

# Adult Day Training (ADT) Redesign Stakeholder Meeting

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#### Welcome and Introductions

- Rie Kennedy-Lizotte, NASDDDS
- Kaleema Muhammad, APD
- Liesl V. Ramos, APD

#### Influences for Change

#### Kaleema Muhammad

- Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990
- Employment First Movement
- Medicaid Home and Community-Based Services
   Final Regulation 2014
- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act 2014

#### Influences for Change, cont.

- Changing expectations of individuals and families
- Proposed Federal Legislation to eliminate section 14(c) of Fair Labor Standards Act (subminimum wage option)

## Brief Summary from meetings on 5/23/19 and 6/25/19

Liesl V. Ramos

- Challenges include:
  - ✓ Funding structure
  - ✓ Coordination between schools, VR and APD
  - ✓ Identification of "employment" as a goal
  - ✓ Finding employers willing to hire individuals with intellectual and developmental disailities

### Brief Summary from meetings on 5/23/19 and 6/25/19, cont.

- Challenges include:
  - ✓ Partnering with post-secondary programs
  - ✓ Low expectations
  - ✓ Data sharing between APD and VR
  - ✓ Transportation to and from work
  - ✓ Natural supports within the workplace

## Brief Summary from meetings on 5/23/19 and 6/25/19, cont.

- Challenges include:
  - ✓ Lack of flexibility and creativity in service delivery
  - ✓ Better definition of ADT's role in the consumer's employment goals
  - ✓ Difficult for ADTs to support community-based meaningful day activities

#### Role of the WSC in the ADT



### Redesign

Rie Kennedy-Lizotte



Facilitated discussion

Finding the balance between individual choice and public duty...

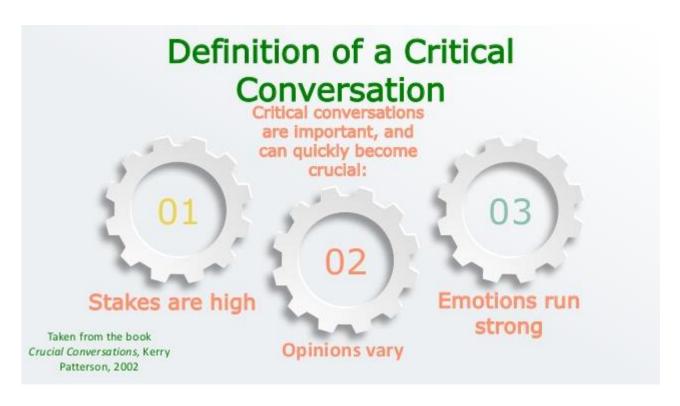
Choices, Chances, Changes, Empowerment Service Planning and Implementation



- ✓ Person Centered Thinking and Planning
- ✓ Health and Safety
- ✓ Rights and Responsibilities
- ✓ Informed Decisions
- ✓ Dignity of Choice and Risk
- ✓ Important "To" and "For"
- ✓ Guiding Service Decisions



Informed Choice about Employment



**Guided Conversations** 

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Not Working – Doubtful

#### Question:

Tell me about something you would like to be doing but currently aren't.

#### Action:

Make a connection between the person's desires, dreams and work.

Guided Conversations
Path Not Working – Interested

Question:

What worries you about working?

Action:

Sue was worried about that but is working now.

Want to talk to her?

**Guided Conversations** 

Working – Wants a Change

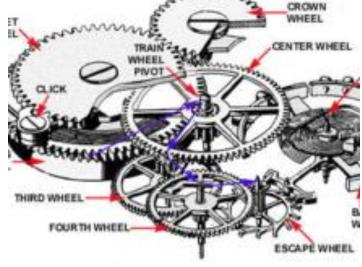
#### Question:

What kind of help do you need to develop new or different work skills?

#### Action:

Link to: additional job training, certifications, or classes for career advancement

NOTHING STANDS ALONE



**EVERYTHING IMPACTS SOMETHING** 



#### Next Steps



- ✓ Develop a plan to implement an ADT redesign
- ✓ Continue collaboration with stakeholders
- ✓ Continue collecting data
- ✓ Engage possible employers
- ✓ Data sharing interagency agreement
- ✓ Work with AHCA to align the iBudget waiver and handbook with CMS rules and requirements

#### Adjourn

Next meeting: Thursday, September 5, 2019

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Thank you!