



Office of the Ombudsman for Individuals with Intellectual or Developmental Disabilities and Their Families

Transitions Checklist

The transition from childhood to adulthood is complex. There are many issues that require a family's attention.

Here is a helpful checklist of some of the issues.
Please contact us if you have questions about any of them.

ADULT SERVICES & SUPPORTS

- NJ Division of Developmental Disabilities
- NJ Division of Disability Services
- County Disability Offices
- Centers for Independent Living

HEALTHCARE

- Primary Care Physician
- Dentist
- Psychiatrist / Psychologist

EDUCATION

- Pre-Employment
- Higher Education

HOUSING

- Private
- State-Licensed

EMPLOYMENT

- NJ Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services
- NJ Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired

LEGAL STATUS

- Supportive Decision-Making
- Power of Attorney
- Guardianship

FEDERAL/STATE SUPPORT PROGRAMS

- Social Security / Supplemental Security Income
- Medicaid
- Medicare

TRANSPORTATION

- Driver's License / State Identification
- New Jersey Transit / Access Link
- Travel Instruction / Training

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