



# Nuts and Bolts of Behavioral Health and I-DD for Legislators

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# i2i Center for Integrative Health

A new organization with an old soul

- Mission: To foster collaborative and evidence-based initiatives to improve the quality and efficacy of the behavioral health, intellectual and developmental disabilities, and substance use care and support services systems within a comprehensive system of whole person care
- Our Collaborators: service providers, plan managers, recipients, and stakeholders, public and private sectors



#### **Our Work**

#### Convene

✓ a broad spectrum of stakeholders

#### Strategize

✓ around critical policy issues

#### Activate

✓ solutions to ensure quality, whole person care



#### A Broad Spectrum of Stakeholders

- Not Member-based: We do not represent a single position or carry the water for a particular group
- Open to Public and Private Entities
- Providers and Payers
- Community Stakeholders: Local, State
- Consumers and Recipients
- Our Board: Provider, LME-MCO, DSS, Consumer/Advocate, Hospital



#### **Critical Policy Issues**

- Business Practices
  - ✓ Specific to BH/I-DD
  - ✓ To Support Integration of Primary/Behavioral Health & I-DD
  - ✓ Related to Medicaid Transformation
- Policy Issues
  - ✓ Medicaid Transformation
  - ✓ State Funds
- Consumer Concerns
  - ✓ System Navigation



# Solutions to Ensure Quality, Whole Person Care

- Collaboratives
- Policy Exchanges
- Conferences
- Information Dissemination
- Website: <u>www.i2icenter.org</u>



#### Let Us Know How We Can Help You

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## **Today's Presenters**

Leza Wainwright: CEO, Trillium Health Resources

- 30+ years work in MH/I-DD/SU:
  - ✓ Director, Division of MH/I-DD/SAS
  - ✓ Deputy Director, DMH
  - ✓ Budget Officer, DMH and DSS
  - ✓ Assistant Director, DSS
  - ✓ Assistant Secretary, Dept. of Commerce

Victor Armstrong: Vice President Behavioral Health, Atrium Health

- 25+ years working in BH:
  - ✓ Facility Executive for 66 inpatient beds, psych ED, 10 outpatient providers
  - ✓ BH Program Manager Cone Health Systems
  - ✓ Medicaid Managed Care Organization
  - ✓ Community Mental Health

