

News from GATES...

Georgia Association of Training, Employment and Supports



"Ideas Worth Sharing"

Network with other GATES members on June 9th

Our program at the 2017 GATES Annual Meeting on June 9 will be based on the popular and successful **TED TALKS** held across the country. At these events Fortune 500 corporate executives and other industry leadership present their 'Ideas Worth Sharing' for growing their businesses and meeting the challenges of today.



At the GATES Annual Meeting we will use that popular format to learn from each other. We are asking each GATES member CRP to present an 'Idea Worth Sharing' about your CRP. This can be about any program, service or product you are operating that other CRPs could benefit from learning about. It does not have to be a GVRA service. It could be about a program that you tried and it was not successful and you share the 'lessons learned'. We need all GATES member participating and if you want to bring a client to share the project benefits they received that will be fine. This is all about - **'sharing'** and **'learning from each other.'**

Guidelines:

1. Presentations must be 10 minutes or less. This is to give all GATES CRPS an opportunity to present. We are allowing 5 minutes for questions following your presentation

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**GATES Annual
Meeting**

June 9, 2017

9:00 AM

Location: Goodwill
of North Georgia -
Decatur, GA

**State Use
Council
Meeting**

2. We will have a LCD projector so if you want to use a power point or other electronic presentation media we should be able to accommodate.
3. Presentations can be about any project, program or service provided by your CRP. It does not have to be a GVRA service.
4. We need a title and a brief (2-4 sentence) description of the project, program, service to be presented by **Monday, May 22**. We will use this information to promote the meeting and to avoid duplication about the same or similar programs being presented.
5. The presentations will be filmed and we will post the video on the GATES web site so others can access the content from your idea(s) throughout the year.
6. We encourage you distributing a handout about the program so people will have a full briefing on the project. Ten minutes is limited time and I am confident other CRPs will want more information.

Following the morning program, GATES will be recognizing two great industry leaders, Ray Bishop and Cheryl Cornett, at lunch for their service to our community.

APPLICATION INFO SHEET

**Please complete the info sheet
and sign up now to 'Share An Idea'.**

(Email your information sheet to chall@asginfo.net)

Contact any of us if you have a question.

*We look forward to your participation and having
a tremendous Annual Meeting program.*

See you at Goodwill in Decatur on June 9.

2017 GATES Annual Meeting Program Committee

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June 22, 2017

10:00 AM

Location: Goodwill
of Middle GA/CSRA
Macon, GA

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