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Family Advisory Council (FAC) at The Children's Institute of Pittsburgh

The Children's Institute is committed to providing a comprehensive and individualized patient care experience and recognizes the importance of collaborating with patients and families to achieve better outcomes, increased satisfaction and improved quality of care.

Our Family Advisory Council (FAC) is a group of parents and guardians of our current and former patients, Day School students and Project STAR kids. This group is the voice of families at The Children's Institute, providing valuable feedback and personal insights from the family perspective. Members collaborate with staff to share important views about their child's healthcare, education or permanency experiences while building relationships with other parents, patients and community members.



Amazing Connections

FAC members host regular networking sessions - *Amazing Connections* - for current inpatient families. *Amazing Connections* provides a place for families to connect, share their personal stories and provide support to one another. Dates and times for upcoming *Amazing Connections* are posted throughout the hospital and distributed to families prior to each session.



The Family Advisory Council is always looking for new members! If you're interested in helping to shape the future of The Children's Institute, please let us know. To learn more about the Family Advisory Council at The Children's Institute, please contact Carly Hicks at 412.420.2546, by email at chi@the-institute.org, or visit www.amazingkids.org.