

**Provider Meeting
February 8, 2024
1:00PM-3:00PM**

We will be flipping the agenda around from my typical items. We will have our presentations regarding technology first and then run through normal County board updates starting around 2:30PM.

A. Technology

- a. 1:00-1:30PM- Tour Assistive Technology Vehicle (ATV)
- b. Cuyahoga County Board of DD presentation-
 - i. Michael Moats CLE & ATV discussion
 - ii. <https://cuyahogabdd.org/dd-services/assistive-technology/>

B. Safe in Home Presentation

- a. Billie Catanzarite

C. ACBDD Tech Bag review View our Tech bag Powerpoint through the link below. Do not hesitate to reach out if you would like try any of these items out for an individual you support. You can also reach out to Andrea Klimko if you would like a demonstration of all the tech for your staff.

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1DkDauARI2MnHbXADrwetaUT7-DebrJNgrtLn6uWejM/edit?usp=sharing>

D. County Board Announcements and Welcome our new staff

- a. **Stephanie Chizmadia- Operations Manager. Please begin to reach out to Stephanie regarding billing concerns or questions. Stephanie.chizmadia@ashtabuladd.org 440-335-1560**

E. DSP of the Month Nomination

- a. **Tracy Giddings- Independent Provider**
- b. **Jasmin Garcia- A Lasting Impression**
- c. **Joanne Smoot- Skills for Life (BHRS)**

F. County Board Updates

- a. **Injectable med admin Category 3 authorizes administration of injectable medication for the treatment of Metabolic Glycemic orders only- Any other injectables would need to be self-administered, by a natural support or a healthcare professional. To identify if a person is able to self admin (if concerned) an Injectable assessment can be completed to make that determination.**
- b. **New My Learning- Please reach out if you have any wuestions regarding the new site. All previous (2024) trainings have been archived but are still accessible on the myLearning page.**
- c. **ADS Pilot program- UPDATES- we have 3 Day program providers in Ashtabula participating in this program.**
- d. **Post Card regarding Independents no longer being able to provide services Does not apply to DODD Independent providers.**
- e. **Brittco changes- Plans will no longer be mailed out to providers. ALL providers should make sure they have access to Brittco and the individuals that they are currently supporting. If you need help with accessing Brittco please reach out to Andrea Klimko or Sierra Taylor and we will help with that.**
- f. **EVV rule is going to be broken out to 4 different rules hopefully by summertime- changes around use of GPS- Requirements updates (removing signature requirement) additional changes for ALT vendors. There's still no date for when they are going to turn on claims denial- That it is going to happen sometime in the future but we will receive a 90 day notice prior to implementation. Wile EVV is not used for claims denial currently it is used during an audit. It is very importatnt that you and your staff are using this program to its fullest. Please do not hesitate to reach out**

id you need assistance with accessing EVV and implementing this among your staff.

g. Provider Annual Reviews- Sierra Taylor-Provider Annual Reviews- Provider Annual Reviews

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[OITMS Resources](#)

G. ARPA workforce projects Open through June 30- ARPA HCBS Projects/workforce. (ARPA funds do lead into incentive payments and rule changes payments would be on top of fee for service payment. How is this funded? (ADDON)) July of 2024.

a. Support for people and Their Families

b. DSP Workforce Support-5 million Workforce related projects to support DSPs in HCBS settings. Reduce isolation, provide DSP specific support, enhance recruitment and retention efforts and offer opportunities for Professional development

c. Multi System Youth Waiver Pilot

d. Innovative Technology

e. Waiver redesign

H. DODD Grants- **Go to website**

- a. DSP workforce Grant
 - b. Mentorship program Feb 27- **Establish mentorship programs connecting family members and those living with DD with experienced peers who can offer guidance and support navigating disability services. Organizations that mission and work aligns with engaging supporting and empowering people with DD, Organization that is knowledgeable about OHIO's DD system.**
 - c. Ohio Leadership Academy Feb 27-**Looking for organizations to establish and facilitate the Ohio Leadership Academy series and Advocacy 101 workshops. These programs will work to equip people with DD and family members to cultivate personal leadership /advocacy skills.**
 - d. Supported Decision Making Feb 27- Seeking **RFP's from eligible applicants to establish an Ohio coalition that will develop action plans for advancing strategies that will ensure the self-determination of adults with dd. Have access to more strategies to support decision making, Be able to detect abuse neglect and exploitation more easily. Eligible Organizations.**
 - e. Transformative Technology Solutions open until Feb 21 **To improve service delivery and health monitoring for people with Disabilities. Address gaps and promote integration of tech. County boards, Agency providers, and tech companies**
 - f.
- I. Superintendent Updates
- a. Vacancies- **Please report vacancies in your organization to your SSA, and/or the provider support department. If you have an open bed or room in a home we would like to develop a list to meet the needs of those whom may be displaced or looking for other options in our community.**
- J. Open Mic



Ashtabula County Board of Developmental Disabilities



Technology Resources

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Stephanie Chizmadia
Operations Manager

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DSP of the Month

Amazing!



