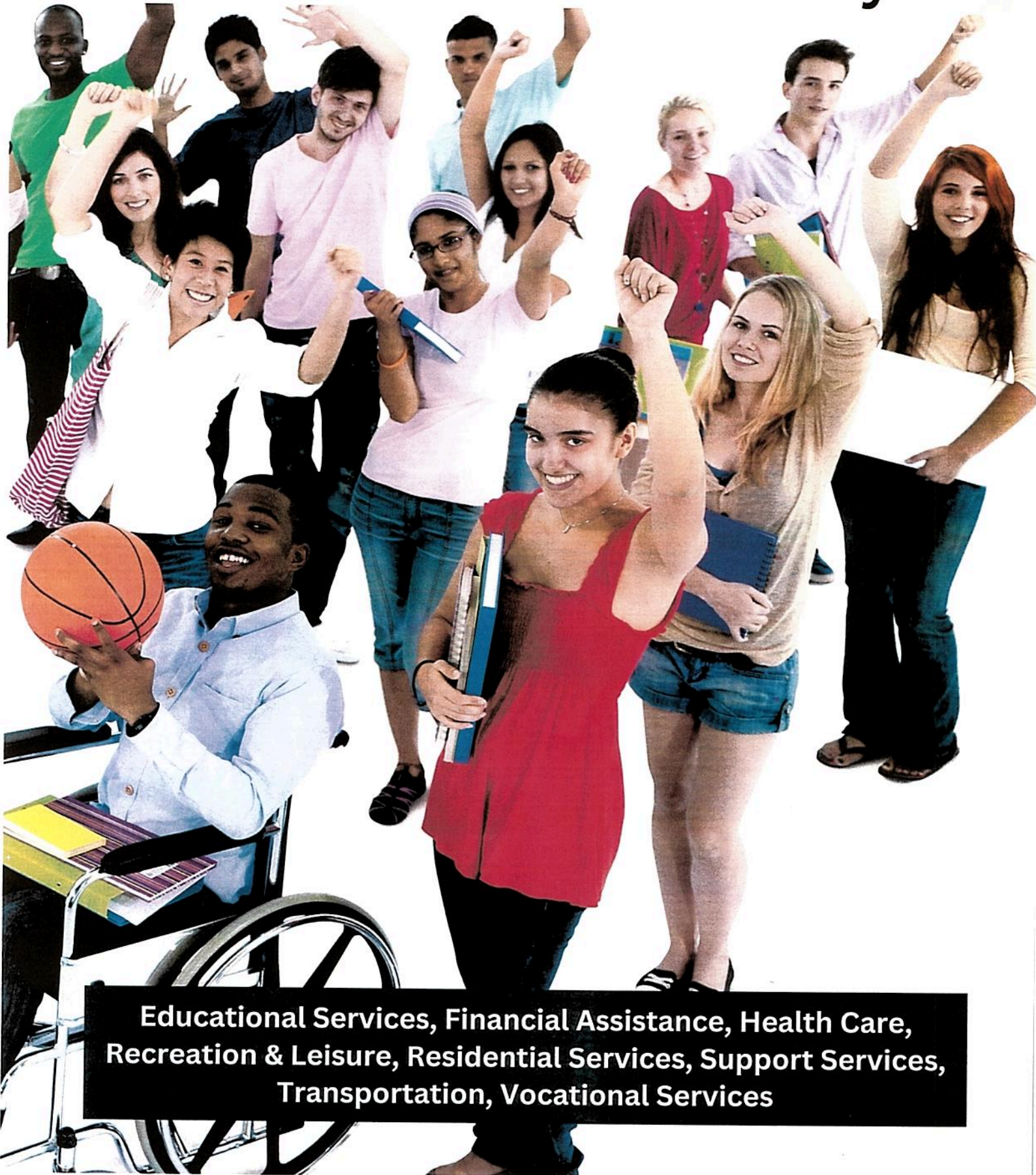


Champaign County Transition Services Directory



**Educational Services, Financial Assistance, Health Care,
Recreation & Leisure, Residential Services, Support Services,
Transportation, Vocational Services**

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INTRODUCTION/ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

This Transition Services Directory is designed to assist in the transition from high school to adult life for the youth of Champaign County. Its main purpose is to provide a user-friendly directory of resources that are available in our area for youth, both during and after high school. The contents include information about organizations providing services in the following areas: educational services, financial support, health care, support services, recreation and leisure, residential services, transportation, and vocational services. Each listing includes the organization contact information and a brief description of the services they provide.

This directory was developed by the Transition Planning Committee (TPC) of Champaign County, Resource Directory Sub-committee. For additional copies, contact one of the following: 1) Your local high school Special Education Department, or

- 2) The Department of Human Services/Division of Rehabilitation Services (DHS/DRS):
(217) 278-3500, or
- 3) The Rural Champaign County Special Education Cooperative (RCCSEC):
(217) 892-8877.

