

# Please Join Us!



## **AGENCY DIVERSITY MISSION**

**The Department of Developmental Services is a state agency entrusted with providing services to its citizens with cognitive disabilities. Our mission is to continuously improve services to all diverse constituency groups in the most effective and equitable manner. In addition we are responsible for treating all our employees with respect, dignity, and appreciation for the invaluable services they provide.**

## **WHO ARE THE NORTHEAST DIVERSITY COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

**The Northeast Regional Diversity Committee is comprised of individuals from the DDS and Provider communities. We continually strive to create an environment that reflects, is sensitive to, and values Diversity.**

# **VARIOUS ACTIVITIES OF THE NORTHEAST DIVERSITY COMMITTEE**

- **Building a Home and Community Projects**
- **Hosted Several International and Cultural Fairs**
- **Conduct Surveys with Staff and Individuals**
  - **Participation in “Diversity Circles”**
- **Sponsor of “Hope for Haiti” Fundraiser and for others in need**
- **Sponsored Films and Discussion Groups related to a variety of Diversity Topics**
  - **Participant in the Statewide Diversity Council**
  - **Sponsor and participate in Various Diversity and Human Rights Conferences**

## **Here’s when we meet:**

**WHEN:** Second Wednesday of every month at 2pm

**WHERE:** Hogan Training room near Auditorium

**For more information, please contact one of the Chair Persons...**

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and your culture!**

**Submissions may be sent to both Rick Camara  
or Rich Santucci**

