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# BOONE COUNTY RESOURCE GUIDE





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## BOONE COUNTY TRANSITION RESOURCE GUIDE

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### Government Agencies/Employment Services

Name and Services	Contact Person/Information
<p><b>1. Arc Greater Boone County-Job Connection:</b> Helps companies to match job openings with employees who are qualified Vocational Rehabilitation participants. If you are an individual with a barrier to employment and you desire a job in your community, an Employment Consultant would be assigned to assist you in finding and maintaining employment.</p>	<p><b>Job Connection Staff:</b> Troy Frisz/Tracy Creek/Shannon Riley Phone: 765-482-6815 Ext 161 Email: Troy - <a href="mailto:tfrisiz@thearcgbc.org">tfrisiz@thearcgbc.org</a> Tracy - <a href="mailto:tcreek@thearcgbc.org">tcreek@thearcgbc.org</a> Shannon – <a href="mailto:sriley@thearcgbc.org">sriley@thearcgbc.org</a></p>
<p><b>2. BDDS – Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services:</b> Assists individuals in receiving community support and residential services enabling them to live independently. Point of entry for group home/Medicaid waiver services.</p>	<p>2620 Kessler Blvd East Suite 105 Indianapolis, IN 45220 Phone: 317-205-0101  <a href="http://www.in.gov/fssa/ddrs/2639.htm">www.in.gov/fssa/ddrs/2639.htm</a></p>
<p><b>3. Benchmark Employment Services:</b> Works as partners with people with all types of barriers and their families to help them reach their fullest potential and identifying vocational opportunities that lead to the greatest job satisfaction.</p>	<p>Contact: Glenda Agostino Toll Free: 877-778-3611 Email: <a href="mailto:gagostino@BenchmarkHS.com">gagostino@BenchmarkHS.com</a></p>
<p><b>4. CARS (Child, Adult, Resource Services):</b> C.A.R.S. provides support services for children, families and adults. In Boone County we provide Employment Services to assist all people with various challenges or disabilities find and retain employment.</p>	<p>Contact: Megan Kincaid Phone: 317-989-6339 <a href="http://www.cars-services.org">www.cars-services.org</a></p>
<p><b>5. Best Buddies:</b> Community Employment Services</p>	<p>Contact: Kim Harvey  Phone: 317-436-8440  Email: <a href="mailto:kimharvey@bestbuddies.org">kimharvey@bestbuddies.org</a></p>
<p><b>6. Children’s Special Healthcare Services:</b> Provides supplemental medical coverage to help families of children who have serious, chronic medical conditions, age birth to 21 years of age, who meet the program's financial and medical criteria, pay for treatment related to their child's condition.</p>	<p>Contact: Brenda Cockrell Phone: 317-234-8212 <a href="https://gateway.isdh.in.gov/CSHCS/index.html">https://gateway.isdh.in.gov/CSHCS/index.html</a></p>



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<p><b>7. Indiana Works-Aspire Employment Services:</b> Assists individuals with employment of their choice that meets their goals and expectations.</p>	<p>Contact: Tina Skeel Phone: 1-855-641-8382</p>
<p><b>8. Indiana Professional Management Group IPMG</b> is a statewide provider of case management services for individuals who participate in the Community Integration and Habilitation Waiver and the Family Supports Waiver.</p>	<p>Contact: Laura Shelley  Website: <a href="http://www.gotoipmg.com">www.gotoipmg.com</a>  Phone: 1-866-672-4764  <a href="mailto:customerservice@gotoipmg.com">customerservice@gotoipmg.com</a></p>
<p><b>9. Tangram:</b> has a database that matches individuals with disabilities to open employment options. Job seekers with disabilities can create their profile and use it at no charge.</p>	<p>Contact: Steve Clossey Phone: 317-968-9049 <a href="http://www.workforceaccelerator.com">www.workforceaccelerator.com</a></p>
<p><b>10. Vocational Rehabilitation(VR):</b> Provides services for individuals with disabilities to assist them with preparing for, seeking and maintaining employment. This is a voluntary program and not an entitlement and all services offered are free of charge.</p>	<p>Kessler Office: Boone County Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor  Adriana Lopez  Phone: 317-205-0100</p>
<p><b>11. WorkOne Lebanon:</b> Helps you identify your employment needs, learn about the job market in the location where you want to work, and be referred to job openings that match your interests, skills, and experience. WorkOne can help you land your first job, whether it is part time or full. They will help you develop a winning resume that sells your skills and abilities, even if you've never had a paid job.</p>	<p>Contact: Vivian-Parnell-Helem Email: <a href="mailto:vparnell-helem@workonecentral.org">vparnell-helem@workonecentral.org</a>; Phone: 765-482-0160</p>