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EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

Community Choices

44 E. Main St., Suite 210, Champaign, IL 61820

217- 621-1090

E-Mail: info@communitychoicesinc.org

www.communitychoicesinc.org

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DSC

1304 W. Bradley Ave., Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 356-9176 (V) * (217) 359-0288 (TTY)

Request to Speak to: Intake Specialist

www.dsc-illinois.org

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EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

PACE, Inc. Center for Independent Living

301 S. Vine Street, Suite 211, Urbana, IL 61801-6007

217- 344-5433

info@pacecil.org

www.pacecil.org

PACE is a Consumer-Controlled and Cross-Disability organization that serves Champaign, Douglas, Edgar, Piatt, and Vermilion counties. We are led by people with disabilities in everything from the individual services that we provide, to the overall programs, to even our Board and Staff. It also means that we serve people with a wide range of disabilities; everything from Developmental, to Visual Impairments, Deaf/Hard of Hearing, and other physical disabilities. Through self-directed advocacy and services, we work toward the full-inclusion of people with disabilities in the rights and responsibilities of society. **PACE provides, at the consumer's choice and direction, many types of skills training.**

Parkland College

2400 W. Bradley Ave., Champaign, IL 61821-1899

General Info: (217) 351-2200 (V) * (800) 346-8089 (toll free)

Office of Accessibility Services: (217) 353-2338 (V)

<http://www.parkland.edu/>

Parkland offers transfer courses, career programs, educational programs, and a wide range of student services including financial assistance, career/educational planning, student activities/organizations, **counseling, and support services for individuals with disabilities.** Support services include **textbook taping, note takers, interpreters, talking calculators, print enlarging equipment, tutorial services, and special testing procedures.** Additionally, Parkland offers the **Learning Commons**, which strives to provide Parkland students with affordable, accessible, and comprehensive instructional and support services in a stimulating, low anxiety learning environment that builds confidence and encourages student learning. The center is staffed with faculty and peer tutors and two **Academic Development Specialists** with training and experience working with students with disabilities.

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

University of Illinois, Division of Disability Resources and Educational Services (DRES)

1207 S. Oak St., Champaign, IL 61820
(217) 333-1970 (V) * (217) 333-1970 (TTY)
Email: disability@illinois.edu
www.disability.uiuc.edu

The University of Illinois was the first university (1947) in the country to offer students with disabilities access to a mainstream educational environment. Currently more than 2,000 University of Illinois students with disabilities are registered with DRES and receive academic accommodations and support services. DRES provides the following array of services for qualified students: **Psychology Services, Learning Disabilities Services, Mobility and Systemic Disability Services, Vision and Hearing Disability Services, Testing Accommodations, Assistive Technology Services, Text Conversion Services, Video Captioning Services, Transportation Services, Physical Therapy, Campus Life, and Beckwith Residential Support Services at Nugent Hall.**

Urbana Adult Education Center

1106 S. Vine St., Urbana, IL 61802
(217) 384-3530
Email: vae@usd116.org
www.urbanaadulteducation.org

The Urbana Adult Education Center offers students the ability to complete high school work through **GED** programs, high school diploma classes, and high school credits. They offer **free** reading, writing, math, and English classes for 1st through 12th grades; a **Certified Nurses Aid Program**; **English as a Second Language**, and several enrichment and **skill development** classes.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Division of Rehabilitation Services, Benefits Planning Program

1307 North Mattis Ave., Champaign, IL 61821

217-278-3500 (Voice), 888-472-0940 (TTY)

(Request a Benefits Analysis)

<https://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=95226>

The DHS/ Division of Rehabilitation Services - Benefits Planning Program is a free service for customers currently on Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and/or Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) benefits and also a current or former Division of Rehabilitation customer. We also work with the work incentives that go along with Social Security to **help you maintain your benefits for a longer period of time while you are working.** Along with this, we also have knowledge of food stamps, unemployment insurance, housing and other state benefits and how they will affect your Social Security Benefits and earnings from work.

Illinois Assistive Technology Program (Work Incentives Planning and Assistance)

701 North Walnut Street, Springfield, IL 62702

<https://www.iltech.org/>

Voice:(217) 522-7985, (800) 852-5110

Fax: (217) 522-8067

Illinois Relay Services: Dial 7-1-1

Work Incentives Planning and Assistance (WIPA) is a federally funded program of the Social Security Administration (SSA) created to help individuals receiving SSI/SSDI make informed choices about employment. IATP provides WIPA services to 67 counties in Illinois through a cooperative agreement with the SSA. If you are working, have a job offer, ready to start employment, you're a Veteran, or Transition Age Youth, we will help you understand how working will affect your public benefits. **We will explain Social Security work incentives in addition to state benefits, such as Medicaid, subsidized housing, TANF, SNAP (food stamps), worker's compensation, veterans benefits, and unemployment benefits.** IATP's knowledgeable Community Work Incentives Coordinators (CWIC) will provide you with the information you need to make the best choices about your future.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Illinois Department of Human Services/Family Community Resource Center

206 W. Anthony Dr., Champaign, IL., 61822
217-278-5605 (Voice/Help Line), 888-472-0940 (TTY)
<https://www.dhs.state.il.us/>

This organization provides **cash assistance, medical programs, and food stamp benefits** to qualifying individuals with low-incomes. For example, in Illinois, DHS administers the Medicaid program. Job training and placement, childcare access, homeless prevention, and other services are also available. Applications for benefits are accepted online as well as in-person.

Social Security Administration

101 S. Country Fair Dr., Champaign, IL 61821
877-819-2593 (Voice), 800-325-0778 (TTY)
www.ssa.gov/

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal income maintenance program administrated by the Social Security Retirement Program. SSI provides **monthly payments** to individuals with disabilities and the elderly who meet eligibility criteria. Call or visit the local office if you have a problem with your monthly SSI checks or are receiving SSI and have gotten a job. Note: Offices are busiest on Mondays, mornings after a Federal holiday, and the first week of the month.

HEALTH CARE

Avicenna Community Health Center

201 W Kenyon Rd., Champaign, IL 61820

(309) 306-1358

www.avicennahealth.org

Avicenna Community Health Center is a **free, primary care clinic** available for 18 and over uninsured and underinsured residents of Champaign County. The clinic can manage diabetes, high blood pressure, and high cholesterol. Other services include physical exams, nutritional counseling, social work services, prescription assistance, and management of other primary health conditions. We are **open most Sundays from 1 – 4pm** for scheduled appointments and walk-in visits. Appointments can be scheduled at 309-306-1358. Leave a message and we will call you back between 5:30 and 9:30pm on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Spanish, Mandarin, Arabic, and French language **interpreters are available** with advanced notice.

