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Dear Colleagues:

The International Association for Human Caring (IAHC) is once again inviting nominations for the upcoming election. Elections will be held this spring for President Elect, Treasurer, 2 Board Members, and a Nominating Committee Member. These positions provide an important opportunity to contribute to the mission of the organization as well as serve our members. All members of IAHC are eligible for nomination.

The term of office for President Elect is 2 years. The commitment, however, is 5 years (2 years as President-Elect, 2 years as President, and one year as an ex-officio member of the Board following presidency). The term of office for Treasurer and Board Members is 3 years. Nominating committee members also serve for 3 years and conduct much of their business by email

Terms of office will begin following the annual conference in Rochester, Minnesota. The newly elected President Elect and Board Members will be expected to participate in conference calls during the year and attend the annual Board meeting which meets at the annual conference. .

If you are interested in nominating an IAHC member for one of these offices, please email me their contact information. Self-nominations are also encouraged. If you are interested in self-nomination, please send a brief Bio that can be used for the elections. In the Bio, you can address your interest and participation in the organization as well as your current position and areas of expertise. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please send your inquiries to me at my email address: [chuerta@utpa.edu](mailto:chuerta@utpa.edu)

On behalf of the IAHC Nominating Committee, we would like to thank you for your consideration of these very important leadership roles in the International Association for Human Caring and we look forward to seeing everyone in Rochester, Minnesota June 2-5, 2010.

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