County Board Updates

- Injectable Medication Administration
- [New My Learning](#)
- ADS Pilot
- PostCard –Independent Providers
- Upcoming Brittco Changes
- EVV Rule Changes

Monthly Rate Calculator

[Home](#) [Help Administration](#) [Help?](#)

Home
Create a New Site
Search for Site by Site Name
Search by Person
Search for Site by Provider

PA
Manage PA

PAWS
Cap Rules
Reports

CB Consent
MRC Actual Upload

CPT
Manage Individuals
Manage Providers
Manage HPC Staffing Patterns
Manage HPC Calendar
Manage ADS/NMT Patterns
Manage ADS/NMT Calendars
Manage Nursing Patterns
Manage Nursing Calendar
Manage Unscheduled ADS/NMT
Manage Unscheduled Services
-For Multiple Individuals
-For One Individual
Manage Participant Directed Services
Manage Unscheduled Nursing Services
Manage Waiver Nursing Delegation Services

Site Name: Effective Date: 8/26/2018 End Date: 12/31/9999

Manage: [Site Home](#) | [Edit Site](#) | [Manage Versions](#) | [Manage Notes](#) | [Add Non-Waiver Spans](#) | [Add DBU Exemption](#)

Projected Costs Actuals Past 60 Days Costs

[Add Actual Span](#) [Non-Billable Days](#)

Provider:

	Start Date	End Date	Total Actual Hours	Total Comp Hours	Total Cost(+Comp)	Comp Cost	BillFile	Month Complete
-	08/26/2019	08/31/2019	332.00	0.00	\$6,850.71	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Start Date	End Date	Total Actual Hours	Total Comp Hours	Total Cost(+Comp)	Comp Cost	BillFile	
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Edit Remove	08/28/2019	08/31/2019	217.00	0.00	\$4,508.16	\$0.00	MBS Excel	
+ 09/01/2019	09/30/2019	1,647.00	0.00	\$33,871.70	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 10/01/2019	10/31/2019	1,685.00	0.00	\$34,402.30	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 11/01/2019	11/30/2019	1,647.00	0.00	\$33,871.70	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 12/01/2019	12/31/2019	1,698.00	0.00	\$34,911.38	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 01/01/2020	01/31/2020	1,685.00	0.00	\$39,169.70	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 02/01/2020	02/29/2020	1,604.00	0.00	\$37,275.12	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Alert + 03/01/2020	03/31/2020	1,898.00	0.00	\$43,691.96	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 04/01/2020	04/30/2020	1,920.00	0.00	\$44,560.80	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
+ 05/01/2020	05/31/2020	1,984.00	0.00	\$46,032.49	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Alert + 06/01/2020	06/30/2020	1,894.00	0.00	\$43,618.82	\$0.00	MBS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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ARPA Workforce Projects

[More Information Here](#)

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DODD Grants

<https://dodd.ohio.gov/about-us/grant-opportunities/>

- DSP Workforce Grant
- Mentorship Program- February 27, 2024
- Ohio Leadership Academy- February 27, 2024
- Supported Decision Making- February 27, 2024
- Transformative Technology Solutions- February 21, 2024



QUESTIONS?



Community Inclusion activities

Stretch Class
Wednesday, February 7th, 4:15pm-5:15pm
Wednesday, February 14th, 4:15pm-5:15pm
Wednesday, February 21st, 4:15pm-5:15pm
Wednesday, February 28th, 4:14pm-5:15pm
at the Ashtabula County Board of Developmental Disabilities




Registration is **REQUIRED**
to attend.

10 NIGHT SHINE
SPONSORED BY THE TIM TEBOW FOUNDATION
SAVE THE DATE
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024

Only 200 tickets available,
reserve now!

**Special Olympics vs ACBDD
Basketball Scrimmage & Fundraiser**
Monday, February 12th, 2024
Doors open at 5:30pm
Game starts at 6:30pm
Located at Edgewood Senior High School
2428 Blake Rd, Ashtabula



Ashtabula County Board of
Developmental Disabilities
Presents:
Sensory Movie Night
Thursday, February 22nd
5:00pm
Hosted by The Ashtabula Public Library



Online Programming
Join **WE THRIVE TOGETHER** for
Technology for Independence

Register today and learn to use
technology to live a more
independent life!
OR
choose from over 100
other virtual activities!!

Join us for a
live virtual
experience !

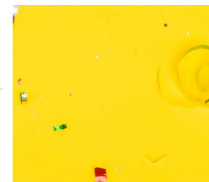




<https://wethrivetogether.org/>

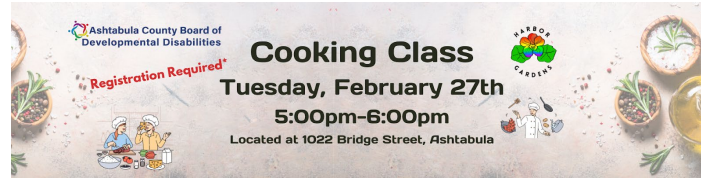
Ashtabula County Board of
Developmental Disabilities

Tie-Dye Socks!
Monday, February 19th
4:30pm-5:30pm
2505 South Ridge Rd East, Ashtabula

Limited registration, register now!



And So Much More!



Come and Meet the Authors of
Splat the Dinosaur
At a Book Signing on Saturday, March 23rd

Henderson Memorial Public Library

10:00 AM to 11:30 AM

&

Geneva Public Library

1:00 PM - 2:30 PM



Ashtabula County

Kiwanis
AKTION CLUB

When: Meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 6:00pm-8:00pm

Where: Ashtabula County Board of DD
(2505 South Ridge Road East Kingsville, OH 44004)

Ashtabula County

People First of Ohio

When: Meetings are held the 3rd Friday of each month from 5:00pm-6:30pm

Where: Vitality Supported Living
471 Madison Street Conneaut, OH
(Parking lot and door on Route 20)



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Thank You!
Next Provider Meeting
March 14, 2024
DD Awareness Month

