



Candidate Information LGBTQ+

National Conference of Constituency Leaders

Office: Co-Conveners (2), representing the LGBTQ+ Constituency.

Candidate Criteria:

Any Active member of the AAFP who: fits the definition for the constituency (those who self-identify as LGBTQ+ or who are supportive of LGBTQ+ issues); registered for and in attendance at NCCL; and conforms to the expectations and regulations listed below.

Duties of the Office:

1. The successful candidates should be prepared to stay after NCCL to attend the “Post-Conference Meeting and Wrap-Up” with members of the NCCL Advisory Group and Staff on Saturday afternoon.
2. If you are elected as a constituency Co-Convener, your name is automatically placed on the ballot for the Member Constituency Alternate Delegate seats. *Note: You will be asked to give a short speech (2 minutes) during the Joint Business Session on Friday afternoon immediately prior to the Member Constituency Alternate Delegate election.*
3. Elected individuals should be prepared to **serve on the NCCL Advisory Group and attend the following year’s National Conference of Constituency Leaders.** This duty involves three to four conference calls in advance of NCCL and sharing leadership duties during the conference (leading the discussion group, chairing the LGBTQ+ Caucus and Elections, and chairing a reference committee).

Members of the NCCL Advisory Group will receive AAFP reimbursement of actual travel expenses for airfare, or for mileage at the current IRS rate and parking expenses, up to the cost of one full coach airline ticket, shuttle or cab expenses to and from the airport and regular per diem (currently \$450) for each meeting and travel day necessitated by attendance (maximum of five).

Campaign Expectations/Regulations:

Candidates may declare in only one constituency (for which they are demographically qualified) and must submit the appropriate candidate declaration form, accompanied by a current curriculum vitae of no more than 2 pages front and back, four pages in total, before the deadline of 5:00 p.m. Central on Thursday, April 24, 2025. Only Chapter Delegates to the LGBTQ+ Constituency are eligible to vote for the Co-Conveners representing the LGBTQ+ Constituency. Campaign materials (brochures, buttons, etc.) beyond the standard information prepared by NCCL staff from your declaration form and CV are strictly prohibited.

Each Candidate will be given:

- Two minutes for verbal remarks at the beginning of the LGBTQ+ Caucus and Elections on Friday.

Candidates may utilize personal social media accounts for the purpose of campaigning prior to and during NCCL.