The Alabama Disabilities Advocacy Program (ADAP) is part of the nationwide federally mandated protection and advocacy (P&A) system. ADAP’s mission is to provide quality, legally based advocacy services to Alabamians with disabilities in order to protect, promote and expand their rights.

Save the 2014 Date for ADAP's PABSS (Protection & Advocacy for Beneficiaries of Social Security) Training

This training is designed to provide specific information regarding services ADAP provides for Beneficiaries of Social Security whose goal is to secure, regain or maintain gainful employment. This training will also provide training about the work incentives that are offered by Social Security to allow a person to test their ability to work. Work incentives allow individuals to test their ability to work without any immediate effects on their benefits – both cash payments and health coverage.

Individuals with disabilities, family members, advocates, service providers, and other professionals are all invited and encouraged to attend. There is no charge to attend any of the four training sessions.

However, space is limited at each training site. For additional information please contact ADAP: 1-800-826-1675 or visit our website: http://www.adap.net

See attached flyer and share with your colleagues.

**January 22, 2014  (10 a.m. - 12:00 noon)**
Dekalb Theatre
Gault Avenue North
Fort Payne, AL  35967
January 22, 2014 (2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.)
Tom Bevill Enrichment Center
115 Main Street West, Rainsville, AL  35986

January 23, 2014 (10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.)
Etowah County Chamber of Commerce
1 Commerce Square, Gadsden, AL  35901

January 23, 2014 (2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.)
Cherokee County Chamber of Commerce
801 Cedar Bluff Road, Bldg. A, Centre, AL  35960

HAVE PRESENTATION. WILL TRAVEL

Are you a member of a group that needs a speaker for an upcoming meeting? If so, ADAP can fill this need. ADAP staff provides education/training sessions on a wide variety of disability-related topics including, but not limited to: the Americans with Disabilities Act, Medicaid waivers, guardianships, special education, general disability rights, and transition services for youth who will soon become adults. We will also speak on specifically requested, disability-related topics. If you are interested in making arrangements for ADAP to come speak at one of your meetings, please contact Anita Davidson, one of ADAP's Legal Assistants, by calling 205-348-5107, or emailing her, akdavidson@adap.ua.edu