The New Jersey Self-Advocacy Project is committed to providing self-advocates with resources, education and support to positively influence their lives and encourage them to speak on their own behalf.

NJSAP works to fulfill this mission by:

- Conducting trainings and leadership seminars for self-advocates and group advisors across the state
- Actively supporting the 150+ self-advocacy groups across the state, as well as assisting with various activities based on the goals of each group.
- Facilitating fundraising and public outreach initiatives
- Conducting presentations to community groups, schools and conference audiences
- Educating state legislators and decision makers regarding issues of importance to people with disabilities

What is Self-Advocacy?

Self-Advocacy is people with disabilities speaking for themselves.

With proper supports, people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) are empowered to make life decisions, such as where they will live, what sort of career they will pursue, and how their medical care will be directed.

The New Jersey Self-Advocacy Project is dedicated to assisting people with I/DD in building advocacy and leadership skills.

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