



At Disability Rights Nebraska, we are committed to inclusivity and meaningful engagement of people with disabilities. Our strategic plan for Fiscal Years 2024-2028 sharpens our emphasis on three focus areas: Freedom from Harm, Most Inclusive Settings, and Engaging People with Disabilities in Advocacy.

We strive to involve people with disabilities in all aspects of our work, whether as participants, trainers, or personal experts in their life experiences. We challenge other organizations and policy-setting groups to similarly engage people with disabilities in meaningful roles.

We value your input on our focus areas for the Fiscal Year 2027. Please take a few minutes to complete our survey by August 7, 2026. Your feedback is essential to us.

For assistance or to request the survey in an alternative format, please contact our office at 800-422-6691.

Thank you for your time and contributions!

PROPOSED PRIORITIES, GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FY 2027

FOCUS AREA – FREEDOM FROM HARM

Goal 1A: Identify, monitor and advocate for change in places where people with disabilities learn, live and work.

1A.1: Maintain a regular presence at the Beatrice State Developmental Center (BSDC), including documentation available to us.

1A.2: Maintain a regular presence at the Lincoln Regional Center (LRC) at least twice a month.

1A.3: Monitor at least 20 settings where people with disabilities are segregated, isolated, and congregated.

1A.4: Implement the Protection and Advocacy for Beneficiaries of the Representative Payee Program.

Goal 1A: Not Important Important Very Important

Comments:

FOCUS AREA - ENGAGING PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES IN ADVOCACY

Goal 3A: Provide opportunities for people with disabilities to learn about being effective advocates and support them in advocating about things that impact their lives.

3A.1: Provide two opportunities for people with disabilities to become engaged in disability-related public policy research, education, and advocacy.

3A.2: Continue to educate and raise awareness regarding Supported Decision-Making in Nebraska.

3A.3: Conduct outreach and inform at least 700 people with disabilities about their voting rights.

Goal 3A: Not Important Important Very Important
Comments:

Tell us about yourself:	<input type="checkbox"/> Person with a disability <input type="checkbox"/> Family Member <input type="checkbox"/> Advocate	<input type="checkbox"/> Service Provider <input type="checkbox"/> Professional <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please explain)
Ethnicities	<input type="checkbox"/> Ethnicity Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Not Selected
Races	<input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black / African American <input type="checkbox"/> India Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Race Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Two or more races <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please explain)
Do you live in an Urban or Rural area?	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban (Omaha, Lincoln, Bellevue, Grand Island)	<input type="checkbox"/> Rural (All other Nebraska cities) <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

Any additional comments: