



## **INSTITUTE FOR FAMILY-CENTERED CARE**

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### **PATIENTS AND FAMILIES AS ADVISORS IN DESIGN PLANNING**

- Participants in writing of the RFP for selection of architect and interior designer teams.
- Members of the committee selecting architect or interior designer teams.
- Participants in initial planning or "kick-off" retreat.
- Members of design steering committee.
- Members / chairpersons for issue specific committees and task forces.
- Hosts of coffee hours to gather information from other patients and families.
- Participants in site visits.
- Members of patient and family advisory council.
- Participants in focus groups.
- Responders to surveys / questionnaires / interviews.
- Reviewers of plans and mock-up facilities.
- Participants in meetings with potential funders.
- Providers of testimony to government agencies and regulatory officials.
- Educators as part of the occupancy process.
- Reviewers in the post occupancy process.