

Volunteer to become a SENG

Liaison

Help gifted children, their families and the professionals who work with them.

Here is how... You may choose to partner with a colleague to:

- assist in Conference planning
- assist with Conference registration
- chaperone the Conference children's program
- assist with marketing and fundraising
- serve on a SENG Committee: SENG Model Parent Groups, Continuing Education, Webinar, Diversity
- write an article for the *SENG Update*

Contact us: http://sengifted.org/about_liaison_application_form.shtml

On the subject line of your email, write SENG State Liaison. Include your name, address, preferred telephone/email contacts and your primary reason for wanting to



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SENG Supporting Emotional Needs of the Gifted



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SENG

Supporting Emotional Needs of the Gifted

Who we are

SENG seeks to inform gifted individuals, their families, and the professionals who work with them about the unique social and emotional needs of gifted persons. We support programs that foster in gifted individuals the mental health and social competence necessary for them to be free to choose ways to develop and express their abilities and talents fully. With support, gifted individuals can develop abilities that enhance their own lives and the lives of others. Without understanding and support, they may be inhibited in the development of their gifts and talents, which can result in significant negative personal and societal consequences. The mission of SENG is to empower caring families and communities to influence more positively and effectively the development of giftedness in those individuals entrusted to their care.

Our primary services:

- **SENG Model Parent Groups (SMPGs)**—Parents of Gifted Children need to support each other. Through SMPGs, parents receive resources and begin networking in their communities.
- **Continuing Education for Health and Medical Community**—The American Psychological Association has approved SENG as a provider of online courses with continuing education credits for psychologists. Approval from other organizations is being sought.
- **SENG Webinar Program**— Experts discuss timely topics in support of the social emotional needs of the gifted. Webinars are archived.
- **SENG Conference**—Provides families and professional the opportunity to make connections and update their skills and resources.
- **The SENG Website**—Offers a rich variety of resources including an audio and article library. See <http://www.sengifted.org>.

The Role and Responsibilities of the SENG Liaison

Goals of the Liaison Appointment...

1. Become a visible and respected spokesperson for SENG.
2. Promote SENG's mission and services.
3. Model effective partnerships between SENG, SMPG State facilitators, the State gifted association, and any other professional individuals and groups interested in the unique social and emotional needs of the gifted.

Once appointed, you will be...

- assigned a SENG Board of Directors mentor
- listed as State Liaison on the SENG website
- receive an email roster of SMPG facilitators in your state
- subscribed to the *SENG Update*

Suggested next steps...

Check out the SENG website

- ✓ review our mission and priorities
- ✓ read past issues of the *SENG Update*
- ✓ scan the audio/article library
- ✓ learn who is on the Board of Directors

Contact your State Association or Organization

- ✓ request a link to SENG be added on the state /organization website
- ✓ request a link to the annual SENG Conference page appear on the website
- ✓ announce the SENG Conference "Request for Proposals" on the state/organization website

Record a plan of action and timeline to achieve your goals!

At your request and to facilitate an introduction, SENG will send a notice to your organization/ association announcing your appointment as a SENG Liaison.