

Initial Findings from the Developmental Disabilities Residential Settings Assessment (n = 2,949 Settings as of 12/24/15)	
Question	% Yes
Are meetings regarding plans of care held at times and places accessible and convenient to the consumers?	99.6
Are the choices and preferences of consumers incorporated into their plans, supports, and everyday lives?	99.5
May consumers choose whether or not to participate in leisure activities, hobbies, etc.?	99.2
Does staff knock and receive permission before entering the private areas (unless person-centered plans state it is not in the individuals' best interests)?	98.8
Do consumers have 24-hour access to all common spaces in the setting (unless their person-centered plans state it is not in their best interest)?	98.7
Are materials and information regarding plans of care easily accessible?	97.4
Do consumers have privacy in their bedrooms and bathrooms, including doors that close and lock?	96.9
Are materials and information regarding plans of care in easy to understand and plain language?	96.7
Do consumers take an active role in the development and updating of their plans of care?	96.4
Are consumers informed about the setting's complaint/grievance procedures?	94.4
Can consumers choose their own meals and snacks (unless their person-centered plans state this is not in their best interest)?	93.9
Can consumers choose with whom they eat?	91.4
Do any consumers participate in work or day activities outside the setting?	90.2
Can consumers choose the time and place for their meals?	86.2
Do the consumers understand how to request updates to their plans of care?	86.2
Can consumers participate in leisure activities in common spaces within the setting without restriction?	81.3
Are visiting hours for consumers unrestricted?	76.3
Are materials and information regarding plans of care easily available to people with limited English proficiency?	74.2
Are there any private areas in the residential setting where consumers can meet with visitors (other than bedrooms)?	67.0
Do consumers have leases or residency agreements guaranteeing rights and responsibilities accorded under NJ tenant-landlord law in their own name or a guardian's name?	50.4