

Public Comment Sought on Council's FFY 2024 Action Plan

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During the April 2023 quarterly meeting, the Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council (Council) adopted its <u>Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2024 Action Plan</u> which will begin on October 1, 2023. New initiatives in the Council's Action Plan include:

- Support and technical assistance to educate and train individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities on voting awareness, rights, and accessibility,
- Support for training to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities on how to navigate the Developmental Disability, Behavioral Health, and Medicaid/Managed Care Organization Systems, and
- Support to build capacity for advocacy regarding education and employment.

The plan also includes funding to continue training and/or technical assistance initiatives for the Youth Leadership Forum (YLF), first responder training, emergency preparedness and response, and systems change advocacy.

Comments on the FFY 2024 Action Plan may be sent to Stephanie Carmona at Stephanie.Carmona@la.gov and will be received until **June 9, 2023**. Comments submitted before the deadline will be reviewed and addressed by the Council's Executive Committee during the July 2023 quarterly business meetings.

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