

# NH Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council

C/o Brain Injury Association of New Hampshire  
109 North State Street, Suite 2 · Concord, NH 03301

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September 20, 2011

## **RE: PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE – OCTOBER 18, 2011 AT GRANITE STATE INDEPENDENT LIVING IN CONCORD**

To Whom It May Concern:

The Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council is seeking input from stakeholders (survivors, family members, caregivers, services agencies) with respect to the unmet needs of individuals with brain and/or spinal cord injuries. Based upon the information gathered and as part of the Council's statutory charge from the New Hampshire Legislature, the Council will subsequently submit a report to Governor John Lynch and the Legislature that contains findings and recommendations on how New Hampshire can better meet the needs of individuals with brain and/or spinal cord injuries.

On behalf of the Council Co-chairs, Newton Kershaw, Jr., and James Fox, we are asking for your participation. Jenifer Evans will be the public hearing coordinator. She is an active member of the Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council and the Concord area Brain Injury Support Group.

As noted below, the meeting will be held at Granite State Independent Living on Thursday, October 18, 2011. Parking is available. Please come to this meeting to express your needs to persons from the Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council. In these uncertain times of reduced funding, we must rally to express our requirements for care, necessary funding and support.

We look forward to meeting you and learning about your questions and concerns. Please plan to attend in support of the Concord area brain and spinal cord injury survivor community. This public hearing will replace the Concord Brain Injury Support Group meeting previously scheduled on this date.

Sincerely,

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Jenifer Evans  
Public Hearing Coordinator

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Newton Kershaw, Jr., Chair  
Council Co-Chair, BSCIAC

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James Fox, Chair  
Council Co-Chair, BSCIAC

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**DATE:** *Tuesday, October 18, 2011*

**TIME:** *6:00 pm – 8:30 pm*

**LOCATION:** *Granite State Independent Living  
21 Chennel Drive, Concord, NH 03301*

**RSVP:** *mamaevans1@comcast.net (Please RSVP by Oct. 13)*