

Community Relations

Advocacy Supports

It is important to know how to be a self-advocate, as well as knowing how to advocate for others who have developmental disabilities in and around our community.

Self-advocacy teaches individuals how to advocate for themselves and teaches others without disabilities about the importance of inclusion. All individuals have the right to take control of their lives and make their own life decisions.

Lake County Aktion Club, a community service group sponsored by Kiwanis International, is open to all adults living with disabilities who want to become community leaders and provide service for others.

Advocacy supports offer benefits of friendship, fellowship and fun. It also extends the opportunity to collaborate on a variety of projects that help our community.



Our County Board's Advocacy Council helps individuals learn important self-determination tools and how to get involved at both the local and state levels.

Advocacy helps teach people without disabilities about seeing ability first and helps start important conversations about inclusion and education.

If you would like more information, please call 440-350-5173 email info@LakeBDD.org.



Lake County Board of Developmental Disabilities/Deepwood

Empower individuals with developmental disabilities to engage in activities that enrich their lives and contribute to their community.



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