Carle Foundation Hospital & Carle Physician Group

611 W. Park St., Urbana, IL 61801

(217) 383-3311 (General Information)

www.carle.org

Carle Foundation Hospital is a 453-bed regional care hospital, and is a Level I Trauma Center. They offer all major specialty services including **obstetrics, perinatal/neonatal, intensive care, Heart Center, Cancer Center, neurosurgery, orthopedic surgery, and oral surgery**. A **community care financial program** assists families with hospital bills, and **free community education programs** are available. In an emergency, call (217) 383-3313. For social services, call Social Work and Discharge Planning at (217) 383-3119.

Champaign County Christian Health Center

OSF Heart of Mary Medical Center

1400 W. Park Avenue, Urbana, IL 61801

217-398-2914

Make an appointment, call: 217-402-5683

<http://ccchc2003.org>

Champaign County Christian Health Center is a non-profit health center which provides **free healthcare for the uninsured and underinsured**, including medical and dental services. CCCHC provides holistic care which involves mental, emotional, spiritual, and physical well-being. The experienced medical volunteers provide services including **wellness checks, lab services, prescription medications, walk ins, telehealth, and physicals**. The staff will also help refer individuals to other facilities if specialty care is needed. Dental care volunteers provide screenings and simple extractions every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month from 6-7:30pm.

HEALTH CARE

Champaign County Health Care Consumers

44 E. Main St., Suite 208, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 352-6533

www.healthcareconsumers.org

CCHCC is a community-based non-profit organization dedicated to the mission of working for quality affordable health care for all. CCHCC carries out its mission through direct service, consumer education, advocacy, and community organizing. CCHCC's direct services are provided by trained and certified Community Health Workers. The services provided include enrollment in all forms of health insurance for all stages of the lifespan, other public benefit programs, help with maintenance of those benefits, case management, education and outreach. Specific activities and supports include **enrollment in Medicaid, Medicare, Marketplace insurance, SNAP, and disability benefits, help finding affordable prescriptions, and assistance with accessing affordable dental and vision care.**

Champaign-Urbana Public Health District

Main Office: 201 W. Kenyon, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 352-7961

Rantoul Satellite Office: 520 E. Wabash Dr., Rantoul, IL 61866

(217) 893-0832

www.c-uphd.org

CUPHD offers nutrition and wellness programs; immunizations, TB testing, and flu and pneumonia vaccinations; prevention and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases; and confidential or anonymous testing for HIV. Nurses provide **telephone information for health concerns**; home visits; blood pressure, blood sugar, and cholesterol screenings; lead screening follow-up; and a clinic for homeless persons. School nursing services include: vision and hearing screening, genetic education and referral, pregnancy testing, prenatal care, and case management **services for infants and pregnant women.**

Christie Clinic

101 W. University Ave., Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 366-1200

www.christieclinic.com

This multi-specialty medical group has over 40 departments and 35 specialties, and provides a full range of **outpatient medical services.**

HEALTH CARE

Illinois Dept. of Human Services/Family Community Resource Center

206 W Anthony Dr. Champaign, Illinois 61822-1218

(217) 278-5605 (V) * 1-866-451-5784 (TTY)

www.dhs.state.il.us/

This organization provides **cash assistance, medical programs, and food stamp benefits** to qualifying individuals with low-incomes. For example, in Illinois, DHS administers the **Medicaid** program. Job training and placement, childcare access, homeless prevention, and other services are also available. Applications for benefits are accepted online as well as in-person.

Lions Club

P.O. Box 175, Champaign, IL 61820-0175

(217) 352-6300 (for info about eye glasses and hearing aids assistance)

www.champaignlions.org

Lions Club provides financial **assistance toward eye examinations, eyeglasses, and hearing aids** for individuals in need. Assistance is usually one time per person. Family Service First Call for Help at (217) 352-6300 provides screening and referral to local Lions Clubs. In Rantoul, call Community Service Center of Northern Champaign County at (217) 893-1530 to contact Lions Club.

The Pavilion: Behavioral Health System

809 W. Church St., Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 373-1700 * 1-800-373-1700

www.pavilionhospital.com

The Pavilion offers a safe and nurturing environment where children, adolescents, adults and senior adults can find hope and healing from emotional, psychiatric and addictive diseases. The Pavilion Behavioral Health System includes **a 77 bed inpatient hospital, a residential treatment center, and a residential addictions treatment program**. Outpatient services include **partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient services** as well as **The Pavilion Foundation School, a private day school serving students with learning disabilities and behavior disorders**.

Planned Parenthood- Champaign Health Center

302 E. Stoughton St. Suite 2, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 359-8022

www.plannedparenthood.org

Planned Parenthood provides **diagnosis and treatment of gynecological problems**, contraceptive supplies (prescription and nonprescription), emergency contraception, pregnancy testing and options information, first trimester abortions, **HIV testing, and STD testing, treatment and vaccines**. Fees

for most services are **on a sliding scale**. Insurance and Medicaid are accepted.

HEALTH CARE

Promise Healthcare, Frances Nelson Health Center

819 Bloomington Rd., Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 356-1558

www.promisehealth.org

Frances Nelson is a **family medicine health center** dedicated to providing affordable and accessible high quality care to our patients. We offer **income-based discounts and benefits enrollment assistance**. Further, the **SmileHealthy Dental Center** at Frances Nelson is dedicated to providing excellent oral health care to the underserved community. We have **bilingual staff**, in person interpreters on site, and **materials available in Spanish, French and Mandarin**.

