Nevada Statewide Independent Living Council

Learning Objectives for New Members

Prospective new members and her/his assigned mentor can use the following materials and talking points for preparations to be recommended to join the Nevada Statewide Independent Living Council.

* Nevada SILC Fact Sheet
	+ The origin and function of SILC’s
	+ The duties and responsibilities of a SILC
	+ The requirements to be a member of Nevada SILC
* SILC By-Laws and the Statewide Plan for Independent Living (SPIL)
	+ Review current Goals and Objectives
	+ Discuss how SILC’s budget promotes these
* Title VII of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended
	+ Importance of this legislation for SILC’s
* Summaries of Disability Rights Legislation
	+ Choose two laws and explain their importance to the independent living movement
* Independent Living vs. Medical Model Paradigm
	+ Explain the differences between the paradigms
* Open Meeting Law in Nevada
	+ Explain the basic principles of the law
	+ Explain why this law applies to SILC
* Be committed to Nevada SILC’s Mission, Vision and Purpose by participating in a committee or workgroup of your choice and interest.
* Attend at least one SILC meeting until formally appointed a member of the Nevada Statewide Independent Living Council.
* Apply to appointed to Nevada Statewide Independent Living Council at:

<https://www.nvsilc.com/get-involved/join-the-council/>