



# You are invited

to participate in the **Supports Intensity Scale® Adult Version, 2nd Edition (SIS-A®, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed.)!**

## The Path Forward Project Implementation: Sample Assessment Phase

We need your help to gather information which will be used to create a clear and consistent process to determine support levels and budgets for individuals in the Participant Directed Program (PDP) and Agency with Choice (AWC) program.

**You were chosen** through a random sampling of 500 self-direction participants to take part in the SIS-A®, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed assessment. It uses a person-centered, strength-based approach to improve your quality of life. Participating in this assessment will give you tools to focus your supports to match your vision for your future.

Questions? Email: [SISatDDS@mass.gov](mailto:SISatDDS@mass.gov)

To learn more about the SIS-A®, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. and the project roll out, please visit our [website](#)

**Your participation** is key! At DDS, we want to make sure we represent the people we support in self-direction. Taking part in this sample is voluntary. The assessment is not related to current budget allocations.

**When:** American Association on Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities (AAIDD) will start assessments in late November. These assessments will run through May 2024. A limited number of in-person assessments will be scheduled in March 2024.



*If you are willing to participate, please scan the QR code or click [here](#) to register and indicate any accommodations you may need. DDS will contact you with scheduling options and more information.*

### Upcoming AAIDD/DDS information sessions on the SIS-A

October 24<sup>th</sup> (5pm-6:30pm): Please click [here](#) to register

October 25<sup>th</sup> (10am-11:30am): Please click [here](#) to register

As a thank you for participating, you will receive a small gift from DDS.