## Technology/Education/Community Resources

Name and Services	Contact Information
<p>1. <b>BATS – Boone Area Transit System</b> County wide transportation for all ages Runs Monday-Friday 7:30AM-4:30PM</p>	<p>Boone County Senior Services, Inc.  Phone: 765-482-5220 (Transportation Department)  Website: <a href="http://www.booneseniors.org">www.booneseniors.org</a></p>



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<p><b>2. Close Education:</b> The online diagnostic and instructional math and reading programs offer proven, results in short timeframes. Teaches reading and math by bringing the best instructional technology to each student at his or her particular level.</p>	<p>Contact: Laura Close          Phone: 317-409-4403          Email: <a href="mailto:laura@closeeducation.com">laura@closeeducation.com</a>           Website: <a href="http://www.closeeducation.com">www.closeeducation.com</a></p>
<p><b>3. EYE Can See, Inc.:</b> <i>Provides assistive technologies for visual impairments. We have a demo center open to the public and we provide on-site demonstrations, training, delivery and setup for all of the products we represent along with Orientation &amp; Mobility training.</i></p>	<p>Contact: Greg Blackman          Phone: 317-258-6747          Email: <a href="mailto:greglowvision@gmail.com">greglowvision@gmail.com</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.eyecanseeinc.com">www.eyecanseeinc.com</a></p>
<p><b>4. Let's Go Learn, Inc.:</b> Reading and Math Assessments</p>	<p>1-888-618-7323  <a href="http://www.letsgolearn.com">www.letsgolearn.com</a></p>
<p><b>5. PATINS Project:</b> Provides a state-wide technical assistance network to support local educational agencies in developing their capacity to provide assistive/accessible technology devices and services for students with special learning needs.</p>	<p>Contact: Kelli Suding          Phone: 317-800-7774          Email: <a href="mailto:ksuding@ciesc.k12.in.us">ksuding@ciesc.k12.in.us</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.patinsproject.com">www.patinsproject.com</a></p>

### Service Providers

Name and Services	Contact Information
<p><b>1. The Arc of Greater Boone County</b>  <b>Transition:</b> Assists students and families to access options for the future. The coordinator can help you link options for services and funding streams to support the graduating individual. Families work with the transition teams from school to go through Vocational Rehabilitation; Family Support Waiver Services to assure the individual is working towards a meaningful adult community life.</p> <p><b>Mainstreet Enterprises:</b> Entrepreneurial micro-businesses offer opportunity for work training, experience and employment. Arc Artisans earn money while creating pottery and paintings, while Gasoline Alley teaches employees sales and inventory skills.</p>	<p><b>Transition Coordinator:</b>          Karen Lucas          Phone: 765-482-6815          Email: <a href="mailto:klucas@thearcgbc.org">klucas@thearcgbc.org</a></p> <p><b>Production Coordinator:</b>          Jessica Alexander          Phone: 765-482-6815          Email: <a href="mailto:jalexander@thearcgbc.org">jalexander@thearcgbc.org</a></p>



