

Roderick Green

Roderick Green ("Rod") was named Executive Director of Hillside Work-Scholarship Connection (HW-SC) in April 2019. In the role he is responsible for providing leadership to this national recognized, evidence-based program which enables at risk students to graduate from high school and be prepared for college, career, or the military. HW-SC currently serves over 3,000 urban students in Rochester, Syracuse, and Buffalo, NY as well as Prince George's County, Maryland.

Throughout his 17 years with Hillside Family of Agencies he has served in various leadership roles. He has held the positions of Regional Director of Rochester Market; Director of Quality and Operations; and most recently Regional Director of Strategic and Business Expansion in which he expanded Hillside Work Scholarship to 6 new school districts, while securing in excess of 3 million dollars in public and private funding.

Prior to joining Hillside, he held management positions with Lifetime Health, a subsidiary of Excellus Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Rochester and Westside Health Services Inc., and the State University of New York, College at Brockport where he taught GED English as an adjunct faculty member at the Rochester Educational Opportunity Center.

Rod has volunteered his time in the community, he served on the boards of directors at Penfield Youth Basketball; Leadership Rochester; Founding Board of Trustee Member for Rochester Career Mentoring Charter School; Mind Body Soul of Rochester; Rochester Area Fencing Foundation; and on the advisory board of Bryant and Stratton Colleges Health Services Administration Program. In 2010, he was selected by the Rochester Business Journal as a Forty Under 40 award recipient. In 2009, he was appointed by former Mayor Robert Duffy to the Monroe County/Rochester Youth Council.

He received his Masters of Public Administration from State University of New York College Brockport and his Bachelors of Arts from North Carolina Central University in Durham, North Carolina. Rod's personal motto is that "True success lies not in the final destination, but the journey that one takes along the way". Rod is married to Stacey J. Green and has (4) children, Jaelyn, Roderick Jr., Nadia, Jackson and the family dog "Rocky".