

# The Roles of the Independent Facilitator

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- ### THE ROLES OF THE INDEPENDENT FACILITATOR
- Person-Centered Planner
  - Personal Shopper
  - Budget Developer
  - Liaison to FMS
  - Advocate
  - Management Consultant
  - Ongoing supporter
  - Small business owner

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- ### THE INDEPENDENT FACILITATOR
- You can hire an Independent Facilitator to assist you and your family with the person-centered planning and IPP processes.
  - The Independent Facilitator (I.F.) should know about available services and be able to "think outside of the box."
  - The I.F. can advocate and negotiate at IPPs and with service providers.
  - The I.F. is paid from your Individual Budget or the I.F. can be your regional center service coordinator or a family member or friend.
  - The I.F. cannot provide services to the participant and cannot be employed by an agency providing services.

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