

Common Threads Network

A Culture of Coordinated Supports: An Introduction to Supported Decision-Making

All families are welcome!

Wednesday, March 8, 2017

9:00 a.m. -12:00 noon

Panel Discussion starting at 11:00

**Crossroads Church - Mason
990 Reading Road
Mason, OH 45040**

Featuring

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As we chart a life course, the planning and exploration lead to points of action. In a “culture of coordinated supports” people of all abilities, and those with or without guardians are *supported to “exercise the right to make choices”*.

The “support” in supported decision-making means:

- Having options shared in a way you understand/prefer
- Listening to the voice of the person whose life is affected
- Having trusted people around you to do both

If you are supporting someone with a developmental disability, join us to learn more from this nationally known resource. We hope this session will challenge your thinking about guardianship options, broaden your knowledge base, and sharpen the edge on your advocacy tools!

Register online <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CTN3-8-2017>

**Families (only) can also register by phone at (513) 785-4683
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