacy?

V: How Do You Get a Policy Enacted?

VI: How Do You Plan an Event?

VII: I Am a Leader in the Community, Now What?

VIII: Graduation

When will the WLI take place?

The WORLD Leadership Institute will take place twice a year, once in the Spring and once in the Fall.

Where will the WLI take place?

Training sessions will take place via Zoom with a stipend and technology gift for all graduates.

How do I apply for the WLI?

You can apply online through Jotform **by clicking here.**

Or **download and fill out an application** and mail to:

WORLD, C/O Dr. Demisha Burns, at 389 30th St. Oakland, CA 94609

(**This link** will take you to our website, where you can download a PDF or Word version of the application).

Reach out to us with any questions! We look forward to hearing from you!



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