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<p>Contract work allows opportunity to learn job skills, social skills and to gain valuable work experience.</p> <p><b>Community Membership:</b> Through the family supports Waiver and the Community Integration Waiver, you may be eligible to participate in one or more of our Community Membership programs. You will be supported in making your own decisions to create a life you want. Explore hobbies, join a club, meet new friends, discover new places, volunteer and learn new things.</p> <p><b>Personal &amp; Community Services (PCS):</b>  <b>Basic Development:</b> Support for individuals with significant needs learning to develop communication and daily living skills.  <b>Habilitation:</b> Support for developing skills and experience for a meaningful daily life. Individuals have the opportunities for cooking, gardening, recreation, reading, art, music, clubs, volunteering and exploring in the community. Staff is trained in assisting participants to become as independent as possible.</p>	<p><b>Community Membership Manager:</b>            Chad Johnson            Phone: 765-482-6815            Email: <a href="mailto:cjohnson@thearcgbc.org">cjohnson@thearcgbc.org</a></p> <p><b>Day Services Manager:</b>            Christie Kincaid-Shores            Phone: 765-482-6815            Email: <a href="mailto:ckincaid@thearcgbc.org">ckincaid@thearcgbc.org</a></p>
<p><b>2. Behavior Analysis Center for Autism (BACA):</b>            Uses the principles and procedures of Applied Behavior Analysis to teach language, social, self-help, academic, daily living and life skills to children and young adults with autism and related disorders throughout Indiana.</p>	<p>Contact: Colin Clayton            Phone: 317-436-8961            Website: <a href="http://www.thebaca.com">www.thebaca.com</a></p>
<p><b>3. Bridges Autism Therapy: Provides</b> services for individuals with disabilities as well as the aging population emphasizing community integration, independence, and individualism. They believe all people with disabilities have the right to choose where and with whom they live and work. A Medicaid Waiver provider.</p>	<p>Daryl Thompson, Director of Intake            Phone: 317-903-7845</p>
<p><b>4. CICOA- Aging &amp; In-Home Solutions:</b>            CICOA Aging &amp; In-Home Solutions empowers older adults, people with disabilities, and family caregivers to achieve the greatest possible independence, dignity and quality of life. This mission is accomplished by implementation of a wide variety of services that include in-home assistance with activities of daily</p>	<p>Contact: Resource Center at CICOA            Phone: (317)-803-6131            (800)- 432-2422            Website: <a href="http://www.cicoa.org">www.cicoa.org</a></p>



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<p>living, case management, transportation, information and referrals.</p>	
<p><b>5. Developmental Disabilities Systems, Inc./DDSi:</b> Serves the unique needs of people who have developmental disabilities to assist their attainment of life goals in a variety of settings. Services offered include assessment, behavior development, and training. This support is provided within a team context that stresses collaboration with family members and with staff of other agencies from which the consumer is receiving services.</p>	<p>Contact: Julie Williams Phone: 317-477-8240 Ext. 7055 Email: <a href="mailto:jwilliams@ddsi-in.com">jwilliams@ddsi-in.com</a> Website: <a href="http://www.ddsi-in.com">www.ddsi-in.com</a></p>
<p><b>6. Easter Seals- INDATA:</b> Provides assistive technology solutions. It has partnered with the State of IN, <u>Bureau of Rehabilitative Services</u> to establish the Indiana Assistive Technology Act (INDATA). The project is federally-funded designed to increase access and awareness of assistive technology. The services include: Info and refunding assistance, public awareness, education, device demonstration, device loan, reutilized computers and equipment.</p>	<p>Contact: Justin Amber Phone: 317-466-2013 x2421 Website: <a href="http://www.eastersealstech.com">www.eastersealstech.com</a></p>
<p><b>7. Easter Seals Crossroads:</b> Transitioning High School students to Adult life, Easter Seals Crossroads Adult Services (Day Services, Employment Services, driving assessment &amp; training)</p>	<p>Contact: Keith Fox <a href="mailto:kfox@eastersealscrossroads.org">kfox@eastersealscrossroads.org</a> <a href="http://www.eastersealscrossroads.com">www.eastersealscrossroads.com</a></p>
<p><b>8. Help at Home:</b> is a Home Health Agency that provides care for those with Developmental Disabilities. Provides the following services; Residential, Community, Respite, Personal Attendant Care and Caregiver support. These services are intended to support individuals in acquiring skills and participating in community life according to their own interests and abilities.</p>	<p>Contacts: Michael Rudolph Email: <a href="mailto:mrudolp@helppathome.com">mrudolp@helppathome.com</a> Phone: 317-273-8049</p>
<p><b>9. Houston Group Homes:</b> Group homes for adults</p>	<p>Contact: Laura Rennick Phone: 765-361-1950</p>
<p><b>10. Indiana Mentor:</b> Group homes and waiver services for adults and children.</p>	<p>Contact: Becky Sigmon Phone: 317-208-7721</p>
<p><b>11. I Can We Can:</b> Pediatric &amp; Young Adult innovative therapy programs, as well as adaptive athletics programs.</p>	<p>Contact: Kelly Donley Phone: 224-515-9060 Email: <a href="mailto:kelly@icanwecan.org">kelly@icanwecan.org</a></p>
<p><b>12. LEL Home Services:</b> Provides person and family centered support services that ensures the health, safety, satisfaction and dignity of the individual in homes and community.</p>	<p>Contact: Jean Eaves Phone: 317-749-8839 Email: <a href="mailto:jeaves@lelhs.com">jeaves@lelhs.com</a></p>