OSF Healthcare, Heart of Mary Medical Center

1400 W. Park St., Urbana, IL 61801

(217) 337-2000 (V) * (217) 337-4500 (TTY)

www.osfhealthcare.org/heart-of-mary

OSF Heart of Mary Medical Center is a 206-bed comprehensive health care facility serving the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois community. Services include the area's largest inpatient **rehabilitation center**. OSF Heart of Mary has been recognized for its **treatment of heart failure, stroke, perinatal care and total knee and hip replacement**, in addition to being home to the area's only **Adult Behavioral Health unit** in a hospital setting.

UIC – Specialized Care for Children

510 Devonshire, Suite A, Champaign, IL 61820

1-800-322-3722

<http://dscc.uic.edu/>

University of Illinois at Chicago's Division of Specialized Care for Children provides **free care coordination for families of children with special health care needs**. Additionally, we are able to provide **some financial support to families** who meet our financial eligibility guidelines. As a division of UIC, we have unique access to resources and research to assist Illinois families and children with special healthcare needs. We have 12 regional offices throughout the state of Illinois. The Champaign Regional Office provides care to children and families in the following counties: Champaign, Douglas, Ford, Iroquois, Kankakee, McLean, Macon, Moultrie, Piatt and Vermilion.

RECREATION AND LEISURE

Champaign County Convention & Visitors Bureau

17 E. Taylor St., Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 351-4133 (V)

www.experienceccu.org

www.experienceccu.org/accessible-CU

See all that Champaign County has to offer. We've got museums, galleries, theater and art; see college sports, concerts, and plays; enjoy dining out, golfing, bowling, hiking and more. Please visit our website for information on upcoming events. **Accessible CU** is an online directory that evaluates the accessibility of businesses throughout Champaign County.

Champaign County Forest Preserve District (CCFPD)

PO Box 1040, Mahomet, IL 61853

(217) 586-3360 (V) *

www.ccfpd.org

Email: hq@ccfpd.org

The CCFPD operates **seven forest preserves** in East Central Illinois that cover more than 5000 acres and serve you with a wide range of offerings. Additional facilities include Museum of the Grand Prairie (Mahomet) and Lake of the Woods Golf Course (Mahomet):

- 1) Lake of the Woods F.P., Mahomet
- 2) Homer Lake F.P., Homer
- 3) Middle Fork River F.P., Penfield (campground, swim beach, International Dark Sky Park)
- 4) River Bend F.P., Mahomet
- 5) Sangamon River F.P., Fisher
- 6) Kickapoo Rail Trail
- 7) Heron View F.P., Mahomet

Champaign Park District (Leonard Center)

2307 Sangamon Dr., Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 398-2550 (V)

www.champaignparkdistrict.org

The CPD has 51 parks covering 510 acres. They provide park services and **recreational programs** to residents of all ages as well as **adaptive recreational activities** offered by the Champaign and Urbana Park Districts Special Recreation Program.

RECREATION AND LEISURE

Community Choices

44 E. Main St., Suite 210, Champaign, IL 61820

217- 621-1090

E-Mail: info@communitychoicesinc.org

www.communitychoicesinc.org

Community Choices is a human services cooperative where adults with developmental disabilities and their families support each other. Members of the cooperative can share information and resources. Community Choices provides services open to both members and non-members including: Inclusive Community Support for community-based living, Customized Employment services for community-based jobs, and **Family Support through our cooperative connections and opportunities. Members have additional access to Social and community-building opportunities.** Community Choices also have access to personalized Transportation Services and Life Skills classes.

C-U Special Recreation

The CUSR Center

2212 Sangamon Drive, Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 819-3980, TTY: 711

www.cuspecialrecreation.com

Email: cusr@champaignparks.org

Provides **recreation programs** and **leisure services** for individuals whose limitations or disabilities may limit successful participation in other recreation programs, and assists people with disabilities to participate in Park District programs.

DSC

1304 W. Bradley Ave., Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 356-9176 (V) * (217) 359-0288 (TTY)

Request to Speak to: Intake Specialist

www.dsc-illinois.org

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RECREATION AND LEISURE

Special Olympics Illinois

704 N. Main St., Tuscola, IL 61953

(217) 355-1750 (V)

www.soill.org

Join the nearly 20,000 athletes in Illinois who **gain sports skills, the joy of teamwork, self-esteem, and friendship** by participating in Special Olympics.

Stephens Family YMCA/Larkin's Place

2501 Fields South Drive, Champaign, IL 61822

(217) 359-9622 (V)

www.sf-ymca.net

The Stephen's Family YMCA is specifically designed to support and integrate children and families at all developmental levels, encouraging acceptance, play and growth for everyone. While the philosophy and spirit of Larkin's Place permeates every aspect of the Y from design to programming, **classes designated as "Larkin's Place Programming" incorporate additional therapeutic, developmental and social goals.** Additionally, Larkin's Place hosts a wheelchair basketball program, which focuses on skills for children and young adults with physical disabilities.

