

Dear Stakeholder,

On behalf of the N.D. Department of Human Services, I invite you to provide valuable feedback on the provision of human services in our state by participating in an **online Stakeholder Survey** at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2BZL8LB>. **Survey responses are being accepted through the close of business October 21, 2011.**

The survey is being conducted this year in place of the Department's community stakeholder meetings due to travel and lodging challenges in areas impacted by oil development or flooding. We appreciate your participation and cannot stress enough the importance of hearing from you, our clients, clients' family members, providers, advocates, the counties, other human service system partners, and other interested individuals.

Individuals unable to complete the online survey or who simply prefer not to, can respond in writing. **Paper surveys are available upon request or at the front desks of our eight regional human service centers.** To find a location near you go to: (<http://www.nd.gov/dhs/locations/regionalhsc/>). People can also submit written comments and suggestions by the close of business October 21, 2011, to the N.D. Department of Human Services, Executive Office at 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 325, Bismarck, N.D. 58505-0250 or dhseo@nd.gov.

We appreciate your feedback.

Thank you

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