Goals for the Summit

....... & Beyond

1. Have legislators, state agencies, and other stakeholders understand the need for respite care funding for caregivers.

2. Educate employers about the growing number of working caregivers, and how we can support both the employee and employer.

3. Develop alternative ways to provide respite outside of the voucher system we currently use, i.e. co-ops, volunteer training, respite sharing.

4. Discuss ways to sustain the respite voucher system.

RESPITE SUMMIT 2015

MAY 27, 2015
8:30 AM—4:00 PM
OUTLOOK AT DUNCAN CENTER

Division of Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities
Agenda

8:30-9:00 AM ................................Coffee/networking
9:00-9:10 AM ..........Kenan Sklenar, Easter Seals CEO
9:10-9:20 AM ..................Lisa Bond, DSAAPD
9:20-9:30 AM ............Nancy Ranalli, Easter Seals/ DLRCN
9:30-10:15 AM ................Caregiver stories
Hear the experiences of three caregivers from across the lifespan
10:15-10:30 AM ....................................Break
10:30-11:00 AM ......National respite perspective
Jill Kagan, Program Director, ARCH National Respite

11:00-11:45 AM .........................Breakout I
Workgroups will discuss what respite exists; what works; barriers to respite and the "ideal" respite system
11:45-12:30 PM .........................Report back
Workgroups summarize discussions and report to the larger group

12:30-1:30 PM .........................Lunch - provided

1:30-2:00 PM ......................Local respite perspective
Lisa Bond, Deputy Director, DSAAPD

2:00-3:00 PM .........................Breakout II
Workgroups will discuss other partners needed; other models/services needed; possible funding and how to get to "ideal"

3:00-3:45 PM .........................Report back
Workgroups summarize discussions and report to the larger group

3:45-4:00 PM ............Questions/next steps/wrap up