

TIPS FOR ADVOCATING



Arkansas Alliance for
Disability Advocacy

DISABILITY RIGHTS ARKANSAS

AT PIE DAY

1 Show Up

Show up! Because your presence at this event is vital.

It allows others to see how many people care about the rights of people with disabilities. It shows that you will put forth the effort to ensure that you live in a state that is powered by inclusion, equity, and respect for people with disabilities.

2 Connect

Connect! Connect with the organizers and other participants of Pie Day. This will empower you on your advocacy journey. There is always power in numbers, and having people who understand and support you will grow you and allow you to become confident in your abilities while advocating for change.

3 Share your personal story and concerns

Utilize your story, personal experiences, barriers, and concerns! No one knows you like you do. Pie Day is a great place to allow the people who have been elected to represent you and your needs to understand how to do it productively.

Remember, The Annual PIE DAY at the Capitol was created to give you space and time to advocate for your needs and the needs of others. This event is the perfect chance to make a difference in the lives of Arkansans with disabilities by speaking to elected leaders from around the state.

Celebrate Developmental Disability Awareness Month by not letting this opportunity pass you by.