

# OHIO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COUNCIL

## SUMMARY OF PROJECTS

### 2019 UPDATE STATE PLAN

#### Capacity Building Projects

Staff: Carla Cox

Name of Project	Page	Grantee	Goal	Objective and Impact of Project	Amount of Funding	Type of Funding	Years
Capacity Building, Advocacy, and Systems Change by Council Staff	5	None	1	Council staff members will be actively involved in advocacy; capacity building and systems change on behalf of Ohioans with developmental disabilities and their families.	\$650,000	In-house	5
Systems Change and Advocacy by Members/Council Travel	11	None	1	Increased support will be provided to at least 10 Council members as they strengthen their advocacy and leadership skills, and function as systems change agents for critical issues in the DD field.	\$80,000	In-house	5
External Evaluation of Council's Projects and Processes	16	TBD	2	Council members, staff and general public will have increased access to evaluation results for at least 3 selected Council projects resulting in council funded activities having a greater impact.	\$18,750	Contract	TBD
Executive Committee's Discretionary Funds	19	TBD Various Grantees	5	To increase public awareness, advocacy and systems change efforts through mini-grants.	\$60,000	Non-Competitive	5

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## Children & Health Projects

Staff: Kay Treanor

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Better Child Care for the Student with Developmental Disabilities	23	University of Toledo	3	By the end of each fiscal year, support young students with development disabilities to receive quality child care through 10 demonstrated best practices and procedures.	\$50,000	Continuation	5
Family Support in Early Intervention	26	OACBDD	2	By the end of 5 years, assist no less than 10 state and local early intervention leaders with the development of a comprehensive system of family support as part of Evidence Based Early Intervention (EBEI) services.	\$100,000	Continuation	5
Healthy Lifestyles for People with Disabilities	29	Cincinnati Children's Hospital	2	By the end of each fiscal year, identify and support participation in inclusive activities that promote healthy habits for a minimum of 100 people with disabilities participating in transition services.	\$103,000	Continuation	5

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## Community Living Projects

Staff: Fatica Ayers

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Strengthening the Voices of Direct Support Professionals	33	Ohio Alliance of Direct Support Professionals	2	By year two, over 800 direct support professionals who support people with disabilities and their families will be provided information to improve support by encouraging a better trained, more respected, and more involved workforce. (Frontline Initiatives)	\$25,000	Continuation	5
Maximizing Resources and Changing Public Policy for Housing for Adults with Disabilities	37	Wild River Consulting, Inc.	5	By year two of the project, Council will have 6 best practices that will increased knowledge and awareness of critical housing policy to be resolved among housing stakeholders and empowered people with disabilities and their families to obtain affordable, safe, decent and accessible housing.	\$100,000	Continuation	5
Hashtag Support for Aging Caregivers#	43	Hamilton County DD Services	2	By the end of year two, at least 50 aging caregivers who support people with disabilities will have increased access to information that will assist them to find services and supports that provides relief.	\$50,000	Continuation	5

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Sustaining & Expanding Accessible and Affordable Transportation for People with Disabilities <u>Anytime</u>	46	Hocking Athens Perry Community Action	2	By year two of the project, there will be accessible and affordable transportation services for 200 people with disabilities in a portion of the Appalachia region of the state whenever needed/ wanted, regardless of time of day, and if accessible and affordable transportation isn't available it will be <b>created or expanded</b> .	\$109,000	Continuation	3
Partnership for Housing for People with Disabilities	51	DODD (Designated State Agency)	5	By year one of the project, council will partner and leverage dollars with the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD) to work collaboratively with 100 other stakeholders so that people with disabilities and their families will have increased access to affordable and accessible housing in Ohio.	\$50,000	Continuation	5

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## Employment Projects

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Money Matters	56	TBD	2	Financial literacy will improve the economic stability and advancement of 200 individuals with disabilities and family members.	\$85,000	Competitive	3
Employment Demonstrations/ Jobcom	59	Goodwill Easter Seals of Miami Valley	2	Two best practices will increase (1) awareness and capacity building and (2) the number of employers hiring people with developmental disabilities.	\$40,000	Continuation	3
Employer Engagement	62	Best Buddies International, Inc	2	Two best practices will increase (1) awareness and capacity building and (2) the number of employers hiring people with developmental disabilities.	\$65,000 (2017-19) \$105,000 (2020-21)	Continuation	5

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## Leadership Development Projects

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Empowering Self-Advocates/In-House Activities	66	In-house	4	Over the five-year grant period, one hundred (100) self-advocate leaders with developmental disabilities will be empowered through skill development and opportunities to be effective leaders.	TBD	Continuation	5
Empowering Self-Advocates/Best Buddies, Inc.	69	Best Buddies International, Inc.	4	Over the five-year grant period, three hundred (300) self-advocate leaders with developmental disabilities will be empowered through skill development and opportunities to be effective leaders.	\$28,000	Continuation	5
Empowering Self-Advocates/ Services for Independent Living	72	Services for Independent Living	4	Over the five-year grant period, sixty (60) self-advocate leaders with developmental disabilities will be empowered through skill development and opportunities to be effective leaders.	\$31,000	Continuation	5
Empowering Self-Advocates/Ohio Self-Determination Association	75	Ohio Self-Determination Association	4	Over the five-year grant period, one hundred (100) self-advocate leaders with developmental disabilities will be empowered through skill development and opportunities to be effective leaders.	\$44,000	Continuation	5

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## Outreach Projects

Staff: Ken Latham

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Expanding The Amish Community Project	79	DDC Clinic for Children with Special Needs	5	By the end of year two, over 200 families will have increased access to a potential diagnosis and culturally competent follow-up care and support.	\$50,000	Continuation	5
Bridging The Gap - Reachout E-Diversity Newsletter "An Electronic Bi-Monthly Publication" of the Ohio Developmental Disabilities Council	83	Outcome Mgmt. Group	1	By year two of project, the newsletter will increase knowledge and awareness to 300 stakeholders including people with disabilities and their families about the benefits of culturally competent interagency collaboration.	\$25,000	Competitive	5
Sustaining the Triple Jeopardy Statewide Network	88	Cassandra Archie	5	Identify and reach out to 50 African American women with disabilities in Ohio to participate in Network activities to collectively inform policy, identify barriers to supports and services and demand action.	\$25,000	Continuation	5

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## Public Policy Projects

Staff: Paul Jarvis

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General Assembly Briefing Sessions	93	Colby & Colby	4	By the end of the calendar year, state legislators and their staff will be better informed about the structure and the services and supports of the developmental disabilities system in Ohio, including how federal, state, and local public policies may impact individuals with developmental disabilities, their family members, and professionals in the field of developmental disabilities.	\$40,000	Continuation	5
Data and Policy Research Grant	96	TBD	4	To provide Council, advocates and policymakers with clear and concise data and findings related to needed systems change and capacity building in Ohio by conducting research studies and analyses.	\$50,000	Competitive	4
DD Awareness & Advocacy Day Grant	99	Ohio Provider Resource Association	4	People with developmental disabilities, their family members and friends and others will be active in systems advocacy through a single coordinated awareness and advocacy day.	\$38,000	Continuation	5

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## Technology and Communication Projects

Staff: Kim Crishbaum and Carla Cox

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Communication to Increase Public Awareness for People with Developmental Disabilities	104	O'Neill Public Relations, Inc.	1	To ensure public awareness is established statewide of Ohio DD Council's contributions through dissemination of products and programs relating to pertinent developmental disabilities issues to the general public and stakeholders which will influence continual Council membership of at least three (3) new counties annually.	\$60,000	Continuation	5

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