





ANCHORAGE – Disability Justice Focus Monday, October 29

Time: 9:00-4:00pm (lunch included)
Location: NeighborWorks Alaska

2515 A Street, Anchorage 1st floor Conference Room

Cost: Free!

ANCHORAGE – Trust Beneficiary Focus **Tuesday, October 30**

Time: 9:00-4:00pm (lunch included)

Location: Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority

3745 Community Park Loop, Anchorage

Downstairs Conference Room

Cost: Free!

These free one-day trainings offer tools and hands-on practice for advocating for policy and funding decisions that affect Trust beneficiaries (people with mental illness, substance use disorders, intellectual/developmental disabilities, Alzheimer's disease and related dementia, traumatic brain injury, fetal alcohol spectrum disorders). Who is this training for? Peers and people with lived experience, family members, providers of services, administrators, and others, interested in advocating for vulnerable Alaskans.

- Tools for successful meetings with policymakers (legislators, assembly/council members, school boards).
- Tips for speaking on a public panel or testifying before a public committee.
- Refining your personal story.
- Updates on current public policy and funding issues affecting Trust beneficiaries.
- Tips for advocacy from home.
- Opportunities for advocacy.

To register, contact:

907-465-4765, or by email:

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Please register in advance. Thank you!

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