Franklin County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Cross System Collaborations
Community Shelter Board Panel

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Helping people to live, learn and work in our community
Who we serve

The Franklin County Board of Developmental Disabilities (FCBDD) is a county agency providing services and supports to nearly 19,000 children and adults who have developmental disabilities.

Over 10,000 infants, preschoolers, school–age children, adults, and senior citizens receive service coordination support.
Who is eligible?

Any Franklin County resident diagnosed with a developmental disability.
For eligibility purposes, a developmental disability is defined as a severe, chronic disability that is characterized by *all* of the following:

- Attributable to mental and/or physical impairments, not caused solely by mental illness
- Manifested prior to the age of 22
- Likely to continue indefinitely

And…
Results in one of the following:

- If under age 3, at least 1 developmental delay*
- If between age 3 and 6, at least 2 developmental delays*
- If older than age 6, substantial functional limitations in at least 3 of the following areas:
  - Self-care
  - Receptive and expressive language
  - Learning
  - Mobility
  - Self-direction
  - Capacity for independent living
  - Capacity for economic self-sufficiency (16 yrs and older)

*(Delay areas include: fine and gross motor growth, communication, cognition, social or emotional development, adaptive behavior or sensory development).
Identification and enrollment:

- To begin the enrollment process or to make a referral for services, contact the FCBDD Intake Office at 614-342-5490.

- The intake office will provide step by step instructions based on individual circumstances.

- Be prepared to provide medical documentation and complete additional testing administered by our staff during the process.
FCBDD services overview

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Available services and supports

Housing Solutions and Crisis Intervention
Housing Solutions and Supports

- Creative Housing
- HUD
- Section 8
- Rent Subsidies
- Community Landlords
- Intermediate Care Facilities
- Developmental Centers
- Nursing Care Facilities
Crisis intervention and services

- Emergency Status Review
- Emergency Respite
- Crisis Intervention Team Training
- Netcare Liaison
Homelessness within the DD population

Contributing factors:

- Loss of earned or benefit income
- Loss of caregiver
- Comorbid mental health factors
- Dignity of risk

- We are not an enforcement agency – all of our services are provided on a voluntary basis
Contact Information

- **Intake (for all FCBDD programs)**
  - 342-5490

- **Service Coordination**
  - 464-2743

- **Major Unusual Incidents**
  - 464-2745

- **Early Childhood Education/Home Based Services**
  - 475-0564

- **Adult Services (ARC Industries Central Office)**
  - 475-7007

- **Recreation**
  - 342-5985 or Special Olympics at 342-5989
Thank you!

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