



YOU ARE IN CHARGE

WHO DO YOU WANT TO ATTEND YOUR INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT PLANNING (ISP) MEETING BESIDES YOU AND YOUR CASE MANAGER?

If you are receiving services from the Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) your Case Manager will meet with you at least once a year to develop a plan of support

Your Case Manager will ask you who to invite to the meeting:

- If you have a guardian, you will want to make sure your guardian is invited!
- If you have one or more providers of residential, employment, Medicaid Personal Care or other services you may want that person in the meeting.
 - You may want to consider having your provider(s) only be at the part of the meeting that is about the supports they provide, or
 - You may want them to know more about all your needs, and have them stay for the whole meeting.
- If there is an advocate whom you trust and want at the meeting, you can invite that person to attend.

Remember YOU are in charge, YOU say who is invited. If you are uncomfortable with any person, then tell your Case Manager that you do not want that person invited.

Some reasons TO invite a person are:

- The person is your guardian and helps make decisions for you.
- The person provides support or personal care for you. This includes assistance in your home, at your job or in the community.
- You have confidence that this person can help you make decisions you need to make.

Some reasons NOT TO invite a person are:

- You want to talk about the supports you are receiving from that person and you are unhappy about them.
- You do not want the person to know every little thing about you.
- You want to maintain your privacy.
- You would rather they get information in a written form than being at the meeting.

REMEMBER YOU DECIDE WHO IS IN THE ROOM.
YOUR CASE MANAGER CAN ADVISE YOU, BUT IT IS YOUR DECISION AND YOUR GUARDIAN'S (IF YOU HAVE ONE)!

Call your Case Manager if you have any questions!