**PLACE Members**

**Alphabetical by State**

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| **State** | **Organization** | **Name** | **Type of Organization** | **Parent Center Region** |
| Arizona | Raising Special Kids | Christopher Tiffanychristophert@raisingspecialkids.org  | F2F, PTI, & P2P | Region D |
| Arkansas | Northwest Arkansas Community Parent Resource Center | Candia Nicholas - cnicholas@supports.org | CPRC | Region B |
| California | Fiesta Educative | Irene Martinezimartinez@fiestaeducativa.org  | CPRC | Region D |
| California | Parents Helping Parents | Jane Floethe-Ford - jane@php.com  | PTI, P2P, & FRC | Region D |
| California | ParentsCAN | Marlena Garcia - marlenag@parentscan.org  | PTI, P2P, & FRC | Region D |
| California | MATRIX | Steve D. - steved@matrixparents.org | PTI | Region D |
| California | Rowell Family Empowerment  | Kat Lowrance - sklowrance@aol.com | PTI & FRC | Region D |
| California | Family SOUP | Cindy Chandler - cindy@familysoup.org | Family Empowerment Center + Family Resource Center (CA FRC) | Region D |
| California | Support for Families of Children with Disabilities | James Welsh - jwelsh@supportforfamilies.org  | PTI, CPRC, & FRC | Region D |
| Colorado | PEAK | Nora Thompson – nthompson@peakcenter.org | PTI | Region D |
| Colorado | THRIVE Center | Yvette Burkhalter - yvette@thrivectr.org | FFCMH, F2F contractor | Region D |
| Connecticut | African Caribbean American Parents of Children with Disabilities, Inc.(AFCAMP) | Ann Smith - asmith@afcamp.org  | CPRC | Region A |
| Connecticut | Connecticut Parent Advocacy Center | Jane Hampton & Beth Reel – jhampton@cpacinc.org; breel@cpacinc.org  | PTI | Region A |
| Delaware | Parent Information Center of Delaware | Meedra Surratte - msurratte@picofdel.org  | F2F, PTI, P2P, FFCMH | Region A |
| District of Columbia | Parent to Parent USA | Marsha Quinn, mquinn@p2pusa.org; Lily Brown, abrown@p2pusa.org (Co-Directors) | P2P | National |
| District of Columbia | Advocates for Justice and Education, Inc. | Rochanda Hiligh-Thomasrochanda.hiligh-thomas@aje-dc.org  | F2F & PTI | Region A |
| Florida | Family Network on Disabilities USA | Rich La Belle | F2F & PTI | Region B |
| Georgia | Parent to Parent of Georgia  | Debi Tucker | F2F & PTI | Region B |
| Illinois  | Family Matters Parent Training and Information Center | Debbie Einhorn – deinhorn@fmptic.org Nancy Mader - nmader@fmptic.org | PTI | Region C |
| Illinois  | Family Resource Center on Disabilities (FRCD) Chicago | Michelle Phillips - michelle.phillips@frcd.org  | PTI | Region C |
| Iowa | ASK Resource Center | Karen Thompson - karen@askresource.org  | F2F, PTI, & P2P | Region C |
| Kansas | Families Together, Inc. | Lesli Girard - lesli@familiestogetherinc.orgConnie Zienkewicz - connie@familiestogetherinc.org  | F2F, PTI, & P2P | Region C |
| Louisiana | Louisiana Parent Training and Information Center | Mary Jacob - mjacob@fhfofgno.org  | PTI | Region B |
| Louisiana | Pyramid Community Parent Resource Center | Dempsey Markey - DMarkey404@aol.comTiffany Powell - tnpowell@cox.net  | CPRC | Region B |
| Massachusetts | Federation for Children with Special Needs  | Pam Nourse - pnourse@fcsn.orgRuth Diaz - rdiaz@fcsn.org  | F2F, PTI, & F2F | Region A |
| Maryland | The Parents’ Place of MD | Rene Averitt-Sanzone - rene@ppmd.org | F2F & PTI | Region A |
| Maryland  | Maryland Coalition of Families | Ann Geddes - ageddes@mdcoalition.org  | FFCMH | Region A |
| Michigan | Association for Children’s Mental Health | Jane Shank - acmhjane@sbcglobal.net  | FFCMH | Region C |
| Missouri  | Missouri Parents Act | Debby Loveall- Stewart - dloveall-stewart@missouriparentsact.org  | PTI | Region C |
| Missouri | FACT Missouri | Heather Lytlehlytle@factmo.org | Family organization | Region C |
| Mississippi  | Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities  | Pam Dollar - pam@msccd.org | PTI | Region B |
| Montana | Parents, Let’s Unite for Kids | Rebecca Bogden-Richards - rebeccar@mtpluk.org | No longer exists | Region C |
| Nevada | Nevada PEP | Karen Taycherktaycher@nvpep.org | PTI | Region D |
| New Jersey | Association for Special Children & Families  | Julie Rikon - julie.ascfamily@hotmail.comAngela – Abdul - ascfamily@hotmail.com  | CPRC | Region A |
| New Jersey | Bayada | Tara Montague - tmontague32@yahoo.com | Family org. | Region A |
