

The work of **DEI Champions** is designed to be strategically aligned with the Larner College of Medicine, the UVM Health Network and the University of Vermont, which means the organizations will aim to collaborate on initiatives that satisfy the diversity needs of the respective organizations.

The role of the DEI Champion is two-fold:

- Assists the department chair with managing and executing the department’s DEI plan as well as to actively support DEI within their departments.
- Serve as a bridge between their departments and Employee Resource Groups (ERG’s), department and institutional DEI committees and leadership.

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