

## **2020 Priorities**

### **Priority #1: Implementation Strategies for Shared Vision.**

#### **Action Steps:**

- a. Communicate provider issues with State including:
  1. Flexibility & simplicity of systems, which promote choice and self-directed services
  2. Obtaining clarity on regulatory and conditions of participation, with intent language and examples of their application
  3. Influence the DD registry rating process and how draws are determined
  4. The need for non-habilitation companion type services as an alternative or to complement habilitation-only services
- b. Monitoring continued impact and Service Delivery of Individual Supports Waiver implementation to replace CDDG grants.
- c. Expand networking and advocacy alignment with the Key Coalition of Alaska, Peer Power, the Alaska Behavioral Health Association, Agenet, Alaska Personal Care Services Association, Alaskans Together for Medicaid, and the Care Coordination Network

### **Priority #2: Develop and Retain a Professional Workforce.**

#### **Action Steps:**

- a. Collaborate with the Foraker Group on offering a Supervisory and Managerial training to emerging leaders across the State of Alaska.
- b. Improve relevant communication with Care Coordinators to strengthen a unified system.
- c. Support the Shared Vision workforce development focus in achieving shared/collaborative training and advancing “ready-to-work” initiatives for Direct Service Providers.

### **Priority #3: Enhance AADD membership preparedness for future system change**

#### **Action Steps:**

- a. Improvement and promotion of the AADD website as a reference resource
- b. Development of service delivery reporting practices and models that prepare providers for value based reimbursement and workforce shortages
- c. Actively engage in multi-disciplinary planning teams focused on successful transition of individuals from Institutional to Community Based Services.