

BOARD CANDIDATE RATING FORM

Name of Candidate: _____

Name of Rater: _____

Interviewed by: _____

Date of Interview: _____

On a scale of 1 – 5 (1= not acceptable, 5=great), please rate the candidate on each item listed below. Please circle relevant attributes where more than one is listed.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

RATING

1.	Proven interest in our mission	
2.	Knowledge and understanding of our work	
3.	Professional knowledge and skills needed by the board (technology, statistics, health policy)	
4.	Connections in the community (media, politics, health care)	
5.	Fundraising experience and willingness to participate	
6.	Ability to make a personally meaningful financial contribution	
7.	Previous board experience or board training	
8.	Lived experience, knowledge of the organization's work/field or experience in similar organizations	

PERSONALITY & LEADERSHIP

RATING

1.	Ability to listen well	
2.	Ability to express ideas and opinions clearly	
3.	Ability to participate effectively in a conversation (neither monopolizing nor refraining)	
4.	Sense of humor, positive presence	
5.	Ability to ask appropriate questions	
6.	Ability to participate on a regular basis in the board's work	

TOTAL	
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Other strong points, including demographic information, and how the candidate meets our goals for board service:

Concerns: