

# Advocacy Day 2024

Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities (I/DD)



February 21, 2024

## Why are so Many People in Crisis?

**Summary:** Our systems are not designed to accommodate the needs of people with I/DD, particularly those with complex behaviors. There are very few providers who have experience and training to support the needs of this population. This has caused people to go into crisis and end up in emergency rooms, jails, or other inappropriate facilities. To prevent these crises there must be investment in training and planning so that people with I/DD receive proper support so they can live in their community.

Welcome:	Taylor Crisp and Tanika Aden	5 minutes
Overview of Topic:	Cathy Murahashi	5 minutes
DDA	panel	10
Family Perspective	Katrina Davis	5 minutes
Seattle Children's Hospital	Dr. Ravi Ramasamy or Dr. Bridget McNulty	5 minutes
DD Ombuds	Noah Siedel	5 minutes
Family Mentoring Project	Kelly Church or Diane Larson	5 minutes
Story	Robin Tatsuda, <i>The Arc of King County</i>	5 minutes
Personal Story, parent	Carol Allread (sending video)	5 minutes
Personal Story	Corinna Fale	5 minutes
Bills and Budgets	Cathy Murahashi	20 minutes
What you can do today!	Shawn Latham	5 minutes