



# Focus On Self-Determination!

## **A** Project Information

Imagine Enterprises is pleased to announce the availability of speakers for statewide conferences addressing the issue of services and supports for people with disabilities. The *Self-Determination for Texas* project, funded by the Texas Council for Developmental Disabilities, covers presentation fees of consultants. Host conference organizations or agencies are asked to cover the costs of travel and accommodations for the speakers, A/V equipment and printing handouts.

## **B** Speaker Presentations

Imagine will contract with a qualified presenter to cover self-determination topics such as:

- Basic overview of Self-Determination principles and practices
- Purpose of public funding to support people with disabilities
- Elements of self determination including individualized budgeting, independent support brokers and fiscal intermediaries
- Employment and Self Employment
- Educational Goals to Increase Self Advocacy Skills
- Self Advocacy, Self-Determination and Confirmation of the Role of Self Advocates in Creating the Service Delivery System of the Future

## **C** Access This Opportunity

Funding is available now through November 2007. Any organization interested in taking advantage of this opportunity can apply by:

1. Complete the attached application and fax it to 281-291-8660,
2. Go to [www.imagineenterprises.com](http://www.imagineenterprises.com) - look for the Yellow Sunflower for listing of available activities, training and information on the *Self-Determination for Texas* project, complete the application and fax it to the number above, or
3. Contact Norine Jaloway, Project Director at [njaloway@imagineenterprises.com](mailto:njaloway@imagineenterprises.com).

Imagine staff and consultants hope that we will be able to fulfill all requests for speakers on Self-Determination. However, in anticipation that there may be scheduling conflicts or lack of funds, we may not be able to meet all of the requests. Please help us by providing the information to questions located on the reverse side.



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# Application for Self-Determination Presentation

## **D** Organization/Agency Information

Organization/Agency: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## **E** Conference Information

Name of conference: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date(s) of conference: \_\_\_\_\_ (if you are on a short deadline for response regarding speakers, when do you need to know our response? \_\_\_\_\_)  
Conference location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Conference sponsor(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Conference purpose or theme: \_\_\_\_\_  
Who is the target audience? \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you attract other attendees in addition to your target audience? If so, who? \_\_\_\_\_  
How does self-determination apply to your target audience? \_\_\_\_\_  
Is this a statewide conference?  YES  NO If not, what area do you cover? \_\_\_\_\_  
How many people do you anticipate will attend the conference? \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you have any preferences for speakers? \_\_\_\_\_  
If the Self-Determination for Texas project is unable to provide a speaker for this conference. is there a future conference that could be considered? If so, what would be the dates of the conference?  
What additional information can you tell us about the requested presentation or conference? \_\_\_\_\_

## **F** General Sessions/Breakout Workshops

What are you requesting from the presenter? Number of total days: \_\_\_\_\_

General Session(s):

Topic	Focus Objective	Time/Length of Session
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

Breakout Workshop(s):

Topic	Focus Objective	Time/Length of Session
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

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