



Dignity in Schools Campaign National Conference

A Collective Voice for Dignity in Schools

Community Dialogue Breakout 1: Discussing a Human Rights Approach

Friday, June 5 – 11:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Goal: Educate attendees on the human rights framework and describe the problem within that framework.

Problem	Human Rights Violations	Human Rights Vision
Describe an example of pushout you face in your school or community using the human rights framework.	Identify the key human rights principles that are violated by that situation.	How would that same situation look if human rights are protected?

Community Dialogue Breakout 2: Exploring What Works

Friday, June 5 – 2:50 p.m. to 4:05 p.m.

Desired Outcomes: Recommendations of criteria for effective school practices and policies that address pushout within the human rights framework.

School Practice or Policy	Recommendations for Criteria for Best Practices	Measure Your Criteria
Describe an example of a school policy or policy that has been attempted in your community or school to address the problem.	What criteria would you recommend to analyze whether a policy or strategy guarantees human rights?	Apply the recommended criteria to the problem identified in Breakout I. How would a practice or policy that meets the recommended criteria address the problem?

Community Dialogue Breakout 3: Strategies for Collective Action

Saturday, June 6 – 1:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Desired Outcomes: Recommendations for an Action Plan for multi-stakeholder coalitions at the local and national levels.

Advocacy Strategy	Lessons Learned	Collective Action
Give an example of an action that you have participated in to address the problem.	What worked and what didn't work in that action? Why?	Make recommendations for multi-stakeholder coalitions at the local and national level to address the problem. Include recommendations on how we can use human rights as a tactic for change.