

# PTI/PCRC Participation in SFEC in CT



## Who we are

African Caribbean American Parents of Children with Disabilities (AFCAMP) is the Community Parent Resource Center (CPRC) for the Hartford, CT area, charged with supporting families in the Capital city in areas of education, special education juvenile justice and health equity

Connecticut Parent Advocacy Center (CPAC) is the Parent Training and Information Center (PTI) for the state of Connecticut, Charged with educating, supporting and empowering families that include students with disabilities in education matters



# Our Priorities

1. Family Participation at all stages
2. Advisory Board
3. Our participation in grant leadership
4. Family knowledge
5. Family/educator joint participation in all activities
6. Culturally competent information



# What We Bring to the Table

1. Families
2. Strong history of supporting family participation in education
3. Way too much experience with challenges
4. Culturally diverse participant base
5. Out of the box resources



# Additional Strengths (existing programs)

AFCAMP—

CPAC—

SEAC

Working Together

Next Steps



# Challenges

- Special Education Focus
- Applying finite funds to statewide program
- Junior partner status

