#### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

**EDUCATION:** Bachelor Degree. Minimum of three years' experience in writing and managing grants, preferably for a non-profit organization.

#### **REPORTS TO:** Chief Advancement Officer

#### **SKILLS:**

- Excellent project management, organizational, interpersonal, and presentation skills
- Strong command over written and verbal communication
- Good understanding of the organization 's overall mission and its objectives
- Proficient in using computers with related knowledge of software programs and Internet
- Ability to perform in a cross-functional team approach and with shared job responsibilities
- Experience with developing and monitoring budgets and financial reporting
- Ability to prioritize work and produce quality, timely work with attention to detail

# **PRIMARY DUTIES:**

- Perform relevant research to identify available grant opportunities and evaluate fit/feasibility
- Research effective and authentic funding opportunities having a lawful and proven track record
- Technical grant writing, coordinated with other appropriate departments
- Assist the CAO in grant implementation according to operational/financial organizational needs
- Keep the relevant others informed about upcoming deadlines and deliverables, thereby ensuring smooth completion of work responsibilities
- Prepare and submit required grant progress reports and close out documents, working with the CFO to appropriately invoice and account for funding
- Prepare financial or budget plans and allocation along with the CAO and the finance department in accordance with each grant and the Center's rules and regulations
- Monitor paper work and other related documents connected with grant-funded programs
- Follow strategies described by the CAO to optimize the grants administration process
- Provide training to new staff on grants management and reporting requirements

# **OTHER DUTIES:**

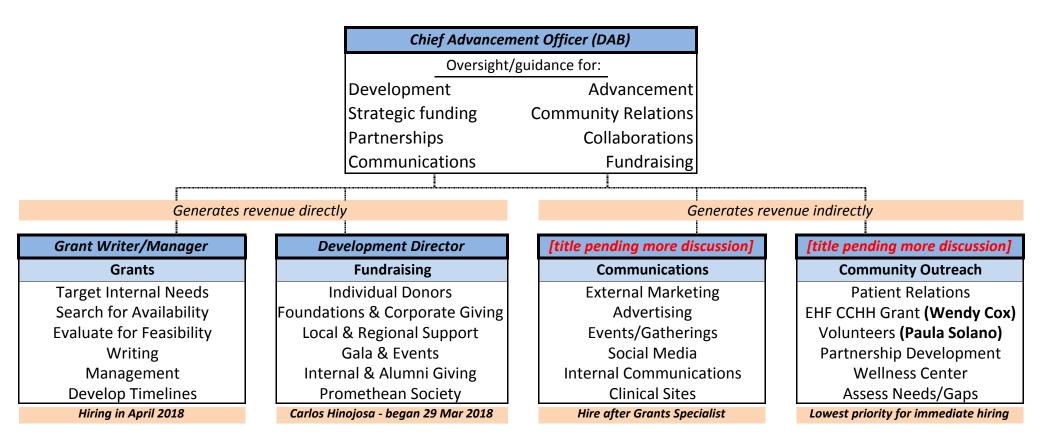
• Other duties as assigned by supervisor

# PHYSICAL AND MENTAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Possess a valid Texas driver's license and appropriate liability insurance
- Visual and auditory accuracy
- Shift length 8 hours
- Indoor setting
- Frequent use of computer
- Long periods of sitting
- Frequent use of telephone
- Continuous repetitive grasping and manipulation with both hands
- Continuous conversational communication
- Occasional reaching
- Frequent use of personal car
- Occasional travel
- Read and interpret detailed specifications

# Advancement & Community Relations Department Staffing Structure

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These positions are idealized as distinct/separate positions, but that reality may vary due to:

Departmental budget; available talent pool; each individual's skill set (e.g., someone may possess a desirable combination of skills that cuts across positions); the need/desire for a full-time (1.0 FTE) person for each position; whether the position is internal (as opposed to contractual); etc.

<u>Development</u> - process by which an organization <u>increases public understanding</u> of its mission and <u>acquires financial support</u> for its programs. <u>Advancement</u> - process of <u>building awareness & increasing support</u> from <u>all constituent bodies & programs</u>; in addition to development, this encompasses <u>internal stakeholders</u>, <u>public relations</u>, & <u>governmental relations</u>.