

Transition BOOTCAMP



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Journey into a Meaningful Life

Tackling Disparities in Transition to Adulthood

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OHIO P2P
Ohio Parent to Parent Statewide
Mentoring & Support Program

Ohio Family to Family

Northern Ohio

Ohio Family to Family (Ohio F2F)

Empowering Ohio Families

About Us

We are here to help families who have children and youth with special healthcare needs and disabilities, and professionals who serve them. Ohio F2F is staffed by Family Support Specialists who have first-hand experiences and who understand.

Supporting Families

Ohio F2F Family Support Specialists are experienced at navigating Ohio's healthcare systems and community services. Through our networks and partnerships in Ohio, we can help guide your family too!

Training and Information

Ohio F2F provides free one-on-one support and training on health-related services, disability services, advocacy, family-centered care, self-care, transition to adulthood, and much more.

Resources

We can help connect you to information and resources that can improve your child's life and your family's life.

Our Goals are to:

- empower you and give you tools to succeed
- get the best healthcare and community services
- work better with your teams, and
- support you to not only survive but thrive!

Connect with us:

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No parent should
feel alone.
Ever.



Are you feeling overwhelmed or isolated because of your child's needs? Do you want to talk with another parent who has similar experiences?

Ohio P2P can connect you!

What is Ohio Parent to Parent?

Ohio P2P is a statewide matching program that matches parents, family members, or caregivers of a person with a disability or special healthcare need. Our program is unique because we match families with an experienced, trained, volunteer support parent.

Who are the Ohio P2P Staff?

Ohio P2P Staff are family members of people with disabilities/special healthcare needs. Ohio P2P staff help match families with similar experiences and backgrounds.

Who are Support Parents?

Support parents are further along in life with a loved one who has a disability or special healthcare need. Support parents are trained using our national P2P training program. Support parents will listen and support others by sharing their experiences in a positive way.

Who are Referred Parents?

Referred parents are any family members or caregivers who would like to connect with another person for support. Some families request a connection for support with: dealing with a new diagnosis, facing challenges your family is experiencing, navigating life, or learning how to handle transition to adulthood.

We Believe:

The support of another parent holds great power and can help build both strength and resilience.

Get Connected: Call: (513) 636-1245

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Search: [Ohio Parent to Parent](#), [P2P USA](#)



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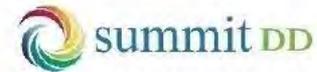


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The Team

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Housing Options & How to Pay for Them

September 29,
2022

In-Person

Time: 6:00-8:00pm

Location: Elmwood Park, Kiwanis Pavilion, 6363 Selig Dr., Independence, OH

Speaker: John Thomas, SSA Manager, Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Where will your loved one live in the future when you can no longer care for them? Are there housing options where they can live a full life in the community?

- Talk with North East Ohio professionals and housing agencies who serve people with disabilities
- Tour the Cuyahoga County BDD Assistive Technology Vehicle that shows tools to help people live independently

Register: <https://bit.ly/35PFm1D>



College & Careers



Thursday, November 17 –

Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Location: Zoom

Speaker: Amy Harker, Career & Innovation Specialist,
Northeast Ohio Educational Service Center

Register: <https://bit.ly/3JleXGq>



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- Nikki Montgomery, Program Manager, *Family Voices, National*
- Patricia Parker, Advocate for Individuals with Disabilities and their families and founder of REACH Services, Inc.
- Tina Dobbins, Parent Advocate in the Down syndrome community and active member of Ohio Family to Family's Family-Caregiver Professional Advisory Council.
- Gwen Pierson, Our Tribe community advisory board member and parent. (Our Tribe supports and promotes justice and equity for the Black Autism Community in Cincinnati.)

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