

The foundation of *Everyday Lives: Values in Action* is found in these two statements:

We value what is important to people with disabilities and their families, who are striving for an everyday life.

People with disabilities have a right to an everyday life; a life that is no different than that of all other citizens.



“Everyday Lives guides us in our commitment to help create a world that embraces and celebrates human differences, a world in which everyone can experience belonging.”

—Kristin Ahrens,
Deputy Secretary,
Office of Developmental
Programs

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Westmoreland County Developmental Services



“SUPPORTING PENNSYLVANIANS WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES TO ACHIEVE GREATER INDEPENDENCE, CHOICE & OPPORTUNITY IN THEIR LIVES”

Our Services

The Office of Developmental Programs delegates administrative functions to County Mental Health/Intellectual Disability Program Offices to administer Intellectual and Developmental Disability/Autism (ID/A) Programs. Westmoreland County Developmental Services is responsible for the administration of the ID/A program in Westmoreland County.

Some examples of services available through ID/A include but are not limited to:

- ◆ Residential Habilitation
- ◆ In-home & Community Support (unlicensed)
- ◆ Companion Services
- ◆ Small Group Employment
- ◆ Supported Employment
- ◆ Community Participation Support
- ◆ Respite
- ◆ Transportation
- ◆ Home and Vehicle Accessibility
- ◆ Adaptations
- ◆ Therapy Services
- ◆ Nursing Services
- ◆ Behavior Support
- ◆ Supports Coordination
- ◆ Supports Broker
- ◆ Assistive Technology
- ◆ Specialized Supplies
- ◆ Education Supports Services
- ◆ Homemaker/Chore

Access Services By Contacting



RIHS determines individuals' eligibility for Supports Coordination Services. Eligible diagnoses include:

- ◆ Individuals of any age with an intellectual disability (ID) or autism.
- ◆ Children with a developmental disability under age 9 with a high probability of resulting in an ID or autism diagnosis.
- ◆ Children under age 22 with a developmental disability due to a medically complex condition.

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Once determined eligible for ID/A services and supports, individuals are given the opportunity to choose a Supports Coordination Organization (SCO) to assist them and their families in the locating, coordinating, and monitoring if ID/A services.

Eligible individuals have the choice of any willing and qualified Supports Coordination Organization (SCO) across the state and can request to change SCOs at any time.

Funding Sources

ID/A Waivers

- ◆ Consolidated Waiver- no cap on funding
- ◆ Community Living Waiver- \$85,000 cap
- ◆ PFDS (Person, Family, Directed Supports) Waiver- \$41,000 cap

Other Funding

- ◆ Base Funds
- ◆ SC (Supports Coordination)
- ◆ Human Services Block Grant

Providers of ID/A Services

Access Services & Supports Directory in HCSIS by following the link below:

<https://www.hcsis.state.pa.us/hcsis-ssd/ServicesSupportDirectory/ServicesSupportHome>