

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS JUNE 27, 2025
NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE BY JULY 31, 2025



WHAT IS NEW JERSEY PARTNERS IN POLICYMAKING?

New Jersey Partners in Policymaking is a leadership development and advocacy education program for adults with developmental disabilities (over age 21) and family members of children and transition age youth available through collaboration between The New Jersey Council on Developmental Disabilities, The Boggs Center on Disability and Human Development, and Disability Rights New Jersey. The goal of this program is to prepare the next generation of disability advocates to work toward meaningful change in our state.

Through participation in in-person and virtual educational leadership development sessions and completion of on-line assignments, selected participants learn about best practices and important areas for advocacy from nationally-known experts. Upon completion of the program, participants will have developed the knowledge and skills needed to:

- Advocate for opportunities and supports that promote self-determination, independence, and inclusion in all aspects of community life
- Be members of advisory board and committees
- Work alongside policymakers and state agencies



MEETING DATES:*

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| • SEPTEMBER 12 & 13 - IN-PERSON | • JANUARY 9 & 10 - VIRTUAL |
| • OCTOBER 8 - VIRTUAL | • JANUARY 28 - VIRTUAL |
| • OCTOBER 24 & 25 - IN-PERSON | • FEBRUARY 20-21 - VIRTUAL |
| • NOVEMBER 5 - VIRTUAL | • MARCH 4 - VIRTUAL |
| • NOVEMBER 14 & 15 - VIRTUAL | • MARCH 20 & 21 - IN-PERSON |
| • DECEMBER 3 - VIRTUAL | • APRIL 22 - VIRTUAL |
| • DECEMBER 12 & 13 - IN-PERSON | • MAY 15 & 16 - IN-PERSON |

*For details about dates and times, click the application link to the right.

QUESTIONS & ASSISTANCE:



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