Achieve with us

• 72 years in operation
• Outstanding team members (20)
  • Over 400 years experience
    • Family members (11 parents, siblings, etc.)
    • Self-advocates (>3)
    • Professionals in the field
• Volunteer board of 19 with representation from:
  • Self-Advocacy (4)
  • Families (8)
  • Professionals in the field include:
    • Education (higher education and public schools)
    • Law
    • Assistive technology
    • Disability Studies
    • Community-based providers
Achieve with us

• Community outreach
  • Resource fairs
  • Bilingual staff

• Legislative Advocacy
  • State and Federal
  • Regulatory
Guidehouse Study

• Much legislative activity focused on fully funding implementation of recommendations
  • The Arc of IL is in support of funding implementation
  • They Deserve More Coalition
    • HB 4832 and SB 4063
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*The proposal also includes an additional $45M for annualized costs from the FY'22 implementation of Guidehouse.*
Guidehouse Study

- The Guidehouse study did not include Home Based Services (HBS) Waiver
  - Recommendations do not apply to HBS
  - HBS 50% of Adult waiver services
  - SB 3859
    - Require an independent rate study of the Home Based Services Waiver to determine lost purchasing power since FY15
Living Situations By Settings and Family Caregiver Age: FY2019
N = 289,502 (estimated)

With Family Caregiver, 209,042, 72%
Supervised Residential Setting, 27,544, 10%
Alone or with a Roommate, 52,915, 18%
Caregiver age <41, 86,475, 41%
Caregiver age 41-59, 73,332, 35%
Caregiver age 60+, 49,235, 24%

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