Urbana Park District

505 W. Stoughton St., Urbana, IL 61801

(217) 367-1544 (V)

www.urbanaparks.org

The UPD has 22 parks and facilities and offers **leisure services and programs**, including sports, aquatics, cultural arts, and special events.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Alan G. Ryle Companies

4102 Belmont Point, Champaign, IL 61822
(217) 398-6529 (V) * 1-800-880-6571 (V)
www.ryle.com

This group of companies offers a variety of residences for adults with developmental disabilities, including **intermediate care facilities, apartments, community integrated living arrangements (CILA), and group homes.**

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(217) 356-9176 (V) * (217) 359-0288 (TTY)
Request to Speak to: Intake Specialist
www.dsc-illinois.org

DSC supports people in living a rich and meaningful life. Residential Services offer an array of community-based alternatives to promote independence. Services are based upon an individual's desired outcomes, needs and preferences, offering varying levels of support and structure. Examples include: **advocacy and support with medical appointments, budgeting, meal planning and community access.** An emphasis is placed on independence and community opportunities to enhance quality of life as defined by the individual choosing services offered by DSC. Residential services include the following options: **Community Integrated Living Arrangement (CILA – group homes), and Community Living Support** for those in their own home/apartment.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Eden Supportive Living

222 N. State St., Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 903-5900 (V)

www.edensupportiveliving.com

Eden Supportive Living is a lifestyle designed for people with physical disabilities ages 22-64. At Eden, a person can live among their peers, while taking comfort in knowing there are licensed health professionals available to assist with daily living activities or health emergencies. **A monthly fee covers everything: rent, utilities, 3 daily meals, housekeeping, laundry, assistance with transportation, personal care, and medical reminders.** Qualified residents eligible for financial assistance under Medicaid may be able to receive financial assistance for their care at Eden.

Housing Authority of Champaign County

2008 N. Market St. Champaign, IL 61822

P: 217.378.7100

F: 217.378.7113

After Hours - 217.384.6564

<https://www.hacc.net/>

Since 1943, HACC provided housing assistance to the residents of Champaign County **utilizing traditional Public Housing and Section Housing Assistance** funded by the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Individual Advocacy Group, Inc.

1289 Windham Parkway

Romeoville, IL 60446

630-759-0201

www.individualadvocacygroup.com

Individual Advocacy Group, Inc., (IAG) promotes individualized, customized, person-centered supports and services for people in Champaign County. Areas of services include: **customized, community integrated living arrangements in small homes** (4 person & under) for people with developmental/intellectual disabilities **and flexible day services.**

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Marion County Horizon Center of Central Illinois

1050 S. Market Street
PO Box 566
Monticello, IL 61856
217-621-0852 (V)
314-301-8890 (F)
<https://healthcaremanagementcorp.com/>

Serving Champaign, Douglas, Dewitt, and Macon Counties. MCHC provides **24 hour residential services in Community Integrated Living Arrangements to people 18 years and older**. In addition, we also **provide intermittent CILA Services** to people that live in their own homes. We accept DHS Waiver Funding along with Private Pay.

Rosecrance Central Illinois

1801 Fox Drive, Champaign, IL 61820
217-693-4545
www.rosecrance.org

Rosecrance Central Illinois provides a wide range of prevention, intervention and treatment options for children, youth, adults, and families experiencing mental health and substance use issues. The continuum of care includes a 24-hour crisis line and crisis response, outpatient psychiatric care for adults, therapy/counseling, outpatient substance use treatment, and case management. **Their adult residential programs include crisis stabilization at the Crisis Residential Center, 24-hour group homes, specialized supported housing, and independent apartments.**

Swann Special Care Center

109 Kenwood Rd., Champaign, IL 61821
(217) 356-5164
<http://www.swanncare.org/>

Swann Special Care Center is a **home for children and adults who have severe and profound developmental disabilities**. The staff consists of skilled professionals, paraprofessionals, and trained nursing assistants who, with other support staff, provide a caring atmosphere in which residents' physical, medical, nutritional, educational, emotional, and social needs are met.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Tenant Union, Champaign-Urbana

Lincoln Building, 44 E. Main St., Suite 208, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 352-6220

www.tenantunion.illinois.edu

Email: cutenantunion@gmail.com

The program provides **information, counseling and advocacy** for those with concerns related to landlord/tenant relations, including evictions, lease contracts, damage deposit disputes, discrimination in renting and repair problems. The Tenant Union also compiles complaint histories regarding landlords. Spanish-speaking available upon request.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Al-Anon/Alateen

(217) 373-4141

www.al-anon.org

Al-Anon **assists family members** of persons who abuse alcohol and other substances. Alateen provides **assistance to teens** who have family members who abuse alcohol.

Alcoholics Anonymous - East Central Illinois District 12

AA Hotline: (217) 373-4200

www.aa-eci.org

Alcoholics Anonymous is an international fellowship of men and women who have had a drinking problem. It is nonprofessional, self-supporting, multiracial, apolitical, and available almost everywhere. There are no age or education requirements. **Membership is open to anyone who wants to do something about his or her drinking problem.** Narcotics Anonymous is a similar organization for people who have had a substance abuse problem.

Champaign County 4-H – Youth Programs

801 N. Country Fair Dr., Suite E, Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 333-0910

E-Mail: illinois4H@illinois.edu

www.4-h.illinois.edu

Youth receive leadership training and **learn about career opportunities** through this national organization. Adult volunteers provide guidance in special projects such as animal care, communication, arts, natural resources, and the environment.

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SUPPORT SERVICES

Community Service Center of Northern Champaign County

520 E. Wabash Ave., Suite 1, Rantoul, IL 61866

217- 893-1530

cindyccsc@gmail.com

www.cscrantoul.org

The Community Service Center of Northern Champaign County (CSCNCC) is a multi-service agency center that provides mental health, social health and welfare services. These services include an emergency **food pantry, holiday assistance, information & referral, prescription and utility assistance, clothing center referrals, Ride United** (food delivery for those with disabilities and/or no other way to source food) and other miscellaneous services. CSCNCC also serves as a satellite site to several Champaign-Urbana based agencies. CSCNCC provides services to residents of northern Champaign County, except for the emergency food pantry that serves the entire county.

