

Family & Community Work Group Questions

1. How can families become meaningfully involved in the care, advocacy, and rehabilitation of their loved one?
2. What kind of educational and training material is most affective in supporting families?
3. What should case management services provide families? Who should be a case manager?
4. Do support groups work?
5. General Sutton is interested in developing a high-tech system called "SimCoach" which will provide families access to a mentor/coach (interactive) on an "as-needed basis" utilizing an iPod/X-Box-type approach. What should be included?
6. Can tele-conferencing work in rural areas? If so, how?
7. What information do families need to make informed medical decisions about treatment and life or death issues?
8. How can we help0 families understand research protocols that may help treat their loved one?
9. What should be included in a web-based clinical mental health services program as a way to deliver clinical mental health services to families and service members in a rural area?
10. Would a "SWAT" team approach of experts help provide services not available in rural areas?