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Rhode Island's 15th Annual Statewide Self-Advocacy Conference
Thursday, October 28th, 2010, The Crowne Plaza Hotel in Warwick

PRESENTER PROPOSAL FORM

Rhode Island's 2010 Self-Advocacy conference is all about respect. We are NOT just talking about changing the negative words that people use to label others. We want to change attitudes, too. One of the best ways to do this is to share stories of individual success. Who has a personal accomplishment that they're proud of to share? What things have people done to help make a difference in their community? Self-Advocacy means speaking up! How can Self-Advocates in our state speak up and teach others about respect? Remember: we all have more things in common than we realize and

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

We are looking for presentations that help talk about this message. If you have something to share, complete this form and return is no later than **Thursday, September 30th, 2010**. Workshops should be presented in simple, easy to understand, people-first language. We welcome all presenters, but ask that a Self-Advocate be on each presentation team.

We will notify presenters about whether their proposal is selected by **October 7th**. If you are selected to present, and you would like to attend the full conference day, you are welcome to request the reduced registration rate of \$25 on page 2 of this form.

Questions? Phone: 401-785-2028  **Email: aina@advocatesinaction.org**

NAME OF YOUR PRESENTATION:

DESCRIPTION: *What is your presentation about? What do you do? What will people learn?*

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR YOUR PRESENTATION:

CONTACT PERSON: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

EMAIL: _____

PLEASE NOTE: *Workshop Space is limited, but your presentation is important!*

- Check here if you're willing to present on a panel with others about a similar topic.

NAME OF YOUR PRESENTATION: *(from page 1)*

WHO IS PRESENTING? *(list names of all the presenters below)*



WHEN CAN YOU PRESENT? *(check all the times that you are able to present)*

Morning Workshop: (11:00am - 12:00 noon)

Afternoon Workshop (2:00pm - 3:00pm)

Display table for the Resource Fair (3:15pm - 4:30pm) - space is limited! If you are selling items, the fee is: **\$5 for individuals**, **\$10 for Self-Advocacy Groups** **\$25 for businesses**
Please include your check payable to "Advocates in Action" with this form

PRESENTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Presenters who also plan to attend the conference must register/pay the registration fee.

If any of the presenters need the reduced rate (\$25) registration fee let us know.

I will register for the entire conference. *(You need to complete a Registration Form)*

The following presenters are requesting the reduced rate (\$25) registration fee if our proposal is selected: _____

I would like to present, but will not be attending the rest of the conference.

AV EQUIPMENT AND INFORMATION:

List the type (if any) of AV material will you be presenting (ie: video on DVD or VHS, Powerpoint, etc):

What AV equipment will you need*?

TV/VCR LCD Projector Screen CD Player

Other: _____

** We will try to provide the equipment you need, but cannot guarantee it.*

Check here if you can bring your own equipment *(and THANK YOU!)*



Presenter Proposals are due on Thursday, September 30th

Mail completed forms to:

**Advocates in Action
Box 41528, Providence, RI 02940**

