

Parent Lunch & Learn: How to Affect Policy Change for Illinois Citizens with Disabilities

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Parents/caregivers of children with special needs. Parents of students of *all* ages are welcome!



QUESTIONS?

If you have additional questions, please contact Laura Fine,
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Join us for our 2017-2018 Parent Education series focusing on preparing families of children with special needs with information, best practices and networking opportunities to help navigate the transition process.

NSSEO Central Office

799 West Kensington, Mount Prospect

Tuesday, November 28, 2017 11:30am-1:30pm

11:30am-12:00pm Lunch and networking 12:00pm-1:30pm Presentation

Bring your lunch...eat and network!

Water and light snacks will be provided.

How to Affect Policy Change for Illinois Citizens with Disabilities will be presented by Deb Hamilton of IPADD (Illinois Parents of Adults with Developmental Disabilities, Unite!). Have you ever wondered how to be a better advocate for adults with developmental disabilities? Deb will show you how to lobby in a more objective fashion by using data and dollars to evaluate and motivate your state legislators. The 2017 Illinois Community Living Report, a project of IPADD, will be used to analyze the voting record of current state legislators. Discussion of Inclusion PAC, a political action committee with the aim of shaping Illinois policy as it relates to home and community living for Illinois citizens with disabilities with also be included.

Reservations required

Click <u>here</u> to register online or contact Michelle Riopel to reserve your place, email mriopel@nsseo.org or call 847-463-8133

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