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<p><b>13. Meridian Health Services:</b>The Connections Program is designed to improve coping skills and overall well-being of those who have both intellectual and mental challenges.</p>	<p>Contact: Sam Keeler Phone: 317-803-2270 Email: <a href="mailto:sam.keeler@meridianhs.org">sam.keeler@meridianhs.org</a></p>
<p><b>14. New Hope of Indiana:</b> a not for profit, faith-based programs for persons with developmental disabilities &amp; traumatic brain injuries. Services include group homes and day services, Waiver services, Behavior Management/Consultation.</p>	<p>Contact: Amy Flint Phone: 317-338-4535 Email: <a href="mailto:aflint@newhopeofindiana.org">aflint@newhopeofindiana.org</a></p>
<p><b>15. Noble of Indiana:</b> Creates opportunities for children and adults with disabilities to live meaningful lives. Services include community job placements, prevocational training, adult daily living skill instruction, community integration behavioral support, community living and respite services.</p>	<p>Noble of Indiana Phone: 317-375-2700</p>
<p><b>16. Opportunities for Positive Growth/OPG:</b> is a human service agency committed to providing meaningful and dignified support to individuals with developmental disabilities. Home and Community based services for people desiring skill development through music therapy, residential &amp; community habilitation, and/or behavioral supports.</p>	<p>Contact: Andrea Schwartz Phone: 317-813-1780 Email: <a href="mailto:aschwartz@opgrowth.com">aschwartz@opgrowth.com</a> Website: <a href="http://www.opgrowth.com">www.opgrowth.com</a></p>
<p><b>17. Outside the Box:</b> Offers day services, employment services and art. Curriculum includes social and communication skills, daily living, self-care, relationship, sensory/motor development, community living, problem solving, independence, task completion, safety, volunteerism, job-readiness and self advocacy.</p>	<p>Contact: Katy Bird Email: <a href="mailto:kbird@otbonline.org">kbird@otbonline.org</a> Phone: 317-253-6658</p>
<p><b>18. Sycamore Services, Inc:</b> Provides Employment, Day and Community and Residential Services.</p>	<p>Contact: Debbie Mitchell Phone: 317-690-5495 Website:<a href="http://www.sycamoreservices.com">www.sycamoreservices.com</a></p>
<p><b>19. Tangram:</b> Creates innovative options for persons living with disability-from employment to business ownership to independent living and active social lives with friends and family. Services include Life Coaching, residential support, community integration, behavioral health, Business Resourcing Consulting, employment services, and Workforce Accelerator job matching database.</p>	<p>Contact: Shannon Smith Phone: 317-968-9045 Website: <a href="http://www.thetangramway.org">www.thetangramway.org</a></p>
<p><b>20. WALLS-</b> Working Adults Learning Lifelong Skills Inc. provides a safe, secure, friendly, and fun workplace that develops self-worth, lifelong skills, and further reinforces educational skills for each adult at his or her individual level.</p>	<p>Contact: LuAnn Myers  Phone: 317-965-6393</p>



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W.A.L.L.S. provides Adult Day Services, Facility and Community Based Habilitation, as well as Respite Services and is a CARF accredited Medicaid Waiver provider.

Email: [wallsinc@ymail.com](mailto:wallsinc@ymail.com)

Website: [www.walls-inc.org](http://www.walls-inc.org)

## Community-Based Extracurricular

Name and Services	Contact Information
<p>1. <b>ArtMix:</b> Transforms the lives of people with disabilities through the creation of art. We utilize a mixture of to serve individuals with diverse abilities and creative expression.</p>	<p>Contact: Gayle Holtman</p> <p>Phone: 317-974-4123</p> <p>E-Mail: <a href="mailto:lmaher@artmixindiana.org">lmaher@artmixindiana.org</a></p>
<p>2. <b>Arc Artisans:</b> An entrepreneurial program of emerging artists at The Arc of Greater Boone County. Professional teaching artists provide instruction and support in producing artwork and developing skills in creative expression, craftsmanship and small business management. Arc Artisans earn money working in groups and individually, mastering various techniques on tasks and projects that fit each person specific skills and preferences. This group has built a reputation for their original paintings. Pottery, annual collectible holiday medallions, unique scarves and other hand crafted items and framed custom recognition awards.</p>	<p>Contact: Jamie Williams</p> <p>Phone: 765-482-6815 x127</p>
<p>3. <b>Arc Literacy/Wellness:</b> Offers a wide variety of opportunities for individuals with intellectual disabilities to enhance their daily lives. Designed to give individuals the necessary tools to live their best lives possible. Courses range in ability for emerging through fluent readers and are held on our campus as well as in the community. These include Corrective Reading, Reading Comprehension, Job Skills, Creating Positive Relationships, Health Matters and Next Chapter Book Club.</p>	<p>Contact: Beth Webb</p> <p>Phone: 765-482-6815 x 107</p>
<p>4. <b>Best Buddies:</b> Is a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.</p>	<p>Contacts: Eva Riddick</p> <p>Phone: 317-436-8440 Ext. 44</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.bestbuddiesindiana.org">www.bestbuddiesindiana.org</a></p>
<p>5. <b>Camptown, Inc.:</b> Provides outdoor adventure and nature education experiences. They work with students and teachers helping to improve confidence and independence through</p>	<p>Contacts: Zach McNulty</p>





