**NMPHA Volunteer Opportunities**

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1. **Policy Committee**
   1. Meets every 3rd Wednesday, 5 - 6:30pm
   2. Policy Co-Chairs: [Ellen Burgess](mailto:burg.elle.ph@gmail.com) and [Stephany Strahle](mailto:strahles@unm.edu)
   3. Recommends State Policy Priorities and endorsements
   4. Plans and organizes Annual Health Policy Legislative Forum
   5. Develops and implements strategies to build a public health movement for equity
   6. Builds capacity of public health practitioners and students to engage in advocacy
2. **Communications Committee**
   1. Weekly Huddle, Mondays from 8:30 - 9:00am
   2. Chair: [Jacob Silva](mailto:jsilva19@unm.edu)
   3. Develops social media posts
   4. Develops relationships with media
   5. Writes and submits op-eds, letters to the editor, etc.
   6. Promotes NMPHA events
3. **Membership Committee**
   1. Chair: [Troy Weeldreyer](mailto:troysw90@gmail.com)
   2. Develops annual membership plan
   3. Recruits new individual and organizational members
   4. Responds to membership inquiries
   5. Develops and implements strategies to engage and retain membership
4. **Professional Development/Conference Committee**
   1. Chair: [Shelley Mann-Lev](mailto:shelleymannlev1@gmail.com)
   2. Plans and organizes Annual Conference with CEUs
   3. Develops and implements public health workforce development plan
   4. Develops and supports intern program
   5. Develops and supports mentorship program
5. **Resource Development (Fundraising) Committee**
   1. Chair; [Mary Grace Saenz](mailto:marygracesaenz@aol.com)
   2. Researches and writes grants
   3. Recruits sponsors
   4. Develops sustainable funding
   5. Plans and conducts other fundraising activities
6. **Priority Areas:** 
   1. **Universal Access to Health Care,** [Dana Millen](mailto:dsmillen@msn.com)
   2. **Social Determinants of Health,** [Jennifer Romero](mailto:jnromero@santafecountynm.gov) and [Chris DeBolt](mailto:cdebolt52@gmail.com)
   3. **Environmental Justice,** [Valerie Rangel](mailto:missvrangel@gmail.com)
7. **Scholarship Committee**
   1. Donations for scholarships
   2. Organizes Tom and Jerry School of Public Health Scholarship
8. **Awards Committee**
   1. Solicits nominations for awards
   2. Selects awardees
   3. Organizes recognition