



Ontario Independent Facilitation Network Fall 2014 Forum

From Promises to Possibilities - Staying the Course



Monday, November 3, 2014

9am to 4:30pm

at

Quality Hotel & Conference Centre

1011 Bloor St. E., Oshawa, ON L1H 7K6

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Since the announcement made by the Ministry of Community and Social Services of the availability of new dollars within the Developmental Services sector, there has been a flurry of activity throughout the province and it's difficult to keep up with all that is currently happening or being proposed. There is real value in knowing and understanding the small and large pieces of work being done; having a sense of the big picture helps us all stay the course in offering this work in the most person-directed, value based ways during this time of moving from promises to possibilities.

Our Fall Forum offers a full day of opportunities to listen, to learn and to share.

Topics will include:

- Provincial Updates – including innovative projects/proposals and creative ideas that are percolating within the province currently.
- Best Practices for Enhancing Local Facilitation Networks
- Passport Funding – The Need for Thoughtful Facilitation and Planning.
- OIFN New Website Launch

We would like to invite communities to participate in the Provincial Update, sharing what's happening in your local community. (Each update is no more than 3 minutes)

Overnight Accommodations at the hotel: \$99.00/per night. Please identify yourself as part of the Ontario Independent Facilitation Network Forum to get this special rate. This special rate will only be available until October 27th, 2014.

The hotel is 6.5km away from the VIA (GO) Station and 10km away from the Oshawa Mall and restaurants.

Registration Fee: (includes lunch and breaks)

- Self-Advocates, Families and Independent Facilitators registration fee is \$52 per person.
- Organization registration fee is \$75 per person. Three or more people from an organization – Group Rate of \$60 per person.

Bursaries are available; please do not hesitate to inquire about them. Please direct your registration and any inquiries to Rhonda Alcott at ralcott@dafns.com or 1 800-500-2850 ext. 2301.

Please register no later than October 30, 2014!

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