| New Jersey | Family Voices-NJ | Lauren Agoratus – familyvoicesnj@spanadvocacy.org | FV Affiliate Org. | Region A |
| New Jersey | Family Based Services Association of NJ | Ann Goldmanagoldman@fbsanj.org | FFCMH | Region A |
| New Jersey | SPAN Parent Advocacy Network | Carolyn Hayer, SPAN Board rep.chayer@spanadvocacy.org  | F2F, PTI, P2P, FFCMH | Region A |
| New Mexico | Parents Reaching Out to Help | Caroline Enos, Interim ED | F2F, PTI, & P2P | Region D |
| New York | Families on the Move of New York City | Euphemia Strauchnestrauchn@fotmnyc.org  | FFCMH | Region A |
| New York | Advocates for Children | Kim Sweet - ksweet@advocatesforchildren.org  | PTI | Region A |
| New York | INCLUDEnyc | Barbara Glassman - bglassman@includenyc.org  | PTI & CPRC | Region A |
| New York | Starbridge | Jenny Hutkowski - jhutkowski@starbridgeinc.or g | PTI | Region A |
| New York | Parent Network WNY | Susan Barlow - srb@parentnetworkwny.org  | CPRC | Region A |
| New York | Long Island Advocacy Center | Eileen Buckley - ebuckley@theliac.org | PTI | Region A |
| New York | Community Inclusion & Development Alliance | Young Sae Bae - cidaofny@gmail.com  | CPRC | Region A |
| North Carolina | FIRST | Janet Price-Ferrell - janet@firstwnc.org  | CPRC | Region B |
| North Carolina | Exceptional Children’s Assistance Center | Laura Weberlweber@ecacmail.org  | PTI | Region B |
| North Dakota | Pathfinder Parent Center | Jodi Webb - executive.director@pathfinder-nd.org  | PTI | Region C |
| Oregon | FACT Oregon | Christy Reese - christy@factoregon.org  | PTI & P2P | Region D |
| Pennsylvania | PEAL Center | Mary Hartley - mhartley@pealcenter.org  | F2F & PTI | Region A |
| Pennsylvania | Mission Empower  | Jill Hrinda-Patten - advocate@missionempower.org  | CPRC | Region A |
| Rhode Island | Rhode Island Parent Information Network | Susan Donavan - donovan@ripin.org  | F2F & PTI | Region A |
| South Carolina | Family Connection of South Carolina | Amy Holbert - aholbert@familyconnectionsc.org  | F2F, PTI, & P2P | Region B |
| South Dakota | South Dakota Parent Connection | Carla Miller –cmiller@sdparent.orgLisa Sanderson - lsanderson@sdparent.org | F2F & PTI | Region C |
| Tennessee  | Family Voices of Tennessee | Kara Adams - Kara\_a@tndisability.org  | F2F & P2P | Region B |
| Tennessee | STEP, Inc. | Karen Harrison - karen.harrison@tnstep.org  | PTI | Region B |
| Texas | Partners Resource Network | Teresa Howell - teresaprn@sbcglobal.net  | PTI | Region B |
| Virginia  | Center for Family Involvement at VCU | Dana Yarbrough - dvyarbrough@vcu.edu  | F2F & P2 | Region B |
| Virginia | Formed Families Forward  | Kelly Henderson - kelly.henderson@formedfamiliesforward.org  | CPRC | Region B |
| Virginia  | Parent Educational Advocacy Training Center  | Suzanne Bowers - bowers@peatc.org  | PTI | Region B |
| Washington | PAVE | Tracy Kahlo - tkahlo@wapave.org  | PTI & F2F | Region D |
| Washington | Open Doors for Multicultural Families | Ginger Kwangingerk@multiculturalfamilies.org  | CPRC | Region D |
| Wisconsin  | WI Facets | Courtney Salzer – csalzer@wifacets.org  | PTI | Region C |
| Wisconsin | Jan Serak | Jan Serak - janserak@wi.rr.com  | Individual member | Region C |
| Wisconsin | Family Voices of Wisconsin | Barbara Katz - barb@fvofwi.org  | F2F | Region C |
| West Virginia  | WV Parent Training and Information Inc. | Brenda Lamkin - brendalwvpti@aol.com  | PTI | Region C |
| Wyoming | UPLIFT | Michelle Heinenmheinen@upliftwy.org | FFCMH | Region C |
| Wyoming | Wyoming Parent Information Center | Erin Swilling - eswilling@wpic.org   | PTI | Region C |

**National Members**

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| **State Location** | **Name** | **Contact** | **Affiliation** | **National** |
| Maryland | National Federation of Families for Children’s Mental Health | Lynda Gargan - lgargan@ffcmh.org  | FFCMH | National |
| Virginia | The Advocacy Institute  | Candace Cortiella – candace@advocacyinstitute.org  | National advocacy organization | National |
| Texas | National Family Association for Deaf-Blind | Jacqueline Izaguirrejacqueline@nfadb.org | NFADB | National |
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**Total**: 69 members (66 state or local members, 3 national members) – Note: Both SPAN and FND have national programs that would merit them paying the national dues; however, both are paying much higher dues in the “founding member” category.

Green = Board members