

The Disability Rights Wisconsin PAIMI Advisory Council Invites you to a Virtual Event:



**DRW's Mental Health Advocacy Assistance:
Information & Listening Session
Thursday, August 19, 2021 • 5 – 6 PM**

- Learn about DRW's mental health advocacy assistance and systemic work.
- Share your ideas on the supports you think are most important for people with mental health needs to support their recovery and live successfully in the community.
- Provide your suggested priorities for DRW's mental health advocacy.
- **The session is being offered as part of the 2021 Peer Recovery Conference. It is open to conference participants and others.**

Pre-registration is required. Click here to register:

<https://drwi-org.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvc-GopjMIGNeF6t5oqegq9j0qx1bWNTUK>

Accommodation Requests: Captioning will be provided for this Zoom event. To request other disability related accommodations, email barbara.beckert@drwi.org by **August 9th**. We will do our best to address requests received after that date.

**If you are interested but can't attend, complete our survey:
[DRW PAIMI Priorities survey - Disability Rights Wisconsin](#)**

Agenda:

- **Welcome, Teresa Wargo** - DRW PAIMI Advisory Council Chair
- **DRW PAIMI Advocacy Assistance and Systemic Work:** Ellie Jarvie, Advocacy Specialist
- **Discussion:** share your questions and suggestions, facilitated by the DRW PAIMI Advisory Council

About the DRW PAIMI Advisory Council

Disability Rights Wisconsin (DRW) is the Protection and Advocacy organization for Wisconsinites with disabilities. Our PAIMI program (Protection and Advocacy for Individuals with Mental Illness) works to protect the human and civil rights of children and adults with serious mental health conditions. This work is supported by a PAIMI Advisory Council.

The Council helps staff and board of directors of DRW set priorities for the PAIMI program and advises the board on policies and issues that affect people with mental illness. The Council also serves as a liaison to the communities its members represent.

DRW PAIMI Advisory Council Members (March 2021)	
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