

## Consensus Questions

1. Who should have the authority/responsibility for funding services for persons with mental illness and/or developmental disabled?

- a. Government
- b. Non-government (health insurance plans, grants, private, charity/faith organizations.)
- c. Other

2. Do you agree that there should be one coordinated point of entry to access services for adults with a serious mental illness in Kane County? If so, how should services be coordinated?

- a. Kane County Mental Health Council
- b. Separate Behavioral Health Department
- c. 708 Board/Division
- d. Other

3. Do you agree there should be an increase in community-based housing options for persons with serious mental illness and/or developmental disabilities? If so, who should be responsible for creating and sustaining housing?

- a. Community Service Providers
- b. Individual Municipalities
- c. Developer/Provider partnership
- d. Family Responsibility
- e. Governmental assistance
- f. Elgin State Hospital and other state-run entities/institutions
- g. Nursing homes
- h. Faith-based organizations
- i. Kane County/Public Housing Auth
- j. Other

4. What auxiliary services are necessary to address the needs of adults with serious mental illness and/or developmentally disabled?

- a. Transportation
- b. Legal representation
- c. Rehabilitation
- d. Social/Recreational activities
- e. Respite Care
- f. Home-based services
- g. Resources (where to find assist.)
- h. Counseling/psychological serv.
- i. Other

5. If you agree that preventive services should be utilized to decrease the use of emergency hospitalizations, people living in shelters and the criminal justice system, what alternatives to you support?

- a. Mental Health/Drug Courts, aka. Treatment Alternative Court (TAC)
- b. Innovative therapeutic interventions such as Assertive Case Treatment (ACT)
- c. Other

