

Checklist/Timeline For Successful Transition Planning

At ages 11-14 (6th-8th grades)THE STUDENT SHOULD:

- ☐ Connect with local Developmental Disability Office for adult funding waitlist and Targeted Case Management services. Sedgwick County Developmental Disability Organization, SCDDO; www.sedgwickcounty.org, ph: 316-660-7630. Applying for the IDD or PD waiver is important for funding.
- ☐ Invite care coordinators and/or case managers to all IEP meetings. Connect school & case management with your outside resources to create a team for your child.
- ☐ Connect with Comcare for comprehensive services for children with mental health issues <https://www.sedgwickcounty.org/comcare/> ph:(316) 660-7500
- ☐ Check if your child qualifies for Medicaid or SSI <https://www.ssa.gov/> ph (800) 772-1213
- ☐ Connect with Families together for education regarding special education and child supports- <https://familiesaltogetherinc.org/>
- ☐ Connect with the Independent Learning Resource center ILRC for equipment and other supports: <https://ilrcks.org/> ph: 316-942-6300
- ☐ Identify and help your child to connect with groups that share similar interests: athletic, faith-based, creative arts, humanitarian, civic, 4-H, and cultural.
- ☐ Broaden experiences with community activities and expand friendships (AbilityPoint <formerly The Arc>; Circle of Friends, Special Olympics, YESS Camp).
- ☐ Aid your child to be able to explain their disability and their needed accommodations. Encourage your child to make choices and to positively share what they want to help develop self advocacy skills
- ☐ Obtain a state identification card from the DMV and the ability to communicate personal information.
- ☐ Explore interests and skills, complete interest and career inventories, and identify additional education or training needs to improve skills.
- ☐ Expect your child to complete household chores. Laundry, dishes, cleaning, etc..
- ☐ Practice transportation options *outside of the family* (Wichita/Para Transit)
- ☐ Assist your child to use Money management and Budgeting skills-Take them shopping and make they pay.
- ☐ Connect with the Transition Council of South-Central Kansas
- ☐ Assist your child to learn Cooking and housekeeping skills
- ☐ Connect with other parent/guardians and advocates through the Advocates in Communities Team (ACT) to learn how to share your story to make positive changes for your family and others.
- ☐ Update any and all service and support providers of changes in address, phone and other contact information.

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Agency Links

- Sedgwick County Developmental Disability Organization, SCDDO; 615 N Main St, Wichita, KS 67203 ph: 316-660-7630. <https://www.sedgwickcounty.org/developmental-disabilities/>

Complete list of Affiliated IDD Providers can be found on their site with services & contact information

- Kansas Department of Children and Family Services-Vocational Rehabilitation Services/PreETS (Employment or Training) 2601 S. Oliver St. Wichita, KS 67210 Phone 316-337-6296 <http://www.dcf.ks.gov/services/pages/mapvr.aspx?plQuery=county:Sedgwick>
- Social Security Administration Office, Wichita; 3216 N Cypress St, Wichita, KS 67226; <https://www.ssoffice.location.com/wichita-social-security-office-so522>
- Kansas Department of Revenue Division and Vehicles; 1873 W. 21st N., Wichita, KS 67203 (Driver's license or Kansas Identification Card) **OR** 620 N. Rock Rd. #300, Derby, Kansas 67037
- Selective Service; <https://www.usa.gov/selective-service> (All adult males must register)
- Wichita Transit; www.wichitatransit.org
- KanCare; www.kancare.ks.gov (Health Insurance or Medicaid)
- Families Together; <https://famielstoegetherinc.org/>
- I Grad; <https://www.igrad.com/> Vocational surveys; <http://lifeafterieps.com/reading-free-career-interest-assessments/>
- End Dependence Kansas (EDK) work and training program -- CPRF 5111 E 21st Wichita, Kansas 67208 www.cprf.org
- AbilityPoint <formerly The Arc> Circle of Friends mentoring program (Contact your student's IEP manager; if they do not have a current program, encourage them to contact AbilityPoint)
- Advocates in Communities Team (ACT) of South Central Ks. Meeting at AbilityPoint (formerly The Arc); 2919 W 2nd St N, Wichita, KS 67203; 943-1191
- Rainbows United; early intervention and supportive home care. www.RainbowsUnited.org
- Guardianship/Supported Decision Making <https://www.kansaslegalservices.org/topics/28/guardianship-conservatorship>
- Independent Living Resource Center; <https://ilrcks.org/>