## **To-Do List**

Use this to-do list to help you stay organized throughout your event planning.

| 5-12 Months Before Your Event  | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
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| Decide the type of event you would like to organize                      |                       |          |          |
| Register your event with Providence Healthcare Foundation                |                       |          |          |
| Recruit a volunteer event planning committee                             |                       |          |          |
| Select a date and time for your event if applicable                      |                       |          |          |
| Determine a budget detailing your revenue and expenses                   |                       |          |          |
| Research any special permits, licenses or insurance needed for the event |                       |          |          |
| Secure your venue, if applicable   |                       |          |          |
| Set a regular meeting with your committee                                |                       |          |          |
| Start sponsorship solicitation to local businesses                       |                       |          |          |
| Start sharing your fundraising page                                      |                       |          |          |
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| 3-5 Months Before Your Event   | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
| Determine your guest list  |                       |          |          |
| Invite potential speakers or presenters                                  |                       |          |          |
| Create and send out materials to promote your event                      |                       |          |          |
| Recruit volunteers   |                       |          |          |
| Confirm any audio/visual requirements                                    |                       |          |          |
| Confirm your catering needs and vendor, if applicable                    |                       |          |          |



| 1-3 Months Before Your Event  | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
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| Promote your event to local newspapers, coffee shops and on social media, etc.    |                       |          |          |
| Arrange for photography, if applicable  |                       |          |          |
| Confirm all vendors and collect invoices, noting due dates                        |                       |          |          |
| 1 Week Before Your Event  | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
| Confirm your setup details with the venue   |                       |          |          |
| Contact any suppliers to confirm deliveries/pick up                               |                       |          |          |
| Connect with volunteers to provide detailed information and an event day schedule |                       |          |          |
| Create an agenda to help you stay on track on event day                           |                       |          |          |
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| Day of Your Event   | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
| Give yourself time to set up before guests arrive                                 |                       |          |          |
| Ensure all your volunteers and speakers are present and aware of their roles      |                       |          |          |
| Record all donations, ticket sales and deposit funds                              |                       |          |          |
| Remove your equipment and materials and clean up                                  |                       |          |          |
| Post on social media and tag Providence<br>Healthcare Foundation on LinkedIn      |                       |          |          |
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| After Your Event  | Person<br>Responsible | Deadline | Complete |
| Pay all outstanding expenses  |                       |          |          |
| Send proceeds to Providence Healthcare<br>Foundation                              |                       |          |          |
| Share photos with Providence Healthcare Foundation                                |                       |          |          |
| Send out thank you letters to guests and sponsors, as applicable                  |                       |          |          |
| Start planning for next year  |                       |          |          |