



#### APRIL CHIEF OF STAFF/MENTORING

We have passed the halfway mark of our Program year and it's time to do an Auxiliary health check to ensure that we elect resilient leaders for the 2025-2026 Program Year and cross the finish line strong and healthy.

**Auxiliary Meetings—Inspire and Motivate Your Members** Your Auxiliary meetings need to be a place where members feel comfortable, engaged and eager to attend. Use a meeting style that works for your Auxiliary. Consider the options of a roundtable or contemporary meeting: you may find that members feel less intimidated in a more casual setting. Set an example for your Auxiliary. Always be positive, encourage members to express their views and always be respectful of everyone's input.

**FINALLY LET'S TALK ABOUT ELECTIONS!** April is the month for Auxiliary elections, any member in good standing (except those at large) may nominate themselves or others. A member must be present at the time of elections unless they have sent something in writing prior to the meeting. Mentors are out there to help if you think your ready to assume duties and responsibilities of an office.

GOD BLESS and let's finish this year strong for Department President Cheryl and her Officers.

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