DCDT contributes to the field of special education and transition through high quality publications, active participation in policy development and implementation, provision of effective national and regional conferences, and an interdisciplinary approach to issues affecting children, youth, and adults of all exceptionalities.

Benefits of being a DCDT member

- **Participate** in national and state conferences that offer opportunities for professional development hours;
- **Acquire** implementation tools and learn practical strategies for providing transition services and support through research-based journals such as, *Career Development and Transition for Exceptional Individuals* (CDTEI) and *Exceptional Children* (EC);
- **Stay relevant** with the most up-to-date information on legislation, model programs, resource materials, and resources via email blasts and quarterly newsletters.
- **Discover strategies** to advocate at local, state, and national levels for appropriate transition services and support across the life span;
- **Network** with new people, future employers, and service providers;
- **Provide** input to schools and agencies to improve services and support for individuals with disabilities transitioning to adult life;
- **Advocate for change!**

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