

*IOWA ASSOCIATION FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN*  
*COMMITTEE DESCRIPTION*

I. TITLE

**LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

II. PURPOSE

- A. To provide sustainable leadership for the Association and the early childhood field.
- B. To foster high-performing, inclusive leadership.

III. MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall include the Executive Director who serves as the Chair, Iowa Association for the Education of Young Children (Iowa AEYC) Governing Board Members, and at least three Iowa AEYC Members not currently sitting on the Iowa AEYC Governing Board.

IV. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. To develop in collaboration with the Governing Board a strategic plan for the Leadership Development Committee each year.
- B. Organize and facilitate leadership training opportunities.
- C. Recognize and celebrate Iowa AEYC State Governing Board Members, and Board Members from Iowa AEYC leadership at the chapter level.
- D. Nurture current Association Members to be prepared for Association leadership.
- E. Manifest HPIO practices through leadership development.