



PATIENTS AND FAMILIES AS ADVISORS IN DESIGN PLANNING

- Participants in writing of the RFP for selection of architect and interior designer teams.
- Members of the committee selecting architect or interior designer teams.
- Participants in initial planning or "kick-off" retreat.
- Members of design steering committee.
- Members/chairpersons for issue specific committees and task forces.
- Hosts of coffee hours to gather information from other patients and families.
- Participants in site visits to other facilities.
- Members of a patient and family advisory council.
- Participants in focus groups.
- Responders to surveys/questionnaires/interviews.
- Reviewers of plans and mock-up facilities.
- Participants in meetings with potential funders.
- Providers of testimony to government agencies and regulatory officials.
- Planners and educators for the occupancy process.
- Reviewers in the post-occupancy process.