

NC Stakeholder Engagement Group “Elevator Pitch”

Who We Are:

- We are the only group in North Carolina who is made up of only individuals receiving services and their family members and no provider organizations with a potential for a conflict of interest.
- We are called “Stakeholders” because we are affected by the decisions the state makes about long term care.
- We are called “cross-disability” because we represent developmental disabilities, mental health, addictive diseases, individuals with physical disabilities, and family caregivers.
- Our members came from all areas of the state.

Why We Got Together:

- Initially, we met to develop a consensus about what we want from a long-term care system--the values, principles, needs, and outcomes important to us – and then to communicate that consensus to key decision makers.
- Currently, we are meeting to determine strategies and take action to make sure the “Outcomes and Expectations for Managed Long Term Services and Supports” we developed become realized in the system.

What The NC SEG Wants:

- We want a system that helps us be more independent—a system that:
 - 1) has no waiting lists;
 - 2) where individuals have jobs in integrated employment settings;
 - 3) that individuals live inclusively in their communities;
 - 4) that people with disabilities have the ability to develop assets, and;
 - 5) that the system is accountable for meaningful outcomes.
- These outcomes, as well as the systems expectations necessary to make them a reality, are outlined in our “Outcomes & Expectations” Report.

How Other Groups/Organizations Can Help:

- We are asking organizations to endorse our report!
- Having a large network of support and with established and respected groups or organizations will increase the impact the “Outcomes & Expectations” Report can have.

How Can Your Group Endorse The Outcomes & Expectations Report?

- It’s easy! Once your group has discussed and formally agreed, email info@ncseg.com. Please provide a contact name, title, organization name, phone number, and email address. Your organization’s name will be added to our endorsement list!

Where Can I Learn More?

- Visit our website, www.ncseg.com. You can find meeting materials, the “Outcome & Expectations” Report, and a list of upcoming events that might be of interest to you.
- Join our email list! You can join our email list by filling out the form on the front page of our website.