

Board of Directors and PAIMI Advisory Council Values Inquiry

Disability Rights Montana (DRM) is a civil rights organization for people with disabilities. As such, it is fundamental that its Board of Directors and PAIMI Advisory Council, individually and collaboratively, defend DRM's core values of equality, liberty, and self-determination. Please answer the questions below. Your answers are for your reflection and will help us evaluate your suitability to be on the Board of Directors and PAIMI Advisory Council.

There are no right answers. There are, however, answers that are consistent with the core values of the organization.

On a scale from 1 - 5, please circle the number that most accurately reflects your level of agreement or disagreement with the following questions:

- Do you believe people with disabilities are full and equal citizens under the law and are entitled to equal access to the opportunities afforded to all members of society?**

Strongly
Agree

1

2

3

4

Strongly
Disagree

5

Comments:

- Do you believe two people living with down syndrome are capable of love and should be supported in their right to get married?**

Strongly
Agree

1

2

3

4

Strongly
Disagree

5

Comments:

3. Do you believe children with disabilities should be educated in the regular classroom with their peers?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

4. Do you believe people with mental illness should be able to obtain treatment, including crisis services, in their local community rather than institutions?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

5. Do you believe all people with disabilities have a right to live in an integrated community and receive supports and services rather than in live in institutions?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

6. Do you believe people with disabilities want to work and earn a livable wage?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

7. Do you believe a 31-year-old, severely disabled person who has required 24-hour care since birth has the right to receive full medical attention to sustain life if they are hospitalized?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

8. Do you believe every public building should be accessible even if it costs money to achieve accessibility?

Strongly Agree				Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

9. Do you believe people with disabilities should be allowed the opportunity to vote independently and privately?

Strongly Agree					Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5	

Comments:

10. Do you believe a person who has a guardian has the right to vote?

Strongly Agree					Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5	

Comments:

11. Do you believe people with disabilities have the right to make choices with respect to daily routines and major life events?

Strongly Agree					Strongly Disagree
1	2	3	4	5	

Comments:

- 12. Do you believe that a person with a disability has a right to make their own choices even when the consequences may not be in their best interest?**

Strongly
Agree

1

2

3

4

Strongly
Disagree

5

Comments:

- 13. Do you believe physical restraints are an acceptable treatment intervention?**

Strongly
Agree

1

2

3

4

Strongly
Disagree

5

Comments: