



## **CLEARBROOK'S HOME-BASED SUPPORT SERVICES WORKGROUP BECOME A MEMBER -- JOIN TODAY!**

### **What is it?**

This Workgroup is an online network where members have an opportunity to stay informed about current issues relevant to the Home-Based Support Services Program (HBSSP), connect with other professionals involved in the HBSSP, take advantage of training opportunities in the form of webinars, and have access to a comprehensive resource directory. The workgroup originated from the need for more peer mentoring and support and has grown to include over 500 professionals and is represented by over 60 agencies in Illinois.

### **Why you should join TODAY!**

It is a great opportunity to keep abreast of current happenings in the field of developmental disabilities, especially as it relates to the Home-Based Support Services Program, post questions, ask for resources, and learn about training opportunities.

The Workgroup has offered **Webinars** on a variety of different topics and based on feedback from current members (i.e., Understanding Benefits, What Exactly is Rule 51?, What You Need to Know as a Mandated Reporter, Future Planning, Special Education, Autism, Sexuality & Disabilities, History of the HBSSP, Case Managing a Child's Life: A Parents Perspective, and many more).

Additionally, a comprehensive **Resource Directory** has been created and will only be available to member's who have subscribed to the group.

### **Membership**

Annual membership includes:

- **Updated information on the HBSSP and other relevant programs/services**
- **Opportunity to exchange information with other professionals throughout Illinois**
- **Informational webinars**
- **Access to the Resource Directory**

### **Annual Membership Rates**

Individual - \$25

Agency - \$100

### **How to join**

Complete the attached membership form and mail to the address below:

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