

Adult Service Resources

Association for Individual Development (AID)

Main Office
309 W New Indian Trail Court
Aurora, IL 60506

Main Office
630-966-4000

www.the-association.org
info@the-association.org

Elgin Center
1135 Bowes Road
Elgin, IL 60123

Elgin Center
847-931-6200

For 52 years the Association for Individual Development (AID) has provided services to individuals who have developmental, physical and/or mental disabilities, those who have suffered a trauma or those at risk. All clients have access to vital, life enriching services including: early intervention; developmental therapy; autism programs; audiology; respite care; permanent, affordable housing; developmental and vocational training; job placement and on-the-job coaching services; crisis intervention; victims services; mental health treatment; health and wellness; behavioral intervention; community education and advocacy.

Crystal Lake Park District Program

One East Crystal Lake Ave.
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

815-459-0680

www.crystallakeparks.org
info@CrystalLakeParks.org

NISRA staff assists the Crystal Lake Park District staff with including residents with disabilities in Park District programs. Types of support may include staff training, adapted equipment, sign language assistance or a program aide. Call (815) 459-0737 with questions about inclusion, or contact the Park District to register for a program.

Clearbrook Intake

1835 W Central Road
Arlington Heights, IL 60005

847-870-7711

www.clearbrook.org
info@clearbrook.org

Clearbrook provides services, programs and support for children and adults with autism, Down syndrome, cerebral palsy and other intellectual/developmental disabilities as well as their families.

Countryside Association Intake

21154 W Shirley Road
Palatine, IL

847-438-8855

www.countrysideassn.org

Countryside Association exists for the primary purpose of increasing opportunity ... opportunity for children and adults with disabilities to create satisfying lives through achieving their personal goals and dreams.

DRS / Division of Rehabilitation Services / Illinois Dept of Human Services

452 N. McLean Blvd
Elgin, IL 60123

847-931-2360
847-931-2379 fax

<http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx>
www.dhs.state.il.us

The Illinois Department of Human Services' Division of Rehabilitation Services (DRS) is the state's lead agency serving individuals with disabilities. DRS works in partnership with people with disabilities and their families to assist them in making informed choices to achieve full community participation through employment, education, and independent living opportunities.

DRS is committed to provide services that ensure youth with disabilities have the knowledge, skills, and experience they need to successfully transition into the world of work. DRS collaborates with many partners throughout the state to offer a continuum of coordinated transition services designed to help youth with disabilities become productive, self-sufficient adults. Many of these services are provided in cooperation with local high schools.

Family Benefit Solutions

1110 W Lake Cook Rd, Suite #150
Buffalo Grove IL 60089

847-279-8506
847-279-8507 fax

www.Familybenefitsolutions.com
benefithelp@aol.com

For more than 25 years, Sherri Schneider as founder of Family Benefit Solutions, Inc. has been tirelessly dedicated to helping individuals with special needs and their families.

Sherri meets privately with families to thoroughly assess their individual situation and pursue the appropriate benefit assistance program(s), personally guiding them through the application process. Based on her vast experience, she has skillfully established and maintained open, productive relationships with government agencies involved in the decision-making process. Professionals and family groups find her in-service expertise to be invaluable as they navigate the government benefit process.

Medicaid

512 Clay Street
Woodstock, IL 60098

815-338-0234

www.dhs.state.il.us

McHenry County Adult Program (MCCAP)

620 Dakota Street
Crystal Lake, IL 60012

815-207-5617

www.mccapgm.org/

McCAP is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that serves a small group of young adults with special needs in McHenry County. With a 2:1 student to staff ratio, each participant is encouraged and supported to reach their full potential and improve their quality of life.

MCRide

Crystal Lake, McHenry & Woodstock

To Reserve a Trip call
800-451-4599

<https://www.co.mchenry.il.us/county-government/departments-j-z/transportation/mcride>

The dial-a-ride services in Crystal Lake, McHenry, and Woodstock have been combined into one coordinated service called **MCRide**. This has made it easier for suburban commuters and persons with disabilities to schedule and use dial-a-ride services in McHenry County, has improved access to jobs and job related activities, and has provided greater mobility to all individuals. This service receives a portion of its funding from the Federal Transit Administration of the U.S. Department of Transportation through grants administered by the RTA. Registration is not required but encouraged. Visit the website for detailed information.

In addition to MCRide, there are also **three Pace bus routes in McHenry County**. These buses run on a schedule, usually three or four round-trip "runs" in the morning (5:30-9:30 A.M.) and three or four more in the afternoon (2:00-6:00 P.M.). The benefits of riding the fixed bus is not having to call ahead to schedule your trip and. Visit the website to view or download the PACE bus schedules.

NISRA Life Program (Leisure Increases Freedom & Enjoyment)

285 Memorial Drive
Crystal Lake, IL 60012

815-459-0737

www.nisra.org/programs/adult-transition.html
info@nisra.org

Since 1976, NISRA has provided recreation programs for people with disabilities. Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association (NISRA) Socializing, building physical skills, learning, relaxation and fun are some of the benefits gained from participating in NISRA's year round programs. Sports, fitness, social, cultural, outdoor and preschool programs, along with camps, special events and trips offer enjoyment for children, teens and adults of all ability levels.

Nunda Township Ride Service

3518 Bay Road
Crystal Lake, IL 60012

815-459-4410

<http://nundaroaddistrict.com/senior-citizens-bus/>

Van service for seniors and persons with disabilities. The van runs Monday thru Friday from 7AM until 2PM. The cost is \$2.00 per ride. We do not have a wheelchair lift, and the individuals must be mobile and able to get on and off the van on their own. Our driver cannot do any lifting. Our van runs mainly between Crystal Lake and McHenry. We have several regular, daily riders, mainly for Pioneer Center. This means our schedule is limited and on a first call, first serve basis. Riders need to call ahead at least 24 hours in advance. Please call 815-459-4410 for more information.

Options and Advocacy

365 Millennium Drive, Suite A,
Crystal Lake, IL 60012

815-477-4720
815-477-4700 fax

www.optionsandadvocacy.org

Provides pre-admission screening and case coordination services to people with developmental disabilities.

Pioneer Center

4001 W Dayton Street
McHenry, IL 60050

815-344-1230 Intake
815-344-1230 Respite

www.pioneercenter.org/
GetHelp@pioneercenter.org

Our respite program provides relief to families who have children and/or adults with cognitive, developmental, emotional or physical disabilities. There are two ways that this program can be utilized:

- In-Home Care Funds—voucher system where the parent or legal guardian chooses their own respite caregiver for in-home care who they pay directly. The parent or legal guardian is then reimbursed through Pioneer Center.
- Non-Home Based Services—funds community integration such as NISRA, park district activities, horseback riding, swimming, etc. Pioneer Center pays the organization that is providing the service directly. Pioneer Center also reimburses the parent or legal guardian for these activities if they have already paid.

Social Security

2450 Lake Shore Drive
Woodstock, IL 60098

815-338-3751

<http://socialsecurityhop.com/offices/social-security-office-woodstock-il-60098-illinois>