Courage Connection

Domestic Violence Hotline: (217) 384-4390 or (877) 384-4390

www.courageconnection.org

Courage Connection provides **housing and supportive services for individuals and families experiencing homelessness or who are victims of domestic violence**. We believe in the right of every person to safety and the potential of every person for success.

CRIS Healthy Aging of Vermilion and Champaign County

4116 Fieldstone Road

Champaign, IL 61822

(217) 355-1543

Email: CRIS-info@CRISHealthyAging.org

<https://agestrong.org/>

CRIS is a non-profit organization whose mission is to keep older adults safe, healthy, and independent in their own homes for as long as possible. CRIS has served East Central Illinois for over 52 years by promoting independence in older adults through education, health, financial, social and supportive services. **CRIS provides a wide-range of services and activities to those 60 plus and (18-59 with a disability) that promote healthy, active lifestyles with the intention of avoiding early or unnecessary long-term placement.**

SUPPORT SERVICES

CU Autism Network

P.O. Box 17024, Urbana, IL 61803

(217) 819-1312

E-Mail: information.cuan@gmail.com

www.cuautismnetwork.org

To support persons on the autism spectrum, their families, caregivers, educators, other professionals, and the public by providing opportunities for support and networking, education, training, and advocacy, along with promoting awareness and acceptance.

Down Syndrome Network, Champaign County

1304 W. Bradley Ave., Champaign, IL 61824

217-722-1732

E-Mail: president@champaigndsn.org

www.champaigndsn.org

The Champaign County Down Syndrome Network operates as a **not-for-profit organization serving families who have a member with Down syndrome**. The DSN offers support to families by providing current information for parents, professionals, and the general public. The DSN provides new parent packets, offers social opportunities for peers with Down syndrome, and raises awareness of Down syndrome in our community. The DSN holds workshops and monthly meetings on topics of interest to our members.

DSC

1304 W. Bradley Ave., Champaign, IL 61821

(217) 356-9176 (V) * (217) 359-0288 (TTY)

Request to Speak to: Intake Specialist

www.dsc-illinois.org

DSC supports people in living a rich and meaningful life. DSC has a longstanding reputation for providing quality services to individuals with intellectual/developmental disabilities. **Adult services include support/training in areas such as independent living, employment and residential options, social/recreational opportunities, transportation and community access/exploration.** An emphasis is placed on independence and community opportunities to enhance quality of life as defined by the individual choosing services offered by DSC. Areas of support for adults include Case Management/Family Support, Individual Support, Employment Services, Community Day Services, and Residential Services.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Envision Unlimited, In-Home Respite Program

(773) 899-6177

E-Mail: respiteinfo@envisionunlimited.org or sstumpf@envisionunlimited.org

www.envisionunlimited.org

The in-home respite services are prioritized for individuals who are not receiving any other funded services and who are on the PUNS wait list. To schedule an in-person appointment to discuss eligibility and complete the necessary paperwork, interested individuals should call or email the Respite Coordinator using the contact information listed above. Susan Stumpf is the director of Envision Unlimited and she can be contacted at the above email and phone number.

Equip for Equality

1 West Old State Capitol Plaza, Suite 816, Springfield, IL 62701

866-543-7046

866-KIDS-046 (Special Ed Helpline)

contactus@equipforequality.org

www.equipforequality.org

Equip for Equality **provides self-advocacy and legal help for people with disabilities in Illinois with no fee for services.** It is the only comprehensive, cross-disability advocacy organization serving people of all ages throughout the state. Advocates and attorneys provide information and advice to individuals to enable them to advocate on their own behalf. Projects include outreach to Spanish speaking communities, a special education helpline, help for beneficiaries of Social Security, and self-advocacy education.

Family Service of Champaign County

405 S. State St., Champaign, IL 61820

217-352-0099

E-Mail: info@familyservicecc.org

www.famservcc.org

Family Service of Champaign County offers you caring staff and more than a century of experience. Families and people of all ages improve their ability to cope through counseling and support groups. **Adults with disabilities living in a home setting experiencing abuse, neglect or financial exploitation receive protection and assistance to ensure safe living arrangements.** Services for adults aged 60+ include Homecare, Meals on Wheels, Senior Transportation, and Senior Counseling & Advocacy. Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) has volunteer opportunities for all adults ages 55+.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Guardianship and Advocacy Commission, Illinois East Central Regional Office

2125 S. First Street, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 278-5577 (V) * (866) 333-3362 (TTY)

www.illinois.gov

This advocate organization for the rights of persons with disabilities conducts fact-finding of alleged denial of rights of persons with disabilities.

The **Office of State Guardian** appoints a guardian of last resort for adults with disabilities who are unable to make or communicate their own personal or financial decisions, and when there is no family member or friend available to be the guardian.

The **Human Rights Authority of the Commission (HRA)** investigates complaints of alleged violations against disability laws, providing a free forum that permits negotiation with providers and avoids the confrontational environment of the courtroom.

The **Legal Advocacy Service (LAS)** provides legal advice, counseling, and representation to eligible persons who have mental, developmental, physical, or age related disabilities. LAS represents individuals in a variety of settings: nursing homes, mental health facilities, residential facilities, and the community. LAS may assist with legal problems that encompass mental health facilities, treatment, special education, guardianship, confidentiality, and other matters that affect persons with disabilities

Illinois Respite Coalition

17314 Kedzie Ave., Hazel Crest, IL 60429

1-866-455-7377 ext 101 for English, ext 103 for Spanish

E-Mail: ilrespitcoalition@gmail.com

The program provides **in-home respite services** funded through a Department of Human Services (DHS) grant offering services to caregivers with loved ones with intellectual and developmental disabilities through a trained respite worker. Families can receive up to 180 hours of in-home respite care per year.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation, Inc.

