## **"Employment First !" Provider Meeting**



January 12, 2011

2:00- 4:00 pm

Wallingford DDS Office 104 South Turnpike Rd Wallingford, CT

## Agenda

- Introductions
- National Alliance for Participation Employment Goals
- DDS Five Year Plan-Employment Goals
- Brainstorm
  What needs to be done?
  What can we do?



Are you interested in helping to make sure that more consumers served by DDS have increased opportunities to work at **Real Jobs for Real Pay** in their local communities? If your answer is yes, please join us on January, 12, 2011 from 2:00-4:00 at the Wallingford DDS office, 104 South Turnpike Road, Wallingford, CT. At this meeting we will brainstorm ways that DDS stakeholders can collaborate together to support the National Alliance for Full Participation's goal to double the number of people with disabilities who are employed by 2015. We will also discuss the DDS Five Year Plan- Employment goals and what this means for people served by the department. Most importantly, we will listen to one another's ideas for strengthening and improving the ways we support people with an intellectual disability to find, get and keep a satisfying community-based job that pays minimum wage or more.



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