

## Pilot Parents of Southern Arizona

# AZ Partners in Leadership



### NEW DATES

#### Tentative 2021 Session Dates

**January 8—9, 2021**  
**January 29—30, 2021**  
**February 19—20, 2021**  
**March 12—13, 2021**  
**April 9—10, 2021**  
**April 30—May 1, 2021**  
**May 21—22, 2021**  
**June 11—12, 2021**

Sessions to be held in **Phoenix**  
but may be held via video conferencing due  
to COVID-19 Pandemic

**NEW Application Deadline:**  
**November 2, 2020**

#### Topics Include:

History of DD & SHCN Movements  
Systems of Care & Funding Sources  
Education  
Self-Determination  
Futures Planning  
Legislative Process  
State & Federal Policy  
Advocacy  
Organizing for Change  
Planning for Transitions  
Employment

A **FREE** Leadership Training for self-advocates & parents of children with disabilities or special health care needs\*

\*Any ongoing condition, serious enough to require care that most children don't use

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*The AZ Partners in Leadership program is designed to provide information, training, resources and skill building to self-advocates and the parents of children with disabilities or special health care needs so that they can become better advocates for themselves, their children, or for improving the systems of care that impact children and families. Participants will have an opportunity to meet and unite with others who have similar concerns to create a powerful voice on important issues. Participants learn how the legislative process works at the local, state and national levels. The goal of the training is to develop productive partnerships between people who need and use services and those in a position to make policy and law.*

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*Applications Available Online*  
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