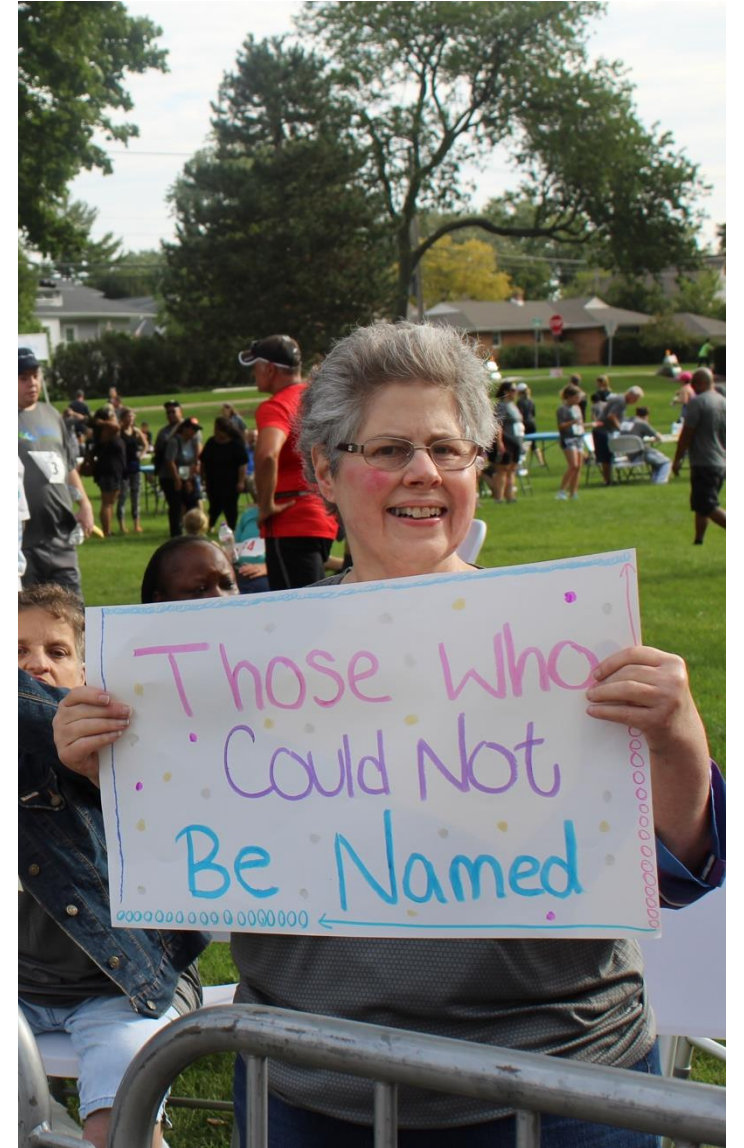


Respite Programs

- Clearbrook Respite programs are designed to give the caregiver of a person with an intellectual/developmental disability a break.
- Clearbrook is one of many providers in the state of Illinois who provide DHS grant funded respite services.

Who we serve:

- Families with an individual with a intellectual/developmental disability that requires a caregiver.
- The individual lives in one of the following counties:
 - Lee, Dekalb, Stephenson, Winnebago, Jo Daviess, Ogle, Boone, Cook, Lake, Will, Kankakee, Grundy, Kendall, Kane, McHenry, DuPage
 - For referrals outside of these counties, contact the IL respite coalition at
 - 866.455.7377
 - email: irc.programassistant@gmail.com



Who we serve (continued)

The individual is NOT currently enrolled in any of the following:

- DDD funded residential services such as Home Based Services or CILA through the Home Based Medicaid Waiver.
- HFS DSCC waiver (DSCC non waiver services are still eligible)
- DRS home support program (DRS vocational services are still eligible)
- DHS funded respite services from another provider
- HFS Family Support Program

Types of Respite



Voucher

- All ages



In Home

- All ages



Group

- 18 years +
- Crystal Lake and Palatine

**Families are asked to choose between Voucher and In Home respite



Voucher Respite

- Reimburses families for eligible services
- Runs from July 1st – June 30th
- Yearly reimbursement max: \$1017.10
 - Timesheets submitted monthly, including receipt of payment
 - Reimbursed monthly via direct deposit
- There is currently a waitlist

Eligible vs Not Eligible Services

Eligible	Not Eligible
Direct Care Support	Medical bills
Special Recreation Programs	Individual Therapies (PT/OT/Speech/Behavior/etc.)
Day Programs / Day Care	Virtual Programming
	Recreational or medical equipment
	General recreation costs (e.g. pool pass)

Voucher: Direct Care Support

- Family pays a private staff member to work with their loved one
 - Staff do not need to be hired/trained by Clearbrook
- Reimbursement rate \$18/hour
 - Equates to about 56.5 hours
- Private staff member cannot be:
 - Parent
 - Spouse
 - Living in the same household

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In Home Respite

In this program, staff are hired, trained, and paid by Clearbrook

- Staff can work 125 hours between July 1st – June 30th
- Pay Rate: \$17.75/hour
- Staff requirements:
 - 18 years+, with High School diploma or equivalent
 - Not a parent, spouse, or living in the same household
 - Attend an interview, orientation, online training and CPR/FA training in Arlington Heights, IL
 - There is currently a waitlist



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Group Respite

- Adult Program (18 years +)
- Held two Saturdays per month in Crystal Lake and Palatine IL
- Runs from 9 AM – 2:30 PM
- The maximum capacity is 10 clients with 2 staff
- Consists of in program activities and community outings

OTHER PROVIDERS UPDATE

- IL respite coalition: referrals and emergency voucher respite
 - 866.455.7377
 - email: irc.programassistant@gmail.com
- List of other IL providers:
 - <https://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=163600>

Contact Information

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www.clearbrook.org/respite

How to apply

- Contact Michelle Bosco for questions/application
- Submit application by email or mail to Michelle Bosco
 - mbosco@Clearbrook.org
 - 6500 Northwest Highway #2C
 - Crystal Lake, IL 60014
 - *Para asistencia en español contactar a Sharon Robles al srobles@clearbrook.org o 224-416-4109*
- Link to application:

<https://www.clearbrook.org/respitapplication/>

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Maternity Leave

Michelle will be on leave November 6th, 2024– February 4th, 2025

During this time:

- respite@clearbrook.org
- [Brenda Devito: 847 385 5011](tel:8473855011)



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