

Questions to consider before committing to be involved:



Family Involvement Self-Assessment

	Do I know?	Is this right for me?	More questions to ask
What is the opportunity? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local • State • National 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Stakeholder group ○ Advisory Group ○ Other 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is this a new opportunity/group or existing?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is this a time limited (or one time) topic specific or ongoing opportunity?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
What is the impact? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local • State • National 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
What is my role?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Am I representing my experience or am I representing the family perspective? 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
What is the expectation of the Family member?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is there background information that will support my involvement?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Where are the meeting held? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is there a charge for parking? 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is there an option to participate virtually?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
What is the commitment? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Per week/month/quarterly 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is there a reimbursement mechanism?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is covered? • Travel costs • Childcare • Stipend for my time • Is prep time reimbursed (<i>do I know how to request?</i>) • What is the turnaround time for reimbursement? 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Where do I go if I have specific questions? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Person or Website 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
How many families are involved? (Am I the only one?) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will I have an opportunity or expectation to connect with other families involved on a regular basis? 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
How far in advance are the meetings scheduled?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
How far in advance is the agenda distributed?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do I have a support network at home to allow me time away from my family?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do I have enough information to make an informed decision about this opportunity?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
What if I decide this is not right for me?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do I know the process of resigning?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	