

FCC TASKFORCE SPOTLIGHT



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Meet Kimberly! She serves as an Executive Council Family Partner and Organizational Partner for the Family-Centered Care Taskforce.



How were you personally activated to advocate for and support NICU families?

I founded Saul's Light after my own NICU and bereavement journey.

How does your organization/company/hospital support NICU families?

Saul's Light supports Louisiana's NICU and bereaved families through direct services, education, and advocacy.

What does being part of the FCC Taskforce mean to you personally?

It means doing my part to make meaningful change (improvements in care) for future NICU families.

What are the greatest needs of families in maternal-infant health you observe through your work?

Access to comprehensive services including mental health, breastfeeding, quality pre-and postnatal care.

What is your greatest wish in terms of the positive impact the FCC Taskforce members can make together in maternal-infant health?

My wish is for FCC Taskforce members to create authentic and respectful collaborations to improve health outcomes.

What insight or advice do you have for healthcare professionals who want to implement/strengthen FCC practices in their hospital?

Approach ALL families with curiosity, empathy, and compassion.

Healthcare partners are... *dedicated to saving lives.*

NICU & bereaved parents are... *essential to quality improvement.*

SAUL'S LIGHT

Saul's Light is a non-profit that is committed to supporting NICU and bereaved families through the equitable allocation of community resources and compassionate care.

Their mission is to advance health equity in healthcare, ensuring that every family has access to the support they deserve.



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