NE Brain Injury Advisory Council, Mentor Program

Mentor Survey

The NE Brain Injury Advisory Council (BIAC) is initiating a mentor program. The purpose of the mentor program is to match experienced Advisory Council members with new members. The goal of the mentor program is to ensure new council members feel welcome, have information about the function of the council, and feel prepared to engage fully as a council member.

NE BIAC is seeking experienced council members to be mentors for new council members (mentees). Ideal candidates for mentors meet the following:

1. A minimum of one year on the council.
2. Understanding of mission and vision of the council and state plan.
3. Understanding of the challenges faced by new members.
4. A willingness to share experience as a council member.
5. Ability to meet the time commitment of the mentor program.
6. A desire to be a leader.

Time commitment:

To be a mentor requires a commitment of 11 months and approximately 5-6 hours of your time. As a mentor you will receive training to ensure you have all the information you need to be effective.

Role:

The role of the mentor is to assist your mentee as they work through the orientation materials for the council, meet with your mentee before and after the quarterly meetings to answer questions they may have, and to ensure they feel welcome on the council.

Please indicate if you are interested in becoming a mentor.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I am interested

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested at this time but might be in the future

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested in being a mentor

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Mentee Survey

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NE BIAC is seeking new council members to become mentees and receive mentorship. Ideal candidates for mentees will have the following:

1. A willingness and commitment to increase their understanding of the council
2. A desire to increase their engagement with, and effectiveness on, the council
3. Ability to listen attentively and communicate with their mentor should they need clarification

Time commitment:

To be a mentee requires a commitment of 11 months and approximately 5-6 hours of your time.

Role:

The role of the mentee is to receive mentorship to ensure they become a fully engaged council member. As a mentee you will work with your mentor to review the orientation materials for the council. Additionally you will and your mentor will meet before and after the quarterly meetings. This will help you prepare for, and debrief after, the council meetings.

Please indicate if you are interested in becoming a mentee.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I am interested

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested in being a mentee