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<p>teambuilding, canoeing, hikes, and an overnight camp. Try one of the family camps or visit the new indoor climbing facility for a family event, birthday or climbing lessons.</p>	<p>Phone: 317-471-8277  <a href="mailto:zach.mculty@camptown.net">zach.mculty@camptown.net</a>            Website: <a href="http://camptown.net">camptown.net</a></p>
<p><b>6. Carmel Clay Parks and Recreation/Monon Center:</b>            At the center they offer a multitude of adaptive recreational programs. They provide programming in the following areas: sports, fitness, social enrichment, special events, arts and culture, and private therapies such as aquatics and recreation therapy. They serve ability levels of all ages.</p>	<p>Contact: Michelle Yadon            Phone: 317-573-5245  <a href="http://www.carmelclayparks.com">www.carmelclayparks.com</a></p>
<p><b>7. IndyParks</b></p>	<p>Phone: 317-327-7275  <a href="http://www.indy.gov/funguide">www.indy.gov/funguide</a></p>
<p><b>8. Merici Book Club for Adults with Developmental Disabilities:</b> The Book Club is available for adults of all reading levels. Even if you don't read there are many supports for literacy including understanding with picture supports, e-text, book on CD or with the help of an adult. There is no fee to join. Bring some money for a beverage and/or pastry. Come and meet new friends.</p>	<p><a href="mailto:bookclub@villageofmerici.org">bookclub@villageofmerici.org</a>            Thursdays 7-8 pm at Traders Point Panera            (Email to let them know you are coming)            317-292-9408</p>
<p><b>9. Morning Dove Therapeutic Riding Stables:</b>            Our mission is to enrich the lives of individuals in need, through a relationship with horses in a safe and natural setting. Morning Dove Therapeutic Riding offers equine-assisted therapy services to a wide range of participants with physical, mental and/or emotional disabilities.</p>	<p>Contact: Elizabeth Sadler            Phone: 317-733-9393            Website: <a href="http://morningdovetrc.org">http://morningdovetrc.org</a></p>
<p><b>10. Special Olympics:</b> Provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in more than 20 Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Boone County's program participates in state sports and competitions with sports like basketball and softball to track</p>	<p>Contact: Terri Noffke            Phone: 1-800-488-2043</p>



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and field and bowling. Outreach is now including nutrition, fitness, social opportunities and community awareness.	Email: <a href="mailto:soboonecounty@gmail.com">soboonecounty@gmail.com</a>
<b>11. The Sunshine Social Club:</b> Provides Fun, Educational and Community based activities for adults with intellectual disabilities. Serves central Indiana and welcomes all to be a part of the programs and activities.	Contact: Lisa Batts  Phone: 765-894-0575  Website: <a href="http://www.sunshinesocialclub.org">www.sunshinesocialclub.org</a>
<b>12. Trader's Point Christian Church:</b> Opportunities for Community Connections. Adult Bible Study. Special Prom (Every November)	Contact: Wendy Wilken  Phone: 317-769-5557  Email: <a href="mailto:wwilken@tpcc.org">wwilken@tpcc.org</a>
<b>13. Heads and Tails Support Group:</b> Brain Injury Support Group meets 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday from 6:30-8:30 pm at Traders Point Christian Church	Contact; Susie Fitt  Phone: 317-408-2183
<b>14. Voyage Support Services:</b> Various groups that focus on social and life skills.	Contact: Randi Levine  Phone: 317-502-1214

