

Division of Developmental Disabilities

Do you have a passion for protecting the rights of people with developmental disabilities?

Do you want to advocate for members of the Division of Developmental Disabilities?

Consider volunteering for a Independent Oversight Committee (IOC). IOCs make sure DDD members' rights are supported.

Committee members have a wide range of backgrounds.

Committee members can be DDD members or their families, advocates, professionals, or other community members committed to the rights of the people served by DDD.

Committees are located across the state and typically meet monthly. During the meeting, they:

- Review incidents that may have involved neglect, abuse or denial of rights of members receiving services.
- Review behavior programs.
- Review proposed research involving members.
- Make recommendations to DDD about changes needed to protect members' rights.

To learn more, please contact DDD at

1-844-770-9500



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