

# Parents and Caregivers Who Need Help Navigating Through the Public Mental Health System

Thursday, March 26, 2015

10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

**CLS Auditorium**



Community Living Services is offering training and education to parents and caregivers who want to become Parent Mentors/Family Support Specialists. The Parent Mentor/Family Support Specialist will assist parents and caregivers in bridging gaps within the mental health system. Please join us for two information sessions as we discuss important issues facing parents and caregivers who have children/adults with disabilities. Discussion topics include: Understanding the Individualized Education Plan and the Person-Centered Plan, How the New Autism Benefit Works, Transitioning from School to Work, Employment for Adults with Disabilities, How to Keep Benefits and Entitlements, and Information on Peer Mentoring and the Culture of Gentleness. Also, learn how to become trained as a certified Parent Mentor/Family Support Specialist.

**RSVP by Monday, March 23, 2015.**

**Please click here to register.**

Please put Family Support Specialist RSVP in the subject line.

**Refreshments will be served.**

Who should attend? Parents or siblings of children with disabilities (any age), adults with disabilities, Supports Coordinators, Case Managers, Teachers, School Transition Counselors, Administrators and Human Services professionals.

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