

Our Mission is to support individuals in the pursuit of their chosen goals and the achievement of personal satisfaction in their lives.

We believe that everyone has right to dream, to live a self-determined life, and to be supported in their efforts to exercise this right.

We have been serving Wayne County residents with disabilities for more than 30 years. Our experience and reputation for excellence help assure that you can reach your dreams.

That's why we're here!



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## School to Work Transition



## Taking the Next Step



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## Transition

As part of the Transition Program offered by Services To Enhance Potential, you will be on your way!

## Plan Your Life!

We will help you design a life plan that will make your dreams and hopes become real. We will help you do what you want to do.

## Get A Job!

We will help you prepare for the world of work, to find a job, and help you be part of the community. We can also help you decide if creating your own self-employment opportunity is the best choice for you. Your choices are wide and many; let us help you explore them.

## Be Happy and Satisfied!

Everyone is working with you toward achieving your own goals. We want you to enjoy what you are doing and to be proud of everything you have accomplished.

## Grow!

Each step will make you more independent and bring you closer to fulfilling your dreams. The Transition Program helps students develop a plan and then gives them the skills



they need to go to work. Believing that each person has the right to determine their path in life, Services to Enhance Potential will work with each student to translate their targeted educational goals into real and practical career choices.

## The Elements of Transition

Although each person is different, there are some specific steps to assure a smooth transition:

- ✓ Identification of your strengths and interests
- ✓ Transition planning
- ✓ Assistance with entitlements
- ✓ Develop or enhance employability skills
- ✓ Explore self-employment opportunities
- ✓ On-the-job support and coaching
- ✓ Daily living skills
- ✓ Self-determination
- ✓ Enhance skills for getting along with others
- ✓ Training to use public transit
- ✓ Consultation with employers

## What Can We Do For You?

The list of services available to students who are beginning to think about the future is extensive, including:

- ✓ Early and continuous planning, beginning at age 14.
- ✓ Providing information about community-based services.

- ✓ Coordinating services that promote and facilitate the job of your dreams.
- ✓ Helping you understand “transfer of rights” when you reach age 18.
- ✓ Planning your career choices
- ✓ Linking to community supports
- ✓ Promoting individual competence
- ✓ Developing employment opportunities before you leave school.

## Start Now...

If you want to start on the road to your future now, contact us:

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