### Financial Planning/Medical support

Name and Services	Contact Information
<b>1. The Arc of Indiana Master Trust:</b> Regardless of your age, or your child's age or disability, planning for the future is important. The Arc of Indiana Master Trust is a special needs trust serving Hoosiers of all disabilities since 1988.	Contact: Jill Ginn  Phone: 317-977-2375  Website: <a href="http://www.thearctrust.org">www.thearctrust.org</a>
<b>2. Financial Wellness Advocates:</b>	Contact: Lisa Kellum  Phone: 317-491-4511  Financialwellness4you.com
<b>3. Indiana Division of Family Resources (DFR)</b>	Phone: 800-403-0864  Website: <a href="http://www.in.gov/fssa/df">www.in.gov/fssa/df</a>
<b>4. Social Security Administration</b> (Social Security card, SSI, SSDI etc.) 1515 S. Grant St. Crawfordsville, IN 47933	Phone (Local): 1-888-577-1498  Phone (Nat'l): 1-800-772-1213



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	<p>TTY : 1-765-361-8950</p> <p><a href="http://www.ssa.gov">www.ssa.gov</a></p>
<p><b>5. MassMutual – Special Care:</b> Helps families through legal and financial complexities surrounding planning for the future of dependents. Through a network of Special Needs Planners, the Center helps families secure both lifetime care and quality of life for their dependents.</p>	<p>Gordon Homes, Shannan Penaflor</p> <p>Phone: 317-567-2005</p> <p><a href="http://www.gordonhomes.com">www.gordonhomes.com</a></p>
<p><b>6. Enable Special Needs Planning:</b> we believe that everyone has the ability to live a purposeful and impactful life. Our comprehensive planning process guides families through 5 areas of planning--focusing on creating a great life today and in the future. ENABLE's online planning portal makes it easy for families to create a plan that allows for their loved one to live out their unique life of purpose and impact.</p>	<p>Phillip Clark</p> <p>Office: 765-585-1050</p> <p>E-Mail: <a href="mailto:pclark@enablesnp.com">pclark@enablesnp.com</a></p>

## Advocacy Groups/Parent Education/Information

Name and Services	Contact Information
<p><b>1. About Special Kids (ASK):</b> A place for families and professionals in Indiana to go to “ASK” questions about children with special needs and to access information and resources about a variety of topics such as health insurance, special education, community resources and medical homes.</p>	<p>Contact: Cindy Robinson</p> <p>Phone: 800-964-4746</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.aboutspecialkids.org">www.aboutspecialkids.org</a></p>
<p><b>2. accessABILITY:</b> is a center for Independent Living working with people in their homes and communities to help them achieve independence and community access. Advocates with people w/disabilities to help them to establish and maintain control over their lives. We work with decision makers educating them on what is in the best interest of the client.</p>	<p>Contacts: Tasha Litchford</p> <p>Phone: 317-926-1660 x249</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.abilityindiana.org">www.abilityindiana.org</a></p>
<p><b>3. Applied Behavior Center for Autism:</b> Indiana's largest and longest running ABA therapy. We provide the best quality of care through trained staff. Whether your child is full time or part time, they provide completely individualized autism services to cater to every child's needs. They not only offer ABA therapy but also offer ancillary services including speech</p>	<p>Contact: Michele Hojara</p> <p>Phone: 317-849-5437 x105</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.AppliedBehaviorCenter.org">www.AppliedBehaviorCenter.org</a></p>



