Home-Based Services Program

Illinois Home and Community Based Waiver Funding – Adults with Medicaid Developmental Disability Waiver Funding

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Programs of The Arc of Illinois

- Illinois Lifespan – Information & Resources
- Family to Family Health Information Center
- **Family Support Network of Illinois**
- **Ligas Family Advocate Program**
- Family Transition Project
- Consumer Stipend Program
- Assistive Technology Program
- Training Department
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• **The Ligas Family Advocate Program**
  
  • Established as a pilot program in 2014 after the Ligas Consent Decree (2011) to provide consistent information about waiver services and living options statewide

  • Connect families of loved ones with I/DD to similar families seeking funding and services selected from the PUNS

  • Share creative ways to utilize waiver funding and explore waiver support options via virtual training and in-person events such as conventions.

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  • Work with **Independent Service Coordination** agencies (ISCs) in getting information about all available options for services to adults and families
  
  • [https://www.thearcofil.org/about-us/programs/ligas-family-advocate-program/](https://www.thearcofil.org/about-us/programs/ligas-family-advocate-program/)
Goals

- Understand the responsibilities of those directing Home-based Services
- Describe the roles and responsibilities of Employers of Record, and the role of Illinois’ Fiscal Agent, ACES$ Financial Management Services and PSW
- EVV and how it works: Paper time sheets/Electronic time sheets
- Complete Survey!