Supported Decision Making (SDM) is an alternative to guardianship. Not every individual with an intellectual disability needs guardianship and the subsequent loss of their civil rights. SDM is an approach in which an individual is assisted with their decision making, which will enhance their skills, develop more independence, and allow them to take charge of their life. Tami Jackson from the Wisconsin Board of People with Developmental Disabilities will be our guest.

After viewing the video, please take a very short survey – https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3iy0NyNfTngAAasu

Resource Links

- Southern Regional Center for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs -- https://cyshcn.waisman.wisc.edu/
- Wisconsin Board for People with Developmental Disabilities: https://wi-bpdd.org/
- Family Voices of Wisconsin Fact Sheet on Supported Decision Making: https://familyvoiceswi.org/resource-library/supported-decision-making-for-transition-age-youth/?seq_no=2
- Social Security Administration: https://www.ssa.gov/payee/
- Section 54.26 - Guardian training requirements: https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/statutes/statutes/54/iii/26
- Guardianship Training: https://www.uwgb.edu/guardianship-training/
- Supported Decision Making Disability Rights Wisconsin -- https://disabilityrightswi.org/resource-center/supported-decision-making/
- Guardianship Information Wisconsin State Law Library-- https://wilawlibrary.gov/topics/familylaw/guardian.php
Resource Sheet from the Video

- Guardianship Information WI DHS -- https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/clientrights/guardianship.htm
- National Supportive Decision Making Site -- http://www.supporteddecisionmaking.org/
- Information on Time-limited Guardianship in Minnesota -- https://arcminnesota.org/resource/arc-guide-to-guardianship/
- Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging Resources, Inc (GWAAR): https://gwaar.org/
- GWAAR guardianship resources: https://gwaar.org/guardianship-resources
- Guardianship and Voting Resources: https://disabilityvote.org/2022/guardianship-and-voting-resources/
- Guardianship and Voting: Preserving and Restoring the Right to Vote: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uuPWsbP4OEY

Student led IEP's - some resources to explore

- www.cec.sped.org Student Led IEP’s Council for Exceptional Children
- Self-Directed IEP www.sopriswest.com

Improving student’s attendance and involvement in their IEP by using 11 steps

NTACT the Collaborative
- https://transitionta.org/effective-practices/pd-self-determined-iep/
- Pacer Center My IEP https://www.pacer.org/parent/php/PHP-a55.pdf

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