

Partnering for Engagement

10:00 am-11:00am

Consumer representative registration

Feel free to come down and get your badge and materials beginning at 10:00 am.

10:30 am-11:00 am

Meet and greet

Welcome to the Aligning Forces for Quality National Meeting! Join us for an informal coffee with your mentor match, fellow consumer representatives from all 16 AF4Q Alliances, as well as consumer engagement staff from the alliances and staff from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the AF4Q National Program Office (NPO).

First-time attendees will have a special sticker on their badge—if you have been to an AF4Q meeting before, please make a point to say hello!

11:00 am-11:15 am

Welcome and introductions

CELC Planning Committee members:

Robert Albee (Minnesota), **Poppy Arford** (Maine),
Dudley Cornell (Albuquerque), **Alicia Staley** (Greater Boston)

Susan Mende, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF),
Alicia Aebersold (NPO), **Deborah Roseman** (NPO)

11:15 am-12:00 pm

Partnering with your peers

CELC leader:

Dudley Cornell (Albuquerque)

Before you can partner with those in other Alliances, you need to connect with them. In this ice-breaker exercise, you will meet and learn a few tidbits about one another to help you recall and reconnect, both later in the meeting and once you return home.

12:00 pm-12:30 pm

Partnering at the AF4Q National Meeting

Alicia Aebersold (NPO)
Alicia Staley (Greater Boston)

We know you want to get the most out of the national meeting tomorrow and Friday. In this session, staff from the National Program Office will review this week's national meeting agenda to help you prepare. Then the group will discuss ways to get the most out of the meeting, including an overview of a new Meeting Engagement Tool conceived by the CELC Committee.



CONSUMER PRE-MEETING AGENDA | WEDNESDAY, MAY 8 (continued)

12:30 pm-1:30 pm

Lunch: Partnering with your alliance

Robert Albee (Minnesota)

Attendees are encouraged to connect with peers while discussing how to sustain consumer engagement work in your Alliance beyond 2015.

- Why did you get involved with the AF4Q project in your community?
 - Why do you stay involved?
 - Who are you connected with in the community?
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1:30 pm-2:45 pm

Round-robin table discussions: Partnering across AF4Q

Poppy Arford (Maine)

Work with your table to discuss how to better partner across AF4Q communities and beyond. Groups will reconvene at 2:15 pm to report out.

2:45 pm-3:00 pm

Wrap up and close

DID YOU KNOW?

You are invited to join the the consumer engagement leadership consortium (CELC), a group of consumers from all 16 AF4Q communities who meet quarterly by phone to talk about issues of importance, brainstorm ideas, and connect with one another. The AF4Q website also has information and tools, such as the new forum, to help you stay connected. Get more information at www.forces4quality.org and look for an email invitation after the national meeting!

WITH DEEP GRATITUDE TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CELC PLANNING COMMITTEE:

Robert Albee, Minnesota
Poppy Arford, Maine
Dudley Cornell, Albuquerque
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