

**PRELIMINARY Schedule**

NASDDDS 2018 Directors Forum & Mid-Year Conference – Columbus, Ohio

<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 6</b>  <b>DIRECTORS FORUM</b>	<b>REGISTRATION</b>	7:30 AM – 4:30 PM
	<b>CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST</b>	7:30 AM – 8:30 AM
	<b>DIRECTORS FORUM</b> (NASDDDS members only)	8:30 AM – 4:30 PM
<b>THURSDAY JUNE 7</b>  <b>MID-YEAR CONFERENCE</b>	<b>REGISTRATION</b>	7:30 AM – 5:00 PM
	<b>CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST</b>	7:30 AM – 8:30 AM
	<b>WELCOME</b> Mary Lee Fay NASDDDS Executive Director  Bernard Simons NASDDDS Board President	8:30 AM – 8:45 AM
	<b>OPENING PLENARY PANEL</b>  TOPIC: <b>TECHNOLOGY</b>  John Martin Director Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities  Marc Tasseo Ohio State University Nisonger Center  Kyle Corbin Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities	8:45 AM – 9:45 AM
	<b>PLENARY PANEL</b>  TOPIC: <b>TECHNOLOGY AND ITS SYSTEMS</b>  Emily Shea Tanis Ph.D. Associate Director, Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities  Evelyn Perez Assistant Secretary, Washington DD Services Administration	9:45 AM – 10:30 AM
	<b>MORNING BREAK</b>	10:30 AM – 10:45 AM

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<p><b>PLENARY PANEL</b></p> <p>TOPIC: <b>BUILDING CAPACITY WITHIN STATE I/DD SYSTEMS</b></p> <p><b>John Martin</b> Director, Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities</p> <p><b>Lee Grossman, MPA</b> Developmental Disabilities Section, Behavioral Health Division Wyoming Department of Health</p> <p><b>TBD</b> New York Office for People With Developmental Disabilities</p>	<p>10:45 AM – 12:00 PM</p>
<p><b>LUNCHEON</b></p>	
<p><b>PLENARY PANEL</b></p> <p>TOPIC: <b>BUILDING CAPACITY WITHIN SELF-DIRECTION PROGRAMS AND PROVIDER NETWORKS</b></p> <p><b>Mollie Murphy</b> Applied Self-Direction</p> <p><b>Sherri Wince</b> Arizona Division of Developmental Disabilities</p>	<p>12:00 PM – 1:00 PM</p> <p>1:00 PM – 2:00 PM</p>
<p><b>PLENARY PANEL</b></p> <p>TOPIC: <b>ADDRESSING THE DSP WORKFORCE CHALLENGE</b></p> <p><b>Mary Lou Bourne</b> NASDDDS</p> <p><b>Amy Hewitt</b> University of Minnesota</p> <p><b>Stephen MacDonald</b> Impact Coalition Coordinator, Lucas County Family Council</p>	<p>2:00 PM – 3:00 PM</p>
<p><b>AFTERNOON BREAK</b></p>	
<p><b>PLENARY PANEL</b></p> <p>TOPIC: <b>BUILDING COMMUNITY CAPACITY – WHAT IT TAKES FROM THE PROVIDER PERSPECTIVE</b></p> <p><b>Dan Lusk</b> Bethesda Lutheran Communities, Inc.</p> <p><b>Becky Hansen</b> Bethesda Lutheran Communities, Inc.</p> <p><b>Beverly Buscemi, Ph.D.</b> Community Options, Inc.</p>	<p>3:00 PM – 3:15 PM</p> <p>3:15 PM – 4:15 PM</p>

<b>THURSDAY JUNE 7</b>  <b>MID-YEAR CONFERENCE</b> continues...	<b>PLENARY PANEL</b> TOPIC: <b>BUSINESS ACUMEN</b>  <b>Laura Vegas</b> NASDDDS  <b>TBD</b> Representatives from New York, New Hampshire, and Missouri	4:15 PM – 5:00 PM
	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b> (with exhibitors) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complementary hor d'Oeuvres</li> <li>• Open to all registered attendees</li> </ul>	5:00 PM – 6:30 PM
<b>FRIDAY JUNE 8</b>  <b>MID-YEAR CONFERENCE</b>	<b>REGISTRATION</b>	7:30 AM – 11:00 AM
	<b>CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST</b>	7:30 AM – 8:30 AM
	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS</b> TOPIC: <b>BUILDING EMPLOYMENT CAPACITY</b>  <b>Cess Coulson</b> Executive Director, WISE	8:30 AM – 9:30 AM
	<b>PLENARY PRESENTATION</b> TOPIC: <b>BUILDING CAPACITY FOR EMPLOYMENT – A MODEL OF SUPPORT AND MEASURING IMPLEMENTATION</b>  <b>John Butterworth, Ph.D.</b> Institute for Community Inclusion, UMass Boston  <b>Cindy Thomas</b> Institute for Community Inclusion, UMass Boston  <b>Alberto Migliore</b> Institute for Community Inclusion, UMass Boston	9:30 AM – 10:30 AM
	<b>CHECK OUT &amp; COFFEE / TEA BREAK</b>	10:30 AM – 11:00 AM
	<b>PLENARY PRESENTATION</b> TOPIC: <b>BUILDING CAPACITY, WORKING TOGETHER AS A TEAM – THE RHODE ISLAND EXPERIENCE</b>  <b>Kerri Zanchi</b> Director, Division of Developmental Disabilities Rhode Island DBHDDH  <b>Donna Martin</b> Executive Director, Community Provider Network of Rhode Island  <b>TBD</b> Rhode Island Provider	11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
	<b>CONFERENCE WRAP UP &amp; CONCLUSION</b>	12:00 PM – 12:15 PM