

Self Advocacy Summit

US Virgin Islands



Policy Recommendations

1. SSI in territories
2. Lift the cap and lower the match on Medicaid in territories

Action Recommendation

1. Improve probability for territories to attain PNS funding by giving weight to territories through grant application review process.

What will #1 look like?

--Put territories on a more even playing ground with applicants with greater resources

Action Recommendation

2. Web based blog to support ongoing communication, resources, etc between all summit participants.

(ADD should set up a web based site to post all summit information, to include a blog, a forum to offer advice and encouragement)

What will #2 look like?

---everyone could communication with each other

--help use think outside the box

--can be used to encourage community engagement by people with disabilities