

Transition Talks Tuesdays

Partners to a Full Life

December 17, 2024

Partners to a Full Life: Independent Living Centers and the Board for People with Developmental Disabilities

Wisconsin is rich in advocacy organizations who are here to support people with disabilities through the lifespan. Come learn about two important connection points to help you live a full life. We welcome in Jason Glozier from Independent Living Centers and Jeremy Gundlach from WI BPDD.

Feedback form: https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_cSWDTxFXRxDMiwe

Resources

- Transition Talks Tuesday Fall 2024: <https://healthtransitionwi.org/transition-talks-tuesdays-fall-2024/>
- Children's Resource Center South: <https://crcsouth.waisman.wisc.edu/>

Wisconsin Board for People with Developmental Disabilities (BPDD)

The Board is dedicated to increasing self-determination, independence, productivity, integration, and inclusion of people with developmental disabilities.

- BPDD: <https://wi-bpdd.org/>
- State Board: <https://wi-bpdd.org/index.php/board/>
- State Plan 2022-2026: <https://wi-bpdd.org/index.php/bpdd-state-plan-2022-2026-public-comments-open/>
- Projects: <https://wi-bpdd.org/index.php/get-involved/>

Independent Living Centers

An independent living center (ILC) is a consumer-directed, non-profit organization that provides four core services: peer support, information and referral, independent living skills training, and person and systems advocacy.

Some ILCs provide additional services, such as community education, training on the Americans with Disabilities Act, personal care, and service coordination.

ILCs are also device loan and device demonstration centers as part of the [WisTech Assistive Technology Program](#).

- Find an Independent Living Center: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/disabilities/physical/ilcs-contact.htm>
- Wisconsin Independent Living Network: <https://il-wis.net/independent-living-centers/>
- Independent Living Council: <https://il-wis.net/independent-living-council/about-the-council/>
- Wisconsin State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL): <https://il-wis.net/independent-living-council/public-notice/>
- Olmstead Decision: https://archive.ada.gov/olmstead/olmstead_about.htm

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Mental Health Resources in Wisconsin

- 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline: <https://988lifeline.org/>
- Wisconsin Family Ties: <https://www.wifamilyties.org/>
- National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Wisconsin: <https://namiwisconsin.org/>
- Mental Health America of Wisconsin: <https://www.mhawisconsin.org/>

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