302 N. First Street, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 356-1351 (V) * (217) 356-0624 (TTY)

(877) 342-7891 Toll Free Line * (217) 356-7621 Fax

Apply for services online: www.illinoislegalaid.org/

<https://lincolnlegal.org/>

Provides **legal assistance** to low-income individuals. Services include advice, brief service, negotiation and litigation on matters in the areas of consumer law, family law, education law, elder law and disability rights, health and economic security, and housing law. The type of service they can provide depends on the specific legal problem, information about the case, and staff availability. They do not handle criminal law. Please call for further information on services offered and eligibility guidelines.

NAMI of Champaign County

PO Box 3552, Champaign, IL 61826

(217) 419-5345

NAMI Helpline: (800) 950-6264

www.namichampaign.org

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of Champaign County provides communication and fellowship among people living with mental illness and their parents, guardians, and relatives in Champaign County and area communities; interested professionals are also welcome. **Lends mutual support and furthers interests of families living with mental illness.** NAMI also sponsors a family-to-family education course, which stresses education to help remove stigma.

SUPPORT SERVICES

PACE, Inc. Center for Independent Living

301 S. Vine Street, Suite 211, Urbana, IL 61801-6007

217- 344-5433

info@pacecil.org

www.pacecil.org

PACE is a Consumer-Controlled and Cross-Disability organization that serves Champaign, Douglas, Edgar, Piatt, and Vermilion counties. We are led by people with disabilities in everything from the individual services that we provide, to the overall programs, to even our Board and Staff. It also means that we serve people with a wide range of disabilities; everything from Developmental, to Visual Impairments, Deaf/Hard of Hearing, and other physical disabilities. Through self-directed advocacy and services, we work toward the full-inclusion of people with disabilities in the rights and responsibilities of society.

Prairieland Service Coordination

4857 US-36, Decatur, IL 62521

(217) 362-6128

<https://psci.info/intellectual-and-developmental-disabilities-services.html>

PSC serves over 6000 individuals in Champaign, Clark, Cole, Cumberland, DeWitt, Douglas, Edgar, Effingham, Ford, Fulton, Henderson, Henry, Iroquois, Knox, Macon, Madison, McDonough, Mercer, Moultrie, Peoria, Piatt, Rock Island, Shelby, St. Clair, Stark, Vermillion, and Warren Counties. PAS can provide services to clients with I/DD such as Pre-Admission Screenings, Waiver Case Coordination, Case Management, Bogard Services, and PUNS referrals. **Praireland currently coordinates PUNS referrals for Champaign County residents**, and they have offices in both Galesburg and Maryville, IL.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Rape Advocacy, Counseling & Education Services (RACES)

301 S. Vine St., Suite 103, Urbana, IL 61801

Phone: (217) 344-6298 * 24-Hour Rape Crisis Hotline: (217) 384-4444

E-Mail: info@cu-races.org

www.cu-races.org

We are the community-based rape crisis center serving Champaign, Douglas, Ford, and Piatt Counties in East-Central Illinois. We provide **free, confidential services to anyone who has experienced sexual assault, abuse, stalking, or harassment and their loved ones**. We also offer public education and training to schools, employers, and other organizations throughout our service area.

Rosecrance Central Illinois

2302 Moreland Blvd., Champaign, IL 61822

New Clients Call: (844) 711-5106

Existing Clients Call: (217) 356-7576

www.rosecrance.org/locations/rosecrance-moreland/

Rosecrance Central Illinois provides a wide range of prevention, intervention and treatment options for children, youth, adults, and families experiencing mental health and substance use issues. The continuum of care includes a **24-hour crisis line and crisis response, outpatient psychiatric care for adults, therapy/counseling, outpatient substance use treatment, and case management**. Our adult residential programs include crisis stabilization at the Crisis Residential Center, 24-hour group homes, specialized supported housing, and independent apartments.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Regional Planning Commission (RPC) of Champaign County – Developmental Disability Services

1776 E. Washington, PO Box 17760, Urbana, IL 61803

(217) 328-3313

E-Mail: info@ccrpc.org

www.ccrpc.org

Transition Consultant Services – provides support to individuals with intellectual/ developmental disabilities and their families who are near graduation from secondary education. Transition Consultants assist with education and support regarding the transition to adult based developmental disability services in Illinois. Transition Consultants also assist individuals and families with developing a transition plan and referral/linkage to appropriate community support services.

Dual Diagnosis- This program is available to individuals ages 18 and up who have aged out of school services and are dually diagnosed with an Intellectual or Developmental Disability and Mental Health diagnosis. The Dual Diagnosis Case Manager meets with the individual in their home or in the community and utilizes evidence-based approaches, such as motivational interviewing, to increase service engagement. The Case Manager works with the individual on the development and achievement of desired outcomes. Our dual diagnosis case manager is knowledgeable of resources within both the mental health and developmental disability community and will work closely with providers across both settings to help the individual build the skills and access the services needed to be successful in reaching goals.

