



# How To Play a Bigger Role in NAME

2017 NAME National Conference, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

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<p><b>Presenter: Kevin Bauer (MI)</b></p> <p><b>Kevin Bauer, PhD</b> has been the Medicaid Policy Specialist for the Michigan School-Based Services program since 2012. Prior to that, he spent four years as that program's Reimbursement Auditor. Dr. Bauer has experience on the National Alliance for Medicaid in Education (NAME) Board as a past Region Two Medicaid Representative and is the current NAME President Elect. Prior to working for the State of Michigan, he spent 25 years in the United States military before retiring in 2007. He holds a BBA in accounting and an MBA in finance from Davenport University, where he is a Professor of Finance. His PhD is in Business Administration/Finance from Northcentral University.</p>	<p><b>Session Objectives:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Be able to list the ways in which a person might volunteer to support NAME</li> <li>2. Be able to list the various NAME committees</li> <li>3. Discuss the functions of each NAME committee</li> </ol>
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## How Much Experience do I Need?

<p><b>A Lot</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You are the expert</li> <li>• You are the mentor</li> <li>• You are the stability in NAME</li> </ul>	<p><b>A Little</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You remind the expert of things they may overlook</li> <li>• You are the mentee</li> <li>• You are the future of NAME</li> </ul>
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### My Growth in NAME by Conference

- 2012 – Providence, RI – Appointed as Region 2 Medicaid Rep.
- 2013 – Grand Rapids, MI – Re-elected, Conference Committee
- 2014 – Niagara Falls, NY – Finance Committee
- 2015 – Baltimore, MD - Research & Finance Committees
- 2016 – Bozeman, MT – President-Elect
- 2017 – Ft. Lauderdale, FL – President
- 2018 – Baltimore, MD – Past President

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### Name Executive Committee

- President
- President-Elect
- Immediate Past President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

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### NAME Board of Directors

- State Medicaid
  - Region 1 Representative
  - Region 2 Representative
  - Region 3 Representative
  - At Large Representative
- State Education
  - Region 1 Representative
  - Region 2 Representative
  - Region 3 Representative
  - At Large Representative
- LEAs
  - Region 1 Representative
  - Region 2 Representative
  - Region 3 Representative
  - At Large Representative

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### NAME Committees

- Communications
- Conference
  - 2017
  - 2018
- Membership
- Nominating
- Web

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### Ad Hoc Projects

- Research & Education Committees to be Replaced by Ad Hoc Projects
- Benefits of Ad Hoc Committees
  - Formed for a specific task or objective
  - Are limited in time
  - Able to select interested parties for participation
  - High energy and focused

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### How will you grow?

Professionally – You will cultivate skills and abilities that are necessary in the work environment

Programmatically – Your program will benefit from the experience you gain and the relationships you form

Personally – You will see your maximum potential recognized as you assist in increasing NAME's influence at the state and national levels

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Thank-you!

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