



## Information Technology and Data Analysis

April 9

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### Overview:

The effective use of technology to properly store, manage, and utilize data is key to any successful organization in today's fast-paced world. The beginning portion of this session will focus on ways in which County Boards of DD can streamline their operations and use technology to improve the way services are delivered to people with disabilities. From hardware and software to processes and beyond, presenters will help participants discover the many ways they can use information technology and the data stored within to enhance their operations. Later in the session, Dustin McKee and Clay Weidner will focus on the use and availability of data in the strategic planning and decision making process for DODD and County Boards of DD. It will also review the various sources and implications of currently available data related to DD services at the national and state level, and the ways in which these data sets can be utilized in the decision making process at County Boards of DD.

### Presenter:

Dustin McKee, Policy Analyst, OACB Serving People with Developmental Disabilities; Clay Weidner, Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities, and other presenters to be announced.

## Strategic Planning

April 10

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### Overview:

Creating the future is a compelling business strategy. At times it's exciting. Other times it's overwhelming. A process for building a strategy is often the missing piece, holding back organizations and leaders from building the template by which their program and employees will thrive. Strategic planning is a long-term, results-oriented focus. The strategic plan serves as a platform for helping organizations to respond to a dynamic environment. This session will focus on the fundamentals of strategic planning. Participants will work in teams to design an organization's strategic plan, and an array of approaches will be used to engage participants in the process of strategic planning. This session will be an engaging and dynamic look at the tools to build and sustain the future blueprint of the organization.

### Presenter:

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