

*Leading Together:*  
Convening of Family-Led and Family-Supporting Organizations

**Families as Partners with Professionals in Decision Making:  
Honoring Cultural Differences**

**April 20, 2016**  
**9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**  
**Country Springs Conference Center**

**Agenda**

9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Registration and Networking
10:00 – 10:45 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions <i>Susan Latton &amp; Daniel Parker</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Invitation to share one outcome of family leadership and engagement</li></ul>
10:45 – 10:55 a.m.	Leading Together Vision & 2015/16 Highlights <i>Barbara Katz</i>
10:55 – 11:05 a.m.	Cultural Diversity Workgroup <i>Lynn Hrabik and Martin Salas</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Next Steps</li></ul>
11:05 – 11:15 a.m.	Family Leadership Resource Mapping Workgroup <i>Molly McGregor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Resource Survey Highlights</li><li>• Next steps</li></ul>
11:15 – 11:30 a.m.	Member Connect: Highlights of Family Leadership Resources Facilitator: <i>Molly McGregor</i>
11:30 – 11:40 a.m.	Break
11:40 – 12:25 p.m.	Keynote: Families as Partners with Professionals in Decision Making: Honoring Cultural Differences-Building Leadership <i>Barbara Stroud, Ph.D.</i>
12:25 – 1:10 p.m.	Lunch
1:10 – 1:55 p.m.	Family Panel Facilitation: <i>Barbara Katz and Barbara Stroud</i> Panelists: <i>Pat Erving, Joann Stephens, Luisana Waukau</i>
1:55 – 2:10 p.m.	Member Connect: Highlights of Cultural Assessment Facilitator: <i>Susan Latton</i>

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2:10 – 3:25 p.m.	<p>Introduction of World Café Facilitator: <i>Barbara Katz</i> 3 x 20 minute small groups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In the first rotation family members and family member/staff may convene separately</li><li>• The next two rotations are mixed</li></ul> <p>Question for Rotation 1 &amp; 2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. What barriers do you face when organizations/programs engage diverse family leaders in their programs?</li></ol> <p>Question for Rotation 3</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>2. What has worked well to support diverse family leaders as partners in your organization or program?</li></ol>
3:25 – 3:35 p.m.	<p>In room break with physical activity</p>
3:35 – 4:15 p.m.	<p>Report Out Facilitator: <i>Barbara Katz</i></p>
4:15 – 4:30 p.m.	<p>Closing Circle Facilitator: <i>Robin Mathea</i></p>