

Service & Support Administration

Transition Services

The Lake County Board of Developmental Disabilities (LCBDD)/Deepwood recognizes that the transition from high school to adulthood can be challenging for persons who have disabilities. In order to better serve students, we have developed a dedicated Transition Services team.

The Service & Support Administration (SSA) Transition Services team partners with families, local educational entities, and other service providers to offer guidance and be a resource. A Transition SSA is available to serve students aged 14-22 years who have been found eligible for services through the LCBDD.

The Transition SSA is able to help with the following:

- Attend Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) meetings
- Provide information and referral to community resources
- Assist in the development of a Transition Plan for life after school
- Exploration of and linkage to adult services, as appropriate
- Provide support for families as they begin the county board eligibility process

To inquire about Transition Services,
contact one of the SSAs below:

Transition.Services@LakeBDD.org

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Transition Related Resources

- **Lake County Board of DD/Deepwood:** www.LakeBDD.org or call 440-350-5145
- **Social Security:** www.ssa.gov or call 800-772-1213
- **Medicaid:** www.medicaid.ohio.gov or call 800-324-8680
- **STABLE Account:** www.StableAccount.com or call 800-439-1653
- **Employment First:** www.OhioEmploymentFirst.org
- **Guardianship - Probate Court of Lake County:** www.LakeCountyOhio.gov/probate-court or call 440-350-2626

"The whole transition program was a gift. I wouldn't have known where to go or where to look for resources and information. I am very thankful." ~ Transition-Age Parent



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

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