

TRUMBULL COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Policy

Section 2.3

EXCLUSIONS FROM APPOINTMENTS TO THE BOARD

As used in this section, "immediate family" means parents, brothers, sisters, spouses, sons, daughters, mothers-in-law, fathers-in-law, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, sons-in-law, and daughters-in-law.

- A. The following individuals shall not serve as members of the Trumbull County Board of Developmental Disabilities:
 - 1. Elected public officials, except for those excluded from the definition of public official or employee in division (B) of Section 102.01 of the Revised Code;
 - 2. Members of the immediate family of another Board member;
 - 3. Board employees and members of the immediate family of Board employees;
 - 4. Former Board employees within one calendar year of their termination of employment with the Board on which the former employee would serve.
- B. A person may not serve as a member of the Trumbull County Board of Developmental Disabilities when either he or a member of his immediate family is a Board member of a contract agency of the County Board unless there is no conflict of interest. In no circumstance shall a member of the County Board vote on any matter before the Board concerning a contract agency of which he or a member of his immediate family is also a Board member or an employee. All questions relating to the existence of a conflict of interest shall be submitted to the local prosecuting attorney and the Ohio Ethics Commission for resolution.
- C. No employee of an agency contracting with the Trumbull County Board of Developmental Disabilities or member of the immediate family of such an employee shall serve as a Board member or an employee of the County Board except that the County Board may pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board, employ a member of the immediate family of an employee of an agency contracting with the Board.
- D. No person shall serve as a member or employee of the Trumbull County Board of Developmental Disabilities if a member of his immediate family serves as a County Commissioner of the County served by the Board, unless the person was a member or employee prior to October 31, 1980.
- E. The Trumbull County Board of Developmental Disabilities shall not contract with an agency whose Board includes a County Commissioner of the County served by the County Board or an employee of the same County Board.

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