HOMETOWN HEALTH Hospital Board & Leadership Training Program

The Importance of Education for Hospital Boards

A key to a hospital's future success lies greatly in the governance by its board and trustees, and the needs of the rural organization often differ greatly from others. It is a role that demands active participation by members who understand the hospital environment, and how to meet the unique challenges rural hospitals face. Trustees face legal, ethical, and regulatory decisions in a highly evolving industry making it critical for hospitals to provide initial and ongoing education to those giving direction, oversight, and leadership to the organization.

With these needs in mind, HomeTown Health is pleased to offer the **Hospital Board & Leadership (HBL) Training Program** for Georgia's rural hospitals. HTH was the first organization to become an official *Approved Training Vendor* for the *Georgia Rural Health Innovation Center at Mercer University School of Medicine*. The HBL Program meets both Georgia standards, as well as accreditation from IACET.org, allowing you to also receive continuing education units that meets the highest internationally accepted, best practice ANSI/IACET standards. Congratulations to the HTH HBL Program Participants who have successfully met the GRHIC education requirements, demonstrating their dedication and commitment to the community and hospital!

Current, Compelling, and Compliant.

HomeTown Health has focused on meeting rural hospital needs in Georgia for over 20 years, and has built a network of subject matter experts who work with hospitals, like yours, in the trenches. Together with these industry trainers, the HBL Program is committed to providing training that is up-to-date on issues that face your team. It is built with the needs of adult learners in mind, ensuring that it is applicable and the principles can be put into practice using the resources provided. In addition, the education team at HTHU.net will serve to manage the enrollment, tracking, and required reporting from start to finish.

Convenient and Flexible Training Formats

The HBL Program's Training Library offers flexible training offerings that allow you to mix and match the format that works best for you, in the order that works best for you, addressing the topics that matter most to you right now. A large menu of GRHIC-approved topic options help you to meet ongoing education needs.

The formats offered include:

- **Online Course** On-demand, individual training that can be completed anywhere with internet.
- *Webinar* Online with a live presenter, with opportunities to pose questions and interact virtually.
- *Live Training* Workshop events hosted by the HBL team of trainers to offer interactive training, discussions, and networking with other rural hospital leaders offered twice each calendar year.





HomeTown Health, LLC Hospital Board and Leadership Training Program

Subscriptions and Pricing

HomeTown Health (HTH) Member Hospital subscription - \$2500 for 24 consecutive months.

Non-member Hospital subscription - \$4500 for 24 consecutive months.

Individual subscription - \$650 per individual per year.

Included Training

HTH Hospital Board & Leadership webinars and online training for all current and future required board training participants, CEOs, CFOs, and hospital staff selected for the training by hospital leadership. This training encompasses both initial and recertification training needs.

GRHIC approved board training breakout sessions offered live at HomeTown Health events for all current and future required board training participants, CEOs, CFOs, and hospital staff selected for the training by hospital leadership. These sessions encompass both initial and recertification training needs.

Included Services

Technical support for webinars and online training.

Routine board training status reports and support with GRHIC required reporting.

Optional Training Services

Recertification training credits are made available during the main sessions of HomeTown Health's Georgia Conferences each Spring and Fall. Conference main session attendance requires a per participant fee that is not included in the hospital or individual subscription.

Onsite training at participant's location - \$500 per accredited training hour.

Registration

Visit <u>www.hthu.net/hbl</u> to register online

Contact Terry Edwards at terry.edwards@hometownhealthonline.com or 470-655-6950 Extension 105 with questions or needs for assistance.

Our curriculum is certified by the Georgia Rural Health Innovation Center as having satisfied the training requirements found in O.C.G.A. § 31-2-16. In addition to meeting Georgia Standards, many courses within the HTH Hospital Board & Leadership (HBL) Training Program are also accredited by IACET.org, allowing you to receive continuing education units that meet the highest international best practice ANSI/IACET standards.



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