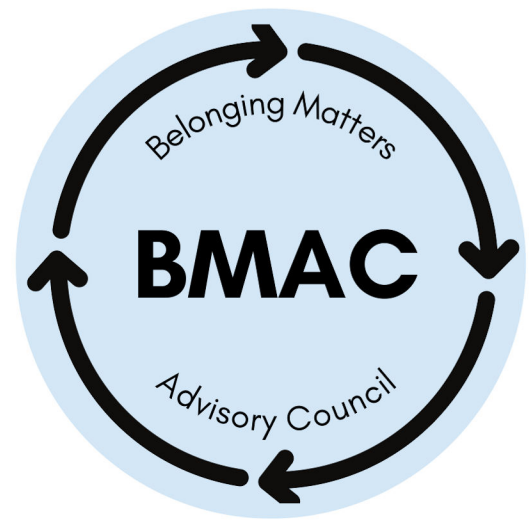


Belonging Matters values the **voice** and **leadership** of people with a disability and their families.



Your feedback matters!

The Belonging Matters Advisory Council (BMAC) was started **to make sure that the work and resources which Belonging Matters creates** such as:



Workshops



Videos



Podcast



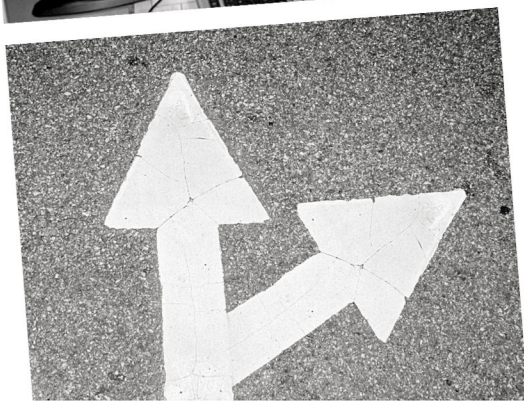
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Conference



Are **guided by** people with a **disability** and their families



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BMAC Members



Agree with Belonging Matters values



Attend regular meetings (about once every 3 months)



Learn about and take part in decision making



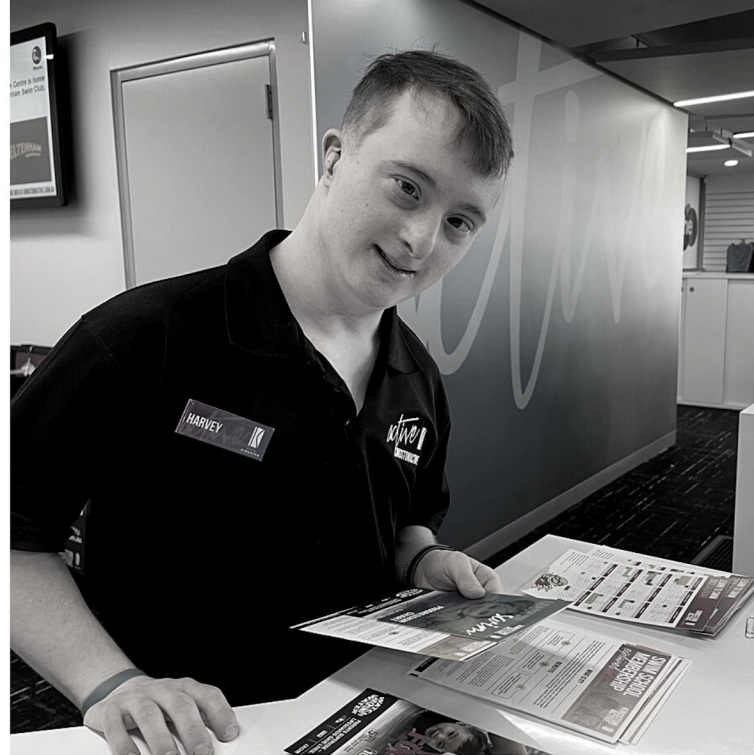
Are paid for their time to attend meetings



Work together, with the CEO and Board and may provide advice to others



May also be asked to be involved in other Belonging Matters workshops and events



Do you believe that people with a disability should be part of the community and



Have a real job rather than go to a Day Program?



Live in their own home or with the people they choose- not just with other people with a disability?



Be involved in local groups and clubs and be a valued citizen?

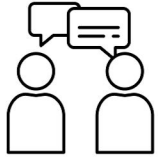
Belonging Matters believes that **all people** should be **valued, included** and **contribute** to their local community



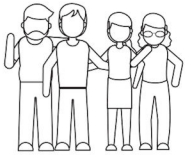
Do you want to give your advice to Belonging Matters so that people with a disability can have a better life?



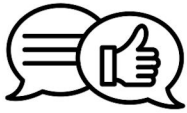
BMAC members meet together and have the chance to...



Talk about real issues such as home, work, friendships and relationships



Share about how it feels to be part of the community and what is important



And have a say in the work that Belonging Matters does



Who can join BMAC?

Membership is open to people



With an **intellectual disability** or **autism**

and



Family members who **encourage and support the voice for people with a disability**



If you would like to **find out more or get involved** please contact us!

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