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- Diamond: We will match the \$50,000 challenge donation!**
Greatly expands our lobbying contracts to yield more results
- Ruby: \$25,000**
Assists in expanding our research potential to fight back
- Emerald: \$10,000**
Continues to grow the What Matters Most Campaign and support the work of grassroots across the country
- Sapphire: \$5,000**
Expands the public relations efforts to gain more media traction
- Pearl: \$1,000**
Helps send ACCSES staff to conferences and events to expand the footprint of the provider network
- Other: \$_____** Every donation helps support the cause!

Organization/Company Name _____

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** Thank you for your support. Please send payment to the address below or request an invoice by calling ACCSES or emailing ACCSESchampions@accses.org.*

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YOUR CHAMPION DOLLARS AT WORK

As an ACCSES Champion, you're a critical part of a strategy for success—for you, your industry and the millions of lives touched by providers.

Because of your past Champions support, ACCSES was able to:

- Increase ACCSES membership by 25 members. Constituent voices matter, and increasing the number of members adds to those voices exponentially.
- Build an increasing coalition of congressional members who recognize and appreciate the unintended consequences of recent laws, regulations, and guidance on providers and the people with disabilities and families they serve.
- Develop subgroups of ACCSES members focused on individual state issues that are likely to spread beyond state borders.
- Educate Congress on the dangers of curtailing the AbilityOne program through the subsequently revised National Defense Authorization Act.
- Push back hard on the Time Act and other legislation intended to phase out the use of Section 14(c) certificates.
- Develop relationships on the Hill. Senators and Representatives now contact ACCSES for information!

Your Champions dollars have greatly expanded the work of ACCSES over the last five years and have generated many positive outcomes. Legislative and regulatory actions to eliminate choice and implement a one-size-fits-all approach to supporting the lives of people with disabilities must be stopped!

ACCSES is targeting additional Champions contributions to three primary areas:

1. Prevent Congress from instituting Medicaid block grants or, if instituted, to include a carve out of funds for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
2. Redefine “community” to recognize the importance of community service providers and of maintaining a full array of employment and residential options for people with disabilities.
3. Amend/eliminate laws and regulations that serve to limit LTSS options and to restrict the choice of jobs for people with disabilities, including students and youth.



YOU MADE ALL THIS HAPPEN ...

TOGETHER WE ACHIEVE GREAT THINGS!