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<p>therapy, occupational therapy; special needs swim lessons and diagnostic testing.</p>	
<p>4. <b>Answers for Autism:</b> Fundraises though out the year to raise funds to promote the advancement of autism research and provide grants for programs in Indiana that serve individuals on the autism spectrum and increase public awareness.</p>	<p>Contact: Justin Davis Phone: 317-515-8323 Website: <a href="http://www.answersautism.org">www.answersautism.org</a></p>
<p>5. <b>The Arc of Indiana Advocacy Network:</b> The Arc empowers families with information and resources to assist them in their journey of raising a child with a disability to lead a full and meaningful life, help people with disabilities lead independent lives, inspire positive change in public policy and public attitudes, and serve as a spokesperson and advocate for families and their loved ones.</p>	<p>Contact: Karly Sciortino-Poulter Email: <a href="mailto:karly@arcind.org">karly@arcind.org</a> Phone: 317-977-2375 Toll Free: 800-382-9100 Website: <a href="http://www.arcind.org">www.arcind.org</a></p>
<p>6. <b>Autism Society of Indiana:</b> ASI is a resource in Indiana for connecting people who live with autism, and those who care about them, with resources, support, and advocacy info. Services include career and work readiness, individual and family support, direct care, and community outreach.</p>	<p>Contact: Kathy Darling Phone: 1-800-609-8449 Ext. 95 Website: <a href="http://www.autismsocietyofindiana.org">www.autismsocietyofindiana.org</a></p>
<p>7. <b>Bosma Enterprises:</b> Is dedicated to empowering people who are blind or visually impaired by creating opportunities that lead to the achievement of each individual's employment, economic, social, and self-determination goals.</p>	<p>Contact: Kristy Russell Email: <a href="mailto:kristyr@bosma.org">kristyr@bosma.org</a> Phone: 317-704-8250</p>
<p>8. <b>Buttermilk Mountain:</b> Provides resources for families. An invitation to a round table discussion on how to find employment for kids transitioned out of high school. Buttermilk Mountain teams up with organizations to hold fun events for families with disabilities.</p>	<p>Contact: Jodi Maslanka Phone: 317-987-8450 <a href="mailto:jodi_maslanka@hotmail.com">jodi_maslanka@hotmail.com</a></p>
<p>9. <b>Children's Resource Group:</b> A multidisciplinary practice that addresses diagnostic, medical, educational, and therapeutic needs of children, adolescents, adults and their families. We specialize in assisting individuals with learning disorders, ADHD,</p>	<p>Contact: David Parker, Ph.D. Phone: 317-575-9111, Ext. 146 <a href="http://www.ChildrensResourceGroup.com">www.ChildrensResourceGroup.com</a></p>



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<p>mood disorders, and those with autism spectrum disorders.</p>	
<p><b>10. Connections Case Management:</b> Information regarding the Family Support Waiver and the Community Integration and Habilitation Waiver. We can explain the different types of Medicaid categories and qualification criteria, as well as, information on other resources and supports.</p>	<p>Contact: Michele Lohmeyer          Phone: 317-440-0637  <a href="mailto:mlohmeyer@connections-in.com">mlohmeyer@connections-in.com</a>          Contact: Laura Fife          Phone: 317-710-7184</p>
<p><b>11. Cummins Behavioral Health Systems, Inc.:</b> Employment specialists provide pre-employment skills training, referral and linkage to VR services, and employment services to individuals with the goal of employment. Views community volunteerism as a meaningful endeavor for persons seeking to feel connected to others and the greater community.</p>	<p>Contact: Jennifer Crooks          Phone: 1-888-714-1927          Email: <a href="mailto:jcrooks@cumminsbhs.org">jcrooks@cumminsbhs.org</a></p>
<p><b>12. Down Syndrome Indiana:</b> Serves individuals with Down syndrome and their families in Central Indiana. Mission is to serve as a conduit of information, support and advocacy for individuals with Down syndrome and their families, which promotes growth and inclusion in the community.</p>	<p>Contact: Stephanie Garner          Phone: 317-925-7617          Email: <a href="mailto:info@dsindiana.org">info@dsindiana.org</a></p>
<p><b>13. Family Voices of Indiana:</b> A family-led organization that provides information, education, training, outreach, and peer support to families of children and youth with special health care needs and the professionals who serve them.</p>	<p>Contact: Holly Wheeler          Phone: 1-844-323-4636</p>
<p><b>14. The Hope Source:</b> Center for Dynamic Minds provides comprehensive treatment and family support services for children, adolescents and adults with autism.</p>	<p>Contact: Julie Brant Gordon,          Phone: 317-578-0410          Email: <a href="mailto:Julie@asdhopesource.com">Julie@asdhopesource.com</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.asdhopesource.com">www.asdhopesource.com</a></p>



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<p><b>15. IN*SOURCE – Special Education Parent Support</b> A parent organization, which provides support and serve as a resource to parents who seek assistance navigating the special education process.</p>	<p>Contact: Karen Rusk  Phone: 1-800-332-4433  Website: <a href="http://www.insource.org">www.insource.org</a></p>
<p><b>16. Indiana Disability Rights</b> Protects the rights of individuals with disabilities, through empowerment and advocacy. It is a federally mandated and legally-based disability rights agency created to protect and advocate for people with disabilities.</p>	<p>Phone: 317-722-5555  Website: <a href="http://www.IndianaDisabilityRights.org">www.IndianaDisabilityRights.org</a></p>
<p><b>17. Integrative Wellness (InWell)</b> It is a group therapy and behavioral health practice specializing in behavioral health services.</p>	<p>Lynette Clark  765-680-0071  <a href="http://www.inwell.org">www.inwell.org</a></p>

