

Adult Task Force

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

10:00–11:00 a.m.

Minutes



1. Welcome and Introductions

Patti Shrom, Cate Fopma, Joan Dostal, Scott Brown, Sarah Cadle, Jennifer Brown, Patrick Ober, Christie DeMoss, Heather Moore, Kim Lanthorn

Heather Moore – add to Adult, Warren County, Safety list

2. Spotlight

- CCHMC Neurobehavioral Unit – Christie DeMoss
- Healthcare issues
- Local residential providers – attend meetings + tell us more about their programs
- Update on trainings
- Places that serve significant behaviors – what do they do and how?

3. Around the Region: Program Updates

- RAAC
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- Autism Connections
 - ASGC Event Calendar: <https://www.autismcincy.org/events/>
- SALT
 - Focusing on parents this year
 - Schedule coming out in August
- Clermont County
 - Hiring job coach –
 - Developing new job opportunities
- KAA
 - Hiring ED
- Warren County
 - Hiring job coaches –
 - Lots of summer employment opportunities for clients
 - SAPC (substance abuse prevention coalition) – worked with to provide education on safety
- ABS Transitions
 - Hiring – trouble lasting staff/DSPs

The Regional Autism Advisory Council Adult Task Force of Southwest of Ohio is committed to enhancing the resources, advocacy, education, and access to transition services for families with adults 18+ through networking, sharing updates, services, and training opportunities across the region.

- Adult Day program – referred big behaviors – where to send, who is taking them
- Community program – can handle some of these behaviors
- Stepping Stones
 - Finding and maintaining staff for positions
 - This limits the ability to support low ratios and moderate behaviors
 - If we can't serve them, who does?
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4. Policy Updates

- Silver Alert Law

5. Training & Events

Electronic pdfs can be found at: <https://tinyurl.com/RAACflyers>

- [Cincinnati Art Museum](#)
 - Sensory Saturdays
- [iFly](#)
 - All Abilities Night
- [Ohio P2P Parent Support](#)
 - Are you interested in providing support to other families who have a loved one with a disability or special healthcare need? Please join us as we build this network. Find the flyer with more information on becoming a support parent here. Email questions or application to marion.cosgroverauch@cchmc.org
- [Ohio Special Education Response Team \(OSERT\)](#)
 - meeting 4th Wednesday of every month from 12:00–1:00 p.m.
- SALT Series and Resources
 - SALT Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/SALTSouthwestOH>
 - SALT Livebinder: <https://bit.ly/SALTSWOH>
 - SALT Google Drive: <https://bit.ly/SALTTALKSGOOGLE>
 - SALT YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0IRMRO59X4ISEQ7aiR3KrQ>
- DDBP Outreach Calendar
- Other

6. Task Force Focus/Goals

- Adults that don't fit into the community mold – access to abundance of resources to best support clients

- With the forming of CARI, what is the difference of that vs. adult task force? What is the work of each group and how do they differ? CARI – statewide
- Looking for resources that are broader than employment services and supports
- Now what? Life after transition
- New programs, new resources, new policies
- Interpersonal relationships
- Online safety

7. **Next Task Force Meeting**

- July 25, 2023 @ 10 a.m.
- Zoom info
 - <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/95495278757?pwd=NEZvdVpRVdVGZWU6RlFCeG9QVk9WUT09>
 - Meeting ID: 954 9527 8757
 - Passcode: RAAC