

# Rethinking Long-Term Care in Alabama

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## Today's Objectives

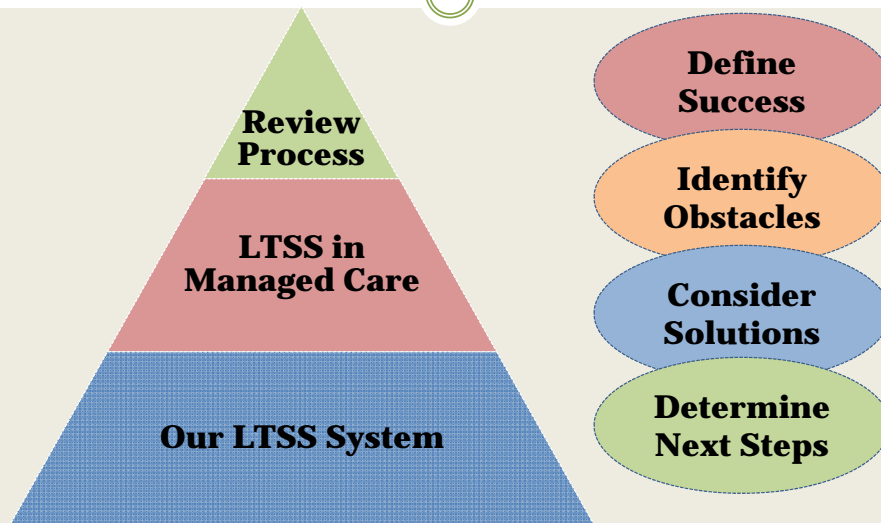
**This session will assist us as advocates, community leaders, and health professionals to:**

- Begin to define our Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS) vision
- Identify challenges and solutions
- Prepare for our successful involvement in the "LTSS Review" and subsequent LTSS improvements

## Setting the Stage

- Understanding Alabama's LTSS System
- Upcoming Opportunities

## Brainstorming!



## What will Success Look Like?



### ... when we have an LTSS System that works?

- What makes quality of life? Quality of care?
- What services and supports will be available?

### ... when LTSS is effectively integrated into Managed Care?

- What will managed care do for members? Providers? State?
- What gaps will managed care address?

### ... when we are involved in the LTSS Review?

- What role will we have played?
- What will be produced?
- Who will have “bought in” to the plan?

## What are our Obstacles?



### ... what is broken in our existing LTSS System?

- Gaps in services? Quality concerns?
- Infrastructure needs?

### ... what have we learned from existing Managed Care?

- What isn't working? Our biggest fears?
- Potential risks when LTSS is added?

### ... lessons learned from other Stakeholder Engagement?

- What hasn't worked in the past?
- What do we bring to the table?

## Making Sure We Get this Right!

### ... how do we fix what is broken in the LTSS System?

- Existing assets?
- Innovative strategies?

### ... how do we make Managed Care work for LTSS?

- What do we demand?
- What do we bring to the table?
- What role do we play?

### ... how do we get in the right place at the right time for the LTSS Review?

- When do we want to be involved?
- What role do we want to play?
- How do we ensure a communication loop?

## Where do we go from here?

### *Concrete Next Steps*

1. **Defining Success for LTSS System and critical improvements needed...**
2. **Supporting Managed Care to work for LTSS...**
3. **Being in the right place at the right time for LTSS Review...**