Please reflect back on the results from our morning activity about your potential for influence and reflect back on what you have heard from the presenters.

In a small group, 5-8 people, please take around 15-20 minutes and answer the following questions. We would appreciate receiving this sheet back after the activity so we may capture all the ideas. We will have a little time for people to respond back to the larger group with some main ideas.

Thinking about Teams/Boards/Committees/Organizations you are involved in:

1. To what extent are self-advocates involved? (As leaders, planners, members, etc.)

2. What do you think are some barriers to involving self-advocates? How can these barriers be overcome?

3. Focusing in on your “potential for influence” answers from earlier today, how can self-advocates become more involved in your areas of influence? If you are a self-advocate, what could happen to increase your influence and that of other self-advocates?