# Community Advisory Committee Meeting October 18, 2017Evaluation

## What did you like about today's meeting?

* I talk more today than other time because I felt more comfortable
* Setting – lunch…
* Organization effective
* The flow of the mtg was good
* Appreciated the voices of the CAC members – hearing perspectives and experiences
* Alan C-L’s facilitation and keeping us on track
* The work session felt like a good use of time. It also felt like we were coming together around a common purpose than our individual work or areas of focus
* The structure of the agenda and venue lent to great discussions
* Well run
* On time
* People spoke up and contributed
* I learned a lot of information and was challenged to think about things in new ways. Hearing others viewpoints and experiences was beneficial
* I think the meeting went well
* Great discussions and generation of ideas
* Helped me gain a better understanding of the activities CCIDS is involved in
* Hearing from community and family members was helpful
* Location
* Whole group discussion was interesting and relevant
* Great to hear so many different perspectives and experiences!
* Small group was also good and seems to have resulted in a wide range of areas for the center to consider
* Meeting people, learning what the CAC does, brainstorming
* Location – super! Food – super!
* I liked being in a joint meeting style
* It was good to have the periodical check in with staff and CAC
* Lots of time for small discussion
* Everyone had a chance to be heard
* I enjoyed hearing the self-advocates and other agency members about their experiences
* I enjoyed all the discussions during today’s meeting and really enjoyed the topic table discussions
* Great participation

## What did you dislike about today's meeting?

* Recommend agenda sent ahead of time
* None
* N/A
* Please hand out meeting evaluation at the beginning of the meeting, it’s easier to jot down thoughts during the day than remember or think of them at the end
* Nothing
* Microphone would have helped
* I would have appreciated introductions at the beginning as I didn’t know anyone
* Nothing
* Would have liked more time to get to know everyone
* Assigned seats
* Not enough time in small groups
* Did not do full CAC introductions at the beginning of mtg
* I think we need to also have a CCIDS staff meeting, separately
* Nothing
* N/A
* Nothing
* Prefer to start earlier or later, 10-2 breaks day up too much
* What activities or topics would you like covered in future meetings?
* Same that has been covered
* Involve CCIDS staff – periodically – good to be in touch – even to listen
* Discussions of research possibilities, areas of interest, structuring our community services to include a research component
* I would like to know how the activities of CCIDS dovetail (or complement) with the work of the DDC and DRM
* More thinking about ways CCIDS can tackle stated issues – idea generation
* Disability in higher education
* Transportation and early intervention
* More discussions that are relevant to our work
* How are we doing as a center overall?
* What is our future plan, outside the CORE
* I think this meeting topics were important but have no suggestions for futures meetings
* Engaging families around employment, natural supports, and system dependency

## Was there adequate time allocated for specific topics? Not enough time?

* Appreciate the opportunity to meet via “zoom” in a winter connection – Thank you
* In general, yes
* Yes
* Yes, perfect!
* Time allocation was good
* I think the time allotment was adequate
* Yes
* Mostly good, maybe allocate time specifically for community and family members to share their experiences
* Yes – great job!
* Not enough time in breakout groups
* Tight timeline but it worked!
* There was. Very efficient. Enjoyed the flow.
* It was just about right for small groups
* Yes, there was adequate time for the activities
* The table discussions were a little short but it allowed for greater time for group discussions
* Seemed to work pretty well – a little rushed for 1st small group, not for later