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2020 Family Support Conference



The Moore Center Family Support Council is once again offering scholarships to assist in the payment of the conference fees for up to 20 families who wish to attend.

Families who have not recently attended will receive first consideration.

If you would like to register for the conference and are in need of a scholarship please contact Aida Schneider at 603.206.2714 or aida.schneider@moorecenter.org at the Moore Center so she can process it through the on line system being used.

The deadline for registration is March 13th if inquiring for a scholarship. The sooner we receive the information, the better chance for openings at the conference.

Please also refer to the online website for hotel reservations. It is your responsibility to contact the hotel directly for room reservations and payment. You do have the option of attending the Saturday sessions without staying over at the hotel.

VISIT THE CONFERENCE WEBSITE

Please review the different topics and workshops being offered this year on the

website. There is a wonderful variety of workshop offerings for adults and two programs for your children at no extra cost. This conference can be a great way of meeting other families and gaining valuable information for now and in the future.

Download the Scholarship Application

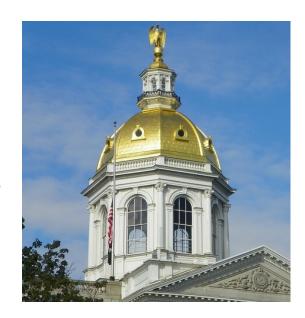
HB 1486 - Adopting Remote Testimony Technology

We need your help!

This is an important bill that would ensure more voices are heard before our representatives vote on legislation. We encourage you to contact your State Rep and express your support. A simple email or phone call will make a real difference!

You can find the contact info for your State Representative here:

NH State Rep Directory



HB 1486 is a bill that's likely coming to the House floor any day now. As amended, HB 1486 would create a committee to look into the Legislature's use of information technology for remote testimony to legislative hearings from locations closer to home.

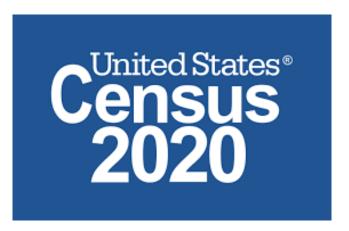
We know how difficult it can be for people to get to Concord to testify on bills that matter to them. Adopting this technology would allow legislators to hear from stakeholders who can't be there in person to testify.

Several other states have addressed this by enacting systems that enable constituents to submit testimony through video conferencing technology from local community colleges or other local facilities. Under HB 1486, this committee would look into whether such systems could work here in New Hampshire. This is an important step in ensuring that constituents are able to fully take part in the

legislative process and advocate on bills that directly impact their lives.

We encourage you to contact your legislator and express your support for HB 1486 to ensure that our legislators can hear from all those affected by future proposed legislation.

Importance of the 2020 Census



The 2020 census will soon be underway and we want to ensure that the families we support are counted as part of this process. An accurate count is important to ensure funding and representation are allocated accurately.

You can find more information and take the census on the

2020 Census website.

Visit the 2020 Census Website

Add Your Voice: In-Home Supports (IHS) Waiver



The NH Department of Health and Human Services is submitting a renewal for the In Home Supports (IHS) Waiver for Children with Developmental Disabilities.

This is your opportunity to provide feedback/input on how the IHS waiver is working for you so changes can be considered going forward. Below is a link to the full document with links to provide feedback and attend hearings.

Complete IHS Waiver Notice

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