## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

The breakout group discussions are a time to draw upon your personal experiences, information from the panel presentations, and input from other group participants to explore multiple solutions to personnel shortages. As in any good brainstorming activity, you are encouraged to "think out of the box" and be creative and innovative.

1. Tell us who you are, where you're from, and one idea that grabbed your attention from today's presentations.
2. Based on your experience, what are the barriers to having an adequate supply of qualified providers?
3. What solutions to these barriers have others successfully used? What are some new/creative solutions?
4. Who are probable partners that you can collaborate with in solving personnel
shortages?

5. What are your goals for addressing personnel shortages?
6. What are your immediate next steps?
7. What are some ways that ASHA can support you in your efforts?
8. How would you like to see ASHA follow up on this forum?
9. What does the group want to present as the salient points?