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Vendor Affiliate Membership 2010-2011 Application Process

Vendor Affiliate Members include businesses and corporations operating in Pennsylvania that are supportive of the work of PCCYFS and its Members. Vendor Affiliate Members are for profit entities that are not involved in the direct provision, development, or management of children, youth and family services. Vendor Affiliate Members may attend meetings, serve on workgroups, act in advisory capacities and promote the priorities of PCCYFS. A single point of contact must be designated within the Vendor Affiliate Member to act as recipient for materials and information generated by PCCYFS.

Vendor Affiliate Members are entitled to the following benefits:

- Networking and marketing opportunities at various forums with PCCYFS Members from over 140 agencies across Pennsylvania.
- Inclusion of your business information on the "Visit our Affiliates" page of the PCCYFS website.
- Access to a mailing label list of PCCYFS Members with initial membership and upon annual renewal.
- Semi-annual inclusion of Vendor Affiliate Member business information in PCCYFS publications.
- Access to weekly publications containing the latest news and summaries of PCCYFS and Member workgroup activities.
- Opportunities to attend designated PCCYFS sponsored events at member rates.
- Opportunities to attend specially convened meetings, workgroups, and events to which all PCCYFS Members are invited.
- Exhibitor and sponsorship opportunities at PCCYFS annual conferences and member events (fees may apply).
- Act in advisory capacities and promote the priorities of PCCYFS.
- Opportunities to influence public policy through coordinated efforts at both the legislative and regulatory levels.

Vendor Affiliate members may not serve on the Board of Directors and do not have voting privileges. The Board of Directors may establish any additional criteria for membership and may deny such approval for any reason they deem sufficient, even though the applicant may meet the stated criteria for membership. Membership benefits are for dues paying members only. PCCYFS originated materials and publications are copyright protected and may not be disseminated without prior PCCYFS approval.

Application for Membership: The membership year begins on July 1 and runs through June 30. Each Vendor Affiliate Member is asked to complete an application for membership that may be mailed or faxed to PCCYFS. Vendor Affiliate Members may join at any time during the fiscal year; dues will be prorated accordingly.

Method of Payment: An invoice will be sent upon receipt of the application for membership in accordance with the payment schedule selected. Payment may also accompany the application.

Membership dues: \$800.00 - prorated as applicable.

Affiliate Members are expected to protect the value of membership by not disseminating information generated by PCCYFS outside their company

Questions: Membership questions may be directed to PCCYFS at: 570.689.7747 or 717.651.1725.