

## Abstract

- ❖ Explain the process used to create one-page advocacy sheets
- ❖ Describe importance of using data and personal-stories together in advocacy
- ❖ Show where to find publicly available data for advocacy use

## Overview

### Introduction:

- ❖ Advocating for resources and inclusion can be an intimidating task
- ❖ We present one-page advocacy sheets as a tool to inform advocacy efforts
- ❖ Two components: personal story and data
- ❖ Self-advocates, family-advocates, educators, health providers, and other professions can tailor to their advocacy area





### Motivation:

- ❖ One-pagers have been developed before (in our state), but they are outdated and didn't include self- and family-advocate in the development

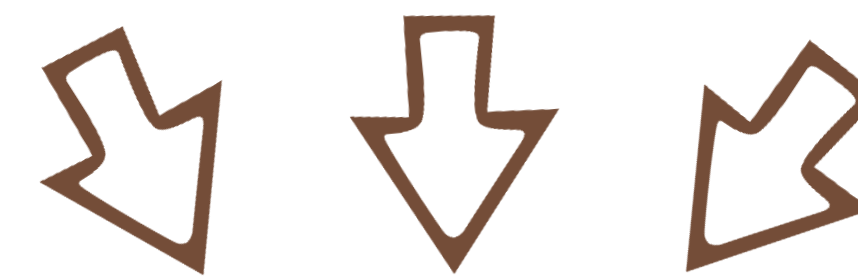
### Objective:

- ❖ Include multiple self- and family-advocate preferences, perspectives and inputs during the creation, development, and implementation of the one-page advocacy sheets

## Data Sources

- ❖ 2016 National Survey of Children's Health 
- ❖ Kids Count Data Center 
- ❖ 2017 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System 
- ❖ 2017 Disability Statistics Report 

## Personal Story



Example

### One-Page Advocacy Sheet

Your Story

Please insert a personal story concerning the lack of inclusion or specific need in your community here.

Your Data

National Outcome Measure 17.2: Percent of children with special health care needs (CSHCN)

Oklahoma	Receive care in a well-functioning system	Do not receive care in a well-functioning system	Total %
%	22.6	77.4	100.0
C.I.	(19.6 - 25.8)	(74.2 - 80.4)	
Sample Count	318	868	
Pop. Est.	216,392	741,914	

Nationwide	Receive care in a well-functioning system	Do not receive care in a well-functioning system	Total %
%	18.8	81.2	100.0
C.I.	(18.1 - 19.4)	(80.6 - 81.9)	
Sample Count	16,304	55,507	
Pop. Est.	13,762,229	59,624,982	

C.I. = 95% Confidence Interval.  
Percentages and population estimates (Pop.Est.) are weighted to represent child population in US.

Citation: Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2016-2017 National Survey of Children's Health (NSCH) data query. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health supported by Cooperative Agreement U59MC27866 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration's Maternal and Child Health Bureau (HRSA MCHB). Retrieved [mm/dd/yy] from [www.childhealthdata.org](http://www.childhealthdata.org). CAHMI: [www.cahmi.org](http://www.cahmi.org).

## Data / Statistics



## We All Belong Here. Achieving Inclusive Communities.

- ❖ This presentation provides a helpful tool that can be used in advocacy for increased inclusion in the community.
- ❖ These one-page advocacy sheets allow self- and family- advocates to present their story alongside the needs of their community to their government representatives.
- ❖ One-page advocacy sheets target system change which encourages inclusive communities.

## Data Advocacy Sheets

- ❖ Personal stories are an effective way to advocate for resources and inclusion
- ❖ When advocating to politicians or stakeholders, it is also important to include data and statistics
- ❖ Data and statistics show that a personal story is only one of many
- ❖ Data and statistics help describe the needs in the community
- ❖ Incorporating the voices of self- and family-advocates, educators, healthcare providers, and other professionals enables us to more effectively advocate for resources and inclusion

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