

Your Voice Can Make a Difference

The "Building Accessible Justice in Virginia" initiative, a groundbreaking collaboration among the disAbility Law Center of Virginia, the Virginia Sexual and Domestic Violence Action Alliance, and the Department of Criminal Justice Services' Victims Services Team, embarks on a comprehensive needs assessment to illuminate the experiences and challenges faced by survivors of sexual violence with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD).

We are focusing on identifying the unique needs of survivors of sexual violence with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD receiving services in Virginia. As part of this effort, we are planning to hold Focus Groups comprised of approximately 8 to 10 participants.

Please join us in the Focus Group.

We would like to hear about your experiences and opinions regarding the process of receiving services through questions and discussions...

Who Can Participate: Open to the public/ to everyone who is a participant at Norfolk, Endependence Center, Inc.

Where: Endependence Center, Inc.
6300 E Virginia Beach Blvd
Norfolk, VA 23502

Dates: Wednesday, September 4, 2024

Time: 10:00am-12:00noon

Information on how to RSVP or ask for accommodations is attached.

This small focus group has limited space; please reserve your seat now.

Please remember participation is strictly voluntary.
As a thank you, each participant will receive a gift card.

Receipt of Gift Cards: You will receive your gift card during check-in
at the Focus Group session

Focus Group RAVP

RSVP and Accommodations Form for Focus Group/Individual Interviews

Please complete this form with the person who agrees to attend a Focus Group or participate in an individual interview. All information you provide is confidential and will be destroyed after the group session.

Please let us know how we can make the session accessible for you.

Agency representing: Norfolk, Endependence Center, Inc.

My First Name is _____

The First Letter of my Last name: _____

Please check all of the following that apply:

- I am participating in a Focus Group/ interview on: _____
- I am participating in a Focus Group/ interview on: _____

Location:

Would you like a follow-up to remind you? If yes, please pick the method:

- Phone Call
- Email
- Text
- Mail
- All of these

Here is my information to do that:

Phone Number: _____

It is safe to leave a message at that phone number:

- Yes
- No

Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

To attend, I need the following accommodations:

- American Sign Language (ASL) interpreter
- Other language interpreter (Please specify language: _____)

Please specify:

- Other accommodation needs? [Specifically, ask about chemical/scent allergy]

Please specify:

Thank you for providing this information. We look forward to your participation!

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