### Post-secondary Education & Supports

Name and Services	Contact Information
<p>1. <b>Anderson University:</b> A process for affiliating with Disability Services for Students at AU and securing reasonable accommodations.</p>	<p>Teresa Coplin  Phone: 765-641-4223  E-Mail: <a href="mailto:tjcoplin@anderson.edu">tjcoplin@anderson.edu</a></p>
<p>2. <b>Ball State:</b> Ball State University office of Disability Services</p>	<p>Phone: 765-285-5293  <a href="http://www.bsu.edu/disability_services.com">www.bsu.edu/disability_services.com</a></p>
<p>3. <b>College Internship Program (CIP):</b> Comprehensive support system provides students on the autism spectrum with the opportunity to gain employment training and learn to live independently. A full year postsecondary programs provide individualized social, academic, career and life skills instruction to young adults with Asperger's, ADHD, and Learning Differences.</p>	<p>Contact: Ashley Sullivan  Phone: 812-323-0600 Ext. 403  CIP Bloomington  425 N. College Ave  Bloomington, IN 47404  <a href="mailto:asullivan@cipbloomington.org">asullivan@cipbloomington.org</a></p>
<p>4. <b>Edgewood College: Madison, WI – The Cutting Edge Program:</b> An individualized college</p>	<p>Contact: : Brianna Huebner</p>





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<p>experience for students with intellectual developmental disabilities. The program supports students to attend college by attending required/undergraduate courses, practicums and internships, student housing and learning with a peer mentors by engaging in student -life events, as well as pursuing community service.</p>	<p>Phone: 1-800-444-4861 <a href="http://www.edgewood.edu/Prospective-Students/Cutting-Edge">http://www.edgewood.edu/Prospective-Students/Cutting-Edge</a></p>
<p>5. <b>Erskine Green Training Institute:</b> Vocational training for jobs in the hotel, food service and healthcare environments. It's an immersive learning environment for people with disabilities. Helping individuals with disabilities discover new opportunities for vocational training that will put them on the pathway to employment.</p>	<p>Contact: Megan Stevenson Phone: 765-381-8071 1-800-382-9100 <a href="mailto:mstevenson@arcind.org">mstevenson@arcind.org</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.erskingreeninstitute.org">www.erskingreeninstitute.org</a></p>
<p>6. <b>Indiana Tech</b> Tutors available</p>	<p>Phone: 317-466-2121  Website: <a href="http://www.indianatech.edu">www.indianatech.edu</a></p>
<p>7. <b>Ivy Tech Community College:</b> Office of Disability Support Services: Provides access to College programs, services, activities, and facilities for students with disabilities.</p>	<p>Contact: Summer Gooding Phone: 317-921-4799 x 087932  Email: <a href="mailto:sgooding@ivytech.edu">sgooding@ivytech.edu</a> <a href="http://www.ivytech.edu/indianapolis">www.ivytech.edu/indianapolis</a></p>
<p>8. <b>IUPUI: Adaptive Educational Services:</b> Works with students with documented disabilities to ensure they receive the appropriate accommodations.  <b>IUPUI SITE Program:</b> Skills for Independence, Transition and Employment</p>	<p>Phone: 317-274-3241  Website: <a href="http://www.aes.IUPUI.edu">www.aes.IUPUI.edu</a>  Contact: Maggie Brown  Phone: 317-679-3293  <a href="mailto:brownmag@myips.org">brownmag@myips.org</a></p>
<p>9. <b>Marian University:</b></p>	<p>Contact: Marj Batic, M.S.</p>



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	<p>Phone: 317-955-6150</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.marian.edu">www.marian.edu</a></p>
<p><b>10. University of Indianapolis:</b> BUILD provides more intensive and specialized support for students who qualify. BUILD has tutors who are knowledgeable in study skills, liberal arts, math, history and business.</p>	<p>Contact: Betsy Fouts</p> <p>Phone: 317-788-3536</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:BUILD@uindy.edu">BUILD@uindy.edu</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.uindy.edu/ssd/contact-build">www.uindy.edu/ssd/contact-build</a></p>
<p><b>11. Vincennes University:</b> The Transition into Educational Program offers an academic support program providing comprehensive services for students with learning disabilities in the university.</p>	<p>Contact: Jill Steele</p> <p>Phone: 812-888-4501</p> <p>Website:</p> <p><a href="http://www.vinu.edu/disability-services">www.vinu.edu/disability-services</a></p>