

## ABOUT THE CANCER COUNCIL

### Opportunities for Engagement and National Leadership

#### What Our Members Say

“NACDD Cancer Council is a valuable source of education for program grantees.”

“Much appreciation for the facilitation of a variety of peer-to-peer initiatives.”

“Recorded trainings and webinars are valuable tools to onboard new program staff.”

“NACDD Cancer Council is a valued advocate for all of the cancer programs and serves as a liaison between program staff and CDC.”

The National Association of Chronic Disease Directors’ (NACDD) Cancer Council includes more than 430 Members. The Council supports all program staff working within a CDC-funded cancer program: the National Breast and Cervical Early Detection Program (NBCCEDP), the National Program of Cancer Registries (NPCR), the National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP), and the Colorectal Cancer Control Program (CRCCP). NACDD works collaboratively with CDC and the National Cancer Institute (NCI) to help ensure that Cancer Council activities align with national objectives.

**DP22-2202:** CDC funds 189 award recipients consisting of states, U.S. Associated Pacific Islands and Puerto Rico, tribes and tribal organizations to develop and implement cancer control plans (NCCCP), provide screening services for breast and cervical cancer (NBCCEDP), and maintain cancer registries (NPCR).

**DP20-2002:** CDC funds 35 award recipients: 20 states, 8 universities, 2 tribal organizations, and 5 other organizations to implement population-level colorectal cancer screening.

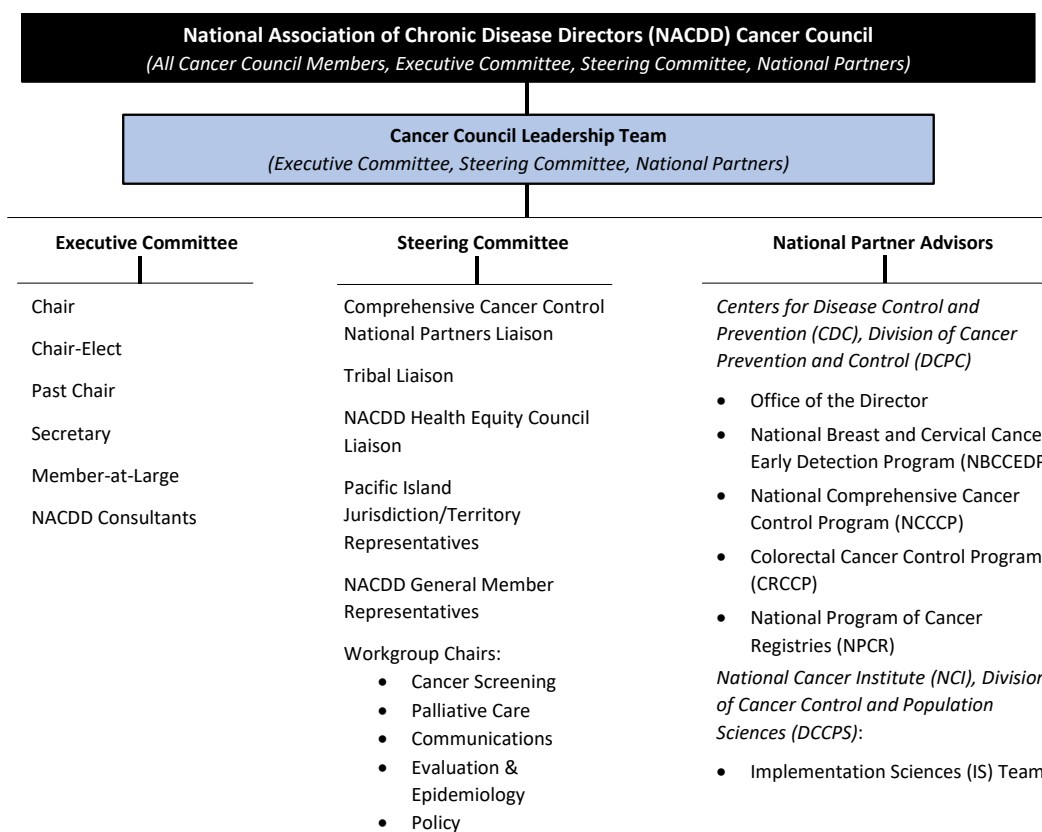
Any program staff working within a cancer program are automatically Cancer Council Members. Members who become actively involved in the Cancer Council benefit from access to networking, trainings, and other opportunities that support implementation of cancer objectives.

#### Benefits for Cancer Council Members

- Leadership and professional development opportunities
- National webinars on emerging topics
- Mentoring opportunities for guides and learners
- Learning communities to exchange ideas with peers in other states
- Networking with colleagues from across the United States

## About the Cancer Council Leadership Team

The Leadership Team leads the Cancer Council and is made up of a diverse, elected and nominated group of cancer program staff representing all four programs and the variety of award recipients. The Leadership Group acts as a collective voice for change, inspiring strategic action for cancer prevention and control. The Leadership Team is a conduit between CDC, NCI, and cancer programs, making it easier for programs to fulfill grant requirements and achieve success. The Leadership Team includes liaisons that meet with other NACDD committees or external organizations that may bring value to the Cancer Council. Liaisons help identify crosscutting issues, support information sharing, and leverage opportunities for collaboration. NACDD provides guidance, fosters leadership, and enables the Leadership Group to set and achieve goals that benefit all cancer programs and their staff.



**Become active in the Cancer Council and consider joining the leadership team.**

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