

# The Disability Coalition Presents Disability Rights Awareness Days 2020!

## ***Part 1: Pre-legislative Forum and legislative advocacy training***

**Friday-Saturday, January 17-18, 2020**

**Location: CNM Workforce Training Center  
5600 Eagle Rock Ave NE, Alb NM 87113**

**Friday, January 17**

### **Pre-session Forum - 8:30-4**

Morning plenary will cover:

- Issues in the 2020 legislative session
- State budget funding for disability programs
- Plans to end the DD Waiver Waitlist
- Access to Medicaid Community Benefits
- Improvements in behavioral health services
- Overview of expected disability -related legislation.
- **LUNCH WITH REP. MELANIE STANSBURY**
- Afternoon breakout sessions on a range of disability related topics

**Saturday, January 18**

### **Legislative advocacy training - 9-12**

Training on legislative advocacy, how does the process work, and how can you have an impact!

#### **Registration fees:**

- ❖ \$25.00 for individuals and family members.
- ❖ \$50.00 for professionals
- ❖ Fees include Friday forum, Saturday legislative training, written materials, refreshments, and lunch on Friday

**Limited Stipends available**

## ***Part 2: Disability Day at the Roundhouse***

**Location: State Capitol Building 490 Old Santa Fe Trail 87501**

❖ **Parking located on 485 Galisteo St, Across from the Capitol**

**Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> 10 am**

Overview of disability issues in the legislative session. Time for meeting legislators and attending committee hearings in the first week of the 30-day session, Capitol tours.

**Performance by the Sunshine Ambassadors dance troupe**

Browse the Exhibit tables 9:00-2:00

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**ASL interpreters will be provided**

