



Disability Rights New Mexico
Public Input Survey
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What are the Most Important Issues for People with Disabilities in New Mexico?

Disability Rights New Mexico (DRNM) is an independent, private nonprofit agency which protects and promotes the human, legal and civil rights of people with disabilities. Every year we focus our work based on public input from a variety of stakeholders in the community. These are some of the issues most often cited by people with disabilities. Please check the top **3** issues that are most important to

YOU:

- Access to **Medicaid** community-based services (long-term care, DD Waiver, Mi Via, PCO, etc.).
- Access to appropriate **behavioral health** services in detention and psychiatric facilities.
- Access to appropriate **special education** services for kids with disabilities.
- Access to **employment** assistance from the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR).
- Access to appropriate and affordable **healthcare** services.
- Access to community-based **behavioral health** and **crisis prevention** services.
- Access to **transition** services (school to work) for youth with disabilities.
- Access to affordable, accessible **housing** for individuals with disabilities.
- Accessible **transportation** services for individuals with disabilities.
- Enforcement of **legal and civil rights** protections for individuals with disabilities.
- Freedom to make decisions about your own life – **Self-Determination**.
- Physical **accessibility** of public places and programs.
- Prevention of **abuse, neglect and exploitation** of people with disabilities.

Comments: We appreciate your feedback!

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