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# PROJECT PROFILE



BOARD DEVELOPMENT CONSULTING '22  
BOARD DEVELOPMENT & STRATEGIC PLANNING CONSULTING '23  
*Tarrant County Homeless Coalition*

The Tarrant County Homeless Coalition (TCHC) reached out to Project Partners after having received a Toolbox Grant from the North Texas Community Foundation focused on board development. TCHC is in a unique position in that they are a nonprofit organization that serves as the lead agency for the Continuum of Care (CoC), funded mostly by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, in Tarrant and Parker County. Separate boards of directors manage TCHC and the CoC, but there is significant overlap in the mission, goals, and activities of the organizations. One area of our work together focused on reducing the duplication of services while also identifying opportunities for the two organizations to work strategically to provide the most comprehensive homeless services possible.

Working closely with the Executive Director, Project Partners presented a report to the board at their annual retreat that included an assessment of board culture, observations and recommendations related to the board's role in the homeless services system, and a plan for developing a robust board pipeline to carry the organization forward. We were honored to have the opportunity to work with the organization again in 2023 to operationalize some of the key recommendations that came out of that report.

**“I would highly recommend Project Partners for a board development project. They were able to objectively look at our board and help them understand their unique role. Heather worked hard to give them realistic recommendations that they understood how to put into action. It was incredibly helpful to our organization that Heather had specific knowledge of the homeless services system.”**

Lauren King, Executive Director  
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