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Help Shape Training to Support Older Workers with IDD

Your voice matters!

Aging issues can impact various life activities, including work. Leslie Quarles with Employment First MO is seeking input on the training design for service providers (and eventually TCMs also) that will provide strategies to support older workers in maintaining employment and full participation in the community.

Your experience and insight are vital to making this training relevant, effective, and meaningful. What are the most important things to consider when supporting aging individuals in the workplace? What strategies truly make a difference?

This is your chance to help shape a resource that will empower both professionals and the people they support.

Join the discussion and be part of the solution!

We are holding sessions targeted to both professionals and most importantly, people with lived experience. Please register for one of the sessions below.

Together, we can ensure older workers with IDD continue to thrive at work and in the community. Thank you for your passion and commitment to inclusive employment!

Self Advocates Input Session – Choose one date/time below.

Wednesday, July 16 at 1pm: [Register here](#)

Thursday, July 17 at 6pm: [Register here](#)

Self Advocates / persons with lived experience are invited to share input regarding proposed training for employment services providers that addresses how to support older workers.

Service Providers and SC/TCM Input Session – Choose one date / time below:

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