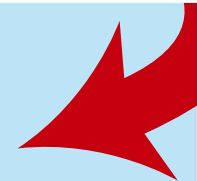


The GAME of CARE

INSTRUCTIONS



OBJECTIVE

To become CARE achieved!
To strategically plan your chapter's CARE activities throughout the year

PLAYERS

Board members (the Game of CARE is rated for board members of all ages and is most fun when everyone plays!)

GAME SETUP

Download a copy of your game board

↳ *If you are playing virtually, set up your game board in Google Docs or a similar format so all players can interactively contribute*

Assemble your board

Label the game board spaces. Game board spaces are numbered, and you may choose to label them based on a calendar that follows your fiscal year, the calendar year, or another format that works for your board!

GAME ELEMENTS / GAME SPACES

Calendar Spaces. These spaces represent the 12 months of the year, and they can help your board to visualize how your CARE activities are spread out throughout the year.

CARE Component Tiles. These tiles, or text boxes, represent key CARE-related activities that your chapter will complete throughout the year.

EARN BONUS POINTS

Submit CARE by the early submission deadline.

Submit your Board Roster by the early submission deadline.

Submit an SOS about how the Game of CARE helped your board to stay on track toward CARE achievement!

GAME PLAY

Review all of the CARE Component Tiles to ensure your board understands what each one entails.

Move each CARE Component Tile to the Calendar Space where your board will complete the task it represents.

↳ *Continue to move CARE Component Tiles one by one until all tiles are on the game board.*

Review the game board with all players.

↳ *Are there some months that are too busy? Too empty?*

Ensure all board members understand to which components they contribute and for which they are responsible. After all, every board member has a role in CARE achievement!

TIPS FOR SUCCESS

If you need additional CARE tiles that are customized to your chapter's needs, create them! Add programs, events, or other important items from your chapter's calendar to your game board. This can help you visualize where your board will be the busiest so you can balance CARE activities and avoid overwhelming your board.

Save your game board and review it during each board meeting to ensure you are on track for a successful CARE submission.

Move CARE Component Tiles to other Calendar Spaces if you need to readjust during the year. That will help your game board to remain an accurate illustration of how your board will achieve all CARE elements during the year.

