



HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES LECTURE SERIES?

For over 25 years, The Boggs Center has presented its free Developmental Disabilities Lecture Series (DDLS) to New Jersey professionals, family members, and self-advocates. Each fall and spring, nationally known leaders in the field of disabilities come to Woodbridge and Mt. Laurel to speak about a wide range of issues that affect the lives of people with disabilities and their families.

Here are what families and self-advocates have to say about the DDLS:

"As the parent of a 35 year old son with developmental disabilities, I cannot overstate how much the DD Lecture Series sponsored by The Boggs Center has meant to our family. I have always believed in greater possibilities for my son and have worked hard to help him have a full, inclusive life because I know that a full life is what makes him happiest. The Lecture Series, which I have attended for at least a decade, has opened my mind to what "greater possibilities" exist for my son. The speakers at the Series have introduced me to these possibilities, which enable me to be a better advocate for my son and others like him. I can't urge you strongly enough to take advantage of these free, cutting-edge trainings."
– Elaine B.

"The DD Lecture Series gets the word out so that people learn about topics that interest them and about what is important to people with disabilities and families. It would be good to have more family members and self-advocates come to the DDLS so that they can be out there, hear what's being said, and ask questions." – Barbara C.

"As the parent of a young woman with developmental disabilities I have attended many of the DD Lectures over the years. Whether the subject was social capital, housing, behavior, employment or a host of other subjects, I have never failed to come away from the lecture with information on or insight into some aspect of the life I was trying to build for my daughter."
– Gail F.

For more information and to register for the DDLS, please go The Boggs Center's website <http://rwjms.umdj.edu/boggscenter/>. If you have questions about registration, contact Carole Ramirez at carole.ramirez@umdj.edu or (732) 235-9307.

If you are unable to attend a lecture that is of particular interest to you, CDs are available. Please contact Ziba Arjmand at ziba.arjmand@umdj.edu or (732) 235-9315 for ordering information.

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