FAMILY PHILANTHROPY WEBINAR SERIES

Family Philanthropy's Response to COVID-19

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Resilience Defined

Nonprofit organizational resilience is the ability to *respond* effectively to change and *adapt* successfully to new and unforeseen circumstances *while staying true to mission*.

7 Characteristics of Resilient Nonprofits

- 1. **Purpose driven:** A galvanizing commitment to mission, meaning, and values
- 2. Clear-eyed: Challenges faced head-on while maintaining faith in ultimate success
- **3. Future oriented:** Forward-looking planning practices for navigating an uncertain future
- 4. **Open:** Intentional communication with internal and external stakeholders
- **Empowered:** Inclusive organizational culture that embraces shared leadership
- 6. Committed to self-renewal: Space created for rest and rejuvenation
- 7. **Connected**: Supported by personal relationships, institutional links, and community networks

"Close, frank, and respectful relationships.

This is the secret sauce.

You have to have mutual understanding and respect in order for this to work."

- Marcia Parker, Publisher and COO, CALmatters