

The Resource Center for Disability Advocates

The Resource Center for Disability Advocates offers free overview workshops or specific advocacy trainings pertinent to your needs. Consultants are available to train individuals, community groups and organizations who are interested in taking action and making a difference. Specific advocacy trainings are provided in the following areas:

- Strategic and Long Range Planning
- Establishing a 501(c)3 Non Profit Organization
- Coalition Building and Organizing for Change
- Fund Raising and Grant Writing 101
- Effective Organizational Management
- How to Work with the Media
- How to Become Your Own Best Advocate
- Legislative and State Budget Process

Take the first step and contact The Resource Center for Disability Advocates to attend a free overview workshop or to request a free training specific to your needs. Help make a difference in your life and others.



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TAKE ACTION: Advocating for People with Disabilities

*Free Training for
Disability Advocates*



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Become a Leader in Disability Advocacy

Are you a leader of an organization wanting to promote independent living, a person with a disability, a family member of someone with a disability, or an individual wanting to make a difference for people with disabilities?

Whether you want to change the world, your community, or take greater control of your own life, The Resource Center for Disability Advocates has the information and training you need to take action – and it's **free**.

Obtain Assistance Through the Resource Center

Through a grant from the PA Developmental Disabilities Council, we provide training, technical assistance and consulting to individuals and organizations in order to help them achieve their missions. Our expert guidance is designed to support all levels of advocates from organizations that have been serving people with disabilities for many years to individuals that want to make a difference but aren't sure how to get started.



Educate Yourself Through Advocacy Workshops

Whether you're trying to get started or want to learn how to make your voice be heard, The Resource Center for Disability Advocates is conducting overview workshops across the state of Pennsylvania that will educate you in the basic areas of advocacy. A top expert in the field of advocacy will provide you with the training and materials you need to start making a difference for those with disabilities.

Each overview workshop will cover four basic areas of advocacy:

- Putting an Action Plan Together
- Getting & Keeping Your Group Organized
- Networking – Getting a Louder Voice
- Deciding Which Advocacy Actions to Take

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Join Disability Advocates at the Free Overview Workshops:

January 23, 2006

Intermediate Unit # 25

200 Yale Avenue
Morton, PA 19070

February 6, 2006

Pa. Training & Technical Assistance Network

6340 Flank Drive, Suite 600
Harrisburg, PA 17112

February 13, 2006

Oxford Valley Mall

2300 E. Lincoln Hwy.
Langhorne, PA 19047

March 6, 2006

Three Rivers Center for Independent Living

900 Rebecca Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15221-2938

March 20, 2006

Altoona Railroader's Memorial Museum

1300 Ninth Ave.
Altoona, PA 16602

**All trainings are held 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For more information or to R.S.V.P. to a training session, please call John Tassone at (800) 323-6060. If you require reasonable accommodations, please give at least two weeks notice.*