Person-Centered Planning- The Developmental Disabilities Services team at the RPC provides conflict-free, person-centered case management to individuals with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities within Champaign County whose I/DD direct care services are funded by the Champaign County Developmental Disability Board. Our team of Case Managers assists individuals with linkage to community resources based on individual preferences and needs, such as job support, community day services, and community living supports. Case Managers work with individuals to develop person-centered plans and outcomes based on the person's own expressed interests, needs, and wishes for his/her future, and provide ongoing monitoring of the implementation of the outcomes by service providers.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Uniting Pride of Champaign County

University YMCA, 1001 South Wright Street, Champaign, IL, 61820, United States

Office Hours: Monday through Friday 10am-4pm

(217) 898-5235

info@unitingpride.org

<https://www.unitingpride.org/>

Uniting Pride was founded in 2009 as an organization to **advocate for the equality, wellness, and visibility of the LGBTQ+ communities in Champaign County**. Since then, we have been active in the community through support and social groups, community-building events, educational workshops, local advocacy, resource referrals, and more.

TAP - The Autism Program at the University of Illinois

904 W. Nevada, Urbana, IL 61801

217-244-1395

E-Mail: theautismprogram@illinois.edu

<https://theautismprogram@illinois.edu>

The Autism Program (TAP) is a statewide network of resources for Autism Spectrum Disorders in the State of Illinois. Our mission is to foster development of community networks that promote best practice in the diagnosis, treatment, and education of all children with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Locally we offer social skill groups, playgroups, New Diagnosis orientation, a Resource Room, training and technical assistance, and consultations.

TRANSPORTATION

C-CARTS Rural Transit System

801 E. University Ave., Urbana, IL 61802

(217) 344-4287

www.ruraltransits.org/champaign

Champaign County Area Rural Transit System (C-CARTS) provides general public, shared ride **transportation services to and from rural areas within Champaign County**. C-CARTS provides transportation to meet the needs of the community, including the elderly and persons with disabilities. Reservations must be made at least 48 hours prior to the requested ride. Rides may be scheduled between the hours of 6am and 6pm.

Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District (MTD)

801 E. University Ave., Urbana, IL 61802

(217) 384-8188 (V) * (217) 384-7433 (TTY)

www.cumtd.com

The Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District provides fully accessible fixed-route bus service in Champaign, Urbana, and Savoy. The **DASH card** is available to qualifying individuals with disabilities and offers unlimited free bus rides for the cardholder. For those unable to utilize bus service due to disability, CUMTD offers very low cost **paratransit van services** within the CUMTD district boundaries.

Community Choices

44 E. Main St., Suite 210, Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 621-1090

www.communitychoicesinc.org

Community Choices is organized as a cooperative where adults with developmental disabilities and their families support each other. Members of the cooperative share information and resources. Community Choices provides services open to both members and non-members including Community Living, Transportation, Customized Employment, and Family Support. Members have additional access to Social Opportunities. Customized Employment services include discovering skills and interests, linking with employers/self-employment, job training, and problem-solving support. Community Choices also have **access to personalized Transportation Services** and Life Skills classes.

TRANSPORTATION

Illinois Terminal

45 E. University Ave., Champaign, IL 61820
(217) 384-3577 (V)
<https://mtd.org/inside/illinois-terminal/>

The Illinois Terminal houses the MTD customer service center where an **annual bus pass, seasonal pass, dash pass, or tokens** can be purchased. Greyhound, Burlington Trailways, Peoria Charter, Amtrak are also housed at the Illinois Terminal.

Quality Med Transport

3515 N. Cunningham Ave., Urbana, IL 61802
(217) 607-2468
www.QualityMedTransport.com

We provide the following: Ambulatory & **Para-Transit transports**, Dialysis transports, Workers Compensation transports, Nursing/Assisted Living Facility transports, Counseling and Treatment Center transports, Pharmacy Prescription Pick-ups, and Specialty Appointments.

Salvation Army Transportation Assistance

2212 N. Market St., Champaign, IL 61820
(217) 373-7825 Office * (217) 373-8441 Fax
<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/champaign/>

Emergency transportation assistance is provided on a case-by-case basis. Please call for more information.

Yellow Cab Company

1204 Hagan Ave., Champaign, IL 61820
(217) 355-3553
www.yellowcheckercabchampaign.com

Please call to verify **accessibility** information.

VOCATIONAL SERVICES

The Center - Piatt County Mental Health

1921 N. Market St., Monticello, IL 61856

(217) 762-8546

<https://www.piattmhc.org/>

Services are provided to individuals age 18 or older who are no longer in high school. Individuals must have a vocational disability and be found eligible for services through the Division of Rehabilitation Services (DRS). Center staff provide referral linkage to DRS. **Vocational services offered at The Center include job development and job coaching.** Vocational Services are made available through a grant from DRS. Private pay options are available to individuals who do not meet initial criteria or require ongoing support beyond the DRS contract.

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Cunningham Children's Home – Vocational Options

1013 N. Cunningham Ave., Urbana, IL 61802

(217) 367-3728

www.cunninghamhome.org

Cunningham Children's Home **provides vocational education services through their Vocational Options Program.** Eligible unemployed youth who are out of school and between the ages of 18 and 25 may receive the training and support needed to make a successful transition into the workforce. Eligible individuals will learn positive coping and life skills, identify realistic vocational goals, and develop the skills to meet those goals.

VOCATIONAL SERVICES

Department of Human Services/Division of Rehabilitation Services (DHS/DRS), Illinois WorkNet Center

1307 N. Mattis Ave., Champaign, IL 61821
(217) 278-3500 (V) * (217) 278-3510 (TTY)
www.dhs.state.il.us/ors/

DHS/DRS offers clients **vocational evaluation, counseling and guidance**; physical and mental restoration; **job training and placement**; **educational assistance**; technical equipment; and follow along services. DHS/DRS also provides vocational services through the Bureau for the Blind Services and the Division of Services for Persons Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing, plus mobility instruction and training in daily living activities to people with visual impairments. Assistance is also offered with issues relating to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

