

# Together For Choice

## A National Conference to Unite our Voices

### October 21 – 23, 2015

### Misericordia Campus, Chicago, IL

#### United Voice

Sister Rosemary Connelly and the Misericordia staff invite you to mark your calendars and join us for a national dialogue in support of free choice for all individuals with intellectual disability.

The purpose of the conference is to create a united voice to advocate for the rights of families and individuals with intellectual disabilities to have free choice in the types of communities which best serve their needs and aspirations, while ensuring quality services and supports for all. Our goal, rather than dictating that one size fits all, is to work together to ensure that a spectrum of quality options--as diverse as the population we represent--is available to all.

#### Speakers and lively conversations on these timely topics:

- State of the Nation and Your State: Accessing and Tackling the Data
- The True Meaning of Olmstead, Ligas and ADA:  
Legal Perspectives and Semantics
- When Regulations Collide with Choice: Changing Policy through Advocacy
- Building Community through Social Media
- Sharing and Promoting Great Models and Best Practices

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