

EVENING AND WEEKEND RECREATION PROGRAM

The Evening and Weekend Recreation Program offers community based physical activities, including Outdoor Experience, Sports and Fitness, and Special Olympics to adults with developmental disabilities.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Recreation Program strives to facilitate physical activities aimed at enhancing the quality of life for adults with developmental disabilities. Consumers select activities from a diverse and seasonally rotating list. The twofold focus is to expose clients to new and challenging activities and to promote proficiency of existing skills. Recreation activities offer experience in decision making, goal setting, and problem solving. These organized opportunities promote individual personal development, independence in the community and optimize social skills.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To promote proficiency of existing skills.
2. To develop skills in new activities.
3. To increase awareness of diverse recreational possibilities.
4. To promote decision making by offering choice and guidance.
5. To strengthen emotional and physical development through challenges.
6. To promote social skills and Activities of Daily Living
7. To increase independent participation in the community.
8. To assist the person served in obtaining access to recreation resources and services in their community.

PLACE OF PROVISION OF SERVICES:

The Late Afternoon, Evening, and Weekend Recreation Program meets at appropriate locations in the community depending on the activity.

METHODS OF PROVISION OF SERVICES:

The activities in the program are planned, facilitated and guided by the Recreation Coordinator and the Recreation Assistants. The Recreation Program is part of the Challenge Center and overseen by the Day Services Director. Referral information by sponsoring agency, organization, school, or County Case Managers should be submitted to the Client Service Coordinator of the Challenge Center, (715) 394-2771. Participation is based on assessments to meet the individual needs of the person. Transportation needs to be arranged prior to entry into the program.

ELIGIBILITY:

The late afternoon, Evening, and Weekend Recreation Program serves adults with developmental disabilities. Some activities require fees. Individuals must be authorized through County, third party or private pay prior to attendance.

HOURS OF SERVICE:

7 days a week (as activity dictates). After 3:00 PM weekdays and varied on weekends.

WHO TO CONTACT:

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