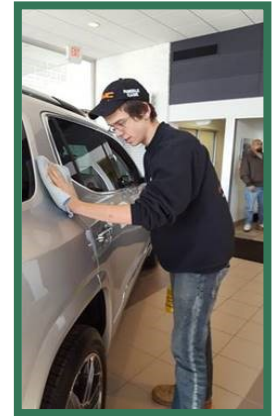




DODD Provider Options Post Graduation



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There are many different options available after graduating from school. Based on your wants and needs, there are many programs available to help you.

If you are not interested in working-

- ⇒ **ADULT DAY SUPPORT (ADS)** - enhances skills, community membership and independence, and personal choice in order to attain or maintain maximum potential.
- ⇒ **ADS COMMUNITY INTEGRATION (CI)**- includes recreation and group activities that are therapeutic in nature that are delivered in an integrated community setting. Services shall be designed to foster the acquisition of skills, build community membership and independence, and expand personal choice.

If you are interested in working-

- ⇒ **VOCATIONAL HABILITATION (VH)**- time limited and provide opportunities to learn and gain new experiences, including volunteering, in order to develop general and transferrable employment-related skills
- ⇒ **VH COMMUNITY INTEGRATION (CI)**- includes learning and work experiences, including volunteer, where the person learns work skills that leads to competitive integrated employment.
- ⇒ **GROUP EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT (EMP)**- provided in a community setting for groups of workers with disabilities who have paid employment and work experiences.
- ⇒ **CAREER PLANNING (CP)**- outcome of this service is the attainment of competitive, integrated employment or career advancement in a competitive, integrated job.

If you need a ride-

- ⇒ **INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT (EMP)**- outcome is to support sustained competitive, integrated employment including customized and self-employment.
- ⇒ **NON-MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION (NMT)** - transportation to waiver services.

Each provider offers a different variety of services. You are able to choose which provider (s) from which you would like to receive services.

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EMPOWER individuals with developmental disabilities to **ENGAGE** in activities that **ENRICH** their lives and contribute to their community.

Ohio Employment First Transition Framework is a critical component to the **Ohio Employment First** structure and is intended to address barriers to transition planning and services in order to achieve meaningful adult outcomes. The Framework was developed by stakeholders from multiple agencies to create processes and highlight practices that can be used by all agencies. These common processes assist professionals to plan, prepare, empower, educate, and connect across systems so as to consistently assist youth with disabilities to realize meaningful, community employment and other valued aspects of adult life.

The Framework is built on three non-negotiable foundational elements that together create a 'filter' to examine the practices and procedures used when working and supporting transition youth. The foundational elements for the activity and practices of the Framework are:

- **Person-centered**
- **Agency-neutral**
- **Outcome-focused**



Adult Service Options

Providers are organized by region, however all are available to individuals in Lake County.

This represents a list of providers who currently provide service in Lake County or to Individuals in Lake County.

You have FREE CHOICE OF PROVIDER. Full list at: <http://providersearch.dodd.ohio.gov/>

Geauga County:	ADS	VH	CI	Emp	CP	NMT
A BETTER CHOICE, SLS - Newbury	X	X		X		X
BRITE DAY (Brittany Residential) - Chardon	X					
CLW (EMPOWERING PEOPLE INC) - Burton	X	X		X	X	X
HIRAM FARMS - Hiram	X					
METZENBAUM (MSI) - Chesterland, Middlefield	X	X		X	X	X
TWO FOUNDATION -Chagrin Falls		X		X	X	

Lake County:	ADS	VH	CI	Emp	CP	NMT
A CARING EMBRACE - Eastlake	X	X				X
ABILITIES UNLIMITED SERVICES, INC - Mentor	X	X				X
Brite Day (Brittany Residential) - Mentor	X					
C & J PROVIDER SERVICES - Mentor (2 locations)	X					X
DAY TO DAY INDEPENDENCE (Creative Solutions to Independence) - Mentor	X					X
EASTWOOD RESIDENTIAL LIVING, INC- Madison	X					X
HILLTOP GROWING CENTER - Perry	X	X		X		X
JCR Imagine Program DEEPWOOD INDUSTRIES - Mentor	X	X				X
PACKIJ SOLUTIONS - Willoughby	X	X				
PATHWAYS (OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE) - Mentor	X	X		X		X
SKILLS FOR LIFE (BRIGHTER HORIZONS) - Madison	X	X		X		X
SPARKS SPECIALIZED SERVICES - Perry	X					X
VIAQUEST DAY & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES - Painesville, Mentor (2 locations)	X	X		X		X

Cuyahoga County:	ADS	VH	CI	Emp	CP	NMT
Active Day (BRIDGES REHABILITATION SERVICES) - Various Locations	X	X		X	X	X
ALPHA CARE – Oakwood Village	X	X		X		X
HELP FOUNDATION - Euclid	X	X		X	X	X
MONARCH LIFEWORKS - Shaker Heights	X	X			X	
SOLUTIONS AT WORK —Maple Heights, Euclid	X	X		X	X	X
SUNRAISE - Highland Heights	X					X
UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY - Cleveland, Highland Hills	X	X		X	X	

Ashtabula County:	ADS	VH	CI	Emp	CP	NMT
ACHIEVING DREAMS - Ashtabula	X	X		X		X
CLW (EMPOWERING PEOPLE INC) - Geneva	X	X		X	X	X
GRAPE ESCAPE - Geneva	X	X		X		X
GREENELIGHT WORKFORCE - Ashtabula	X	X		X		X

Community Based:	ADS	VH	CI	Emp	CP	NMT
ADAPTED ADVANTAGE	X		X			
Community Employment Services (CES) DEEPWOOD INDUSTRIES				X	X	
CUYAHOGA INTEGRATED EMPLOYMENT				X		X
GOODWILL INDUSTRIES				X	X	
H.O.P.E. WORKS				X	X	
INDEPENDENT EMPLOYMENT SERVICES				X		X
KONONIA				X	X	
LINKING EMPLOYMENT, ABILITIES, & POTENTIAL (LEAP)				X	X	
MATRIX VOCATIONAL SERVICES				X	X	
NEW AVENUES TO INDEPENDENCE				X	X	
VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE SERVICES				X		X
VOCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER (VRC)				X	X	
YOU BELONG				X	X	