



## Organizational Sustainability Resources

**Alliance for Non Profit Management**- the professional association of individuals and organizations devoted to improving the management and governance capacity of nonprofits - to assist nonprofits in fulfilling their mission.

<http://www.allianceonline.org/>

**Center for Non Profit Management** - Since 1979, the Center has fostered healthy neighborhoods and communities by improving the performance of nonprofit organizations addressing critical issues and serving underserved populations

<http://www.cnmsocal.org/>

**CompassPoint** - One of the oldest and largest management support organizations for nonprofit organizations in the country. They also provide the “Nonprofit Genie” which has links to many articles and resources for nonprofit organizations.

[www.compasspoint.org](http://www.compasspoint.org)

### **Governance Matters**

Governance Matters provides nonprofit leaders with the governance resources needed to strengthen their boards and serve New York's communities better.

<http://governancematters.org/>

**How to Start a Non Profit** - Written by Putnam Barber with many additional links to information helpful to startup organizations.

<http://www.nonprofit-info.org/npofaq/02/>

**IRS** - This is the information on filing for tax-exempt status through the IRS.

<http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/k1023.pdf> This is the 501(c)(3) form site.

[www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p557.pdf](http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p557.pdf)

NOLO – site for legal information; article on How to form a Nonprofit Corporation and links to related articles.

<http://www.nolo.com/lawcenter/ency/article.cfm/objectID/EA3D3043-9A88-43F5-8DC869639F0F6E77>

**NonProfit.Gov** - Government site links to states as well as the federal information and forms.

[www.nonprofit.gov](http://www.nonprofit.gov)

**The Foundation Center – Learning Lab** - Information on starting a nonprofit; this site also has extensive information on foundations/grants, etc.

[www.fdncenter.org/learn/faqs/html/starting\\_nonprofit.html](http://www.fdncenter.org/learn/faqs/html/starting_nonprofit.html)

**The Nonprofit Good Practice Guide** - Published through of Grand Valley State University contains extensive information in an easy to use system for nonprofits at any stage of development.

[www.nonprofitbasics.org](http://www.nonprofitbasics.org)