

# OHIO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COUNCIL

## SUMMARY OF PROJECTS

### 2017-2021 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 to consumer members of council 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	14	TBD	2	Council members, staff and general public will have increased access to evaluation results for selected council projects resulting in council funded activities having a greater impact.	\$18,750	Contract	NA
Executive Committee's Discretionary Funds	17	TBD more than one	5	To increase public awareness, advocacy and systems change efforts through mini-grants.	\$60,000	Non-Competitive	NA

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## Assistive Technology and Communication Projects

Staff: Kim Crishbaum and Carla Cox

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Communication to Increase Public Awareness for People with Developmental Disabilities	27	O'Neill Public Relations, Inc.	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To develop and disseminate products and programs that will influence the perceptions and attitudes of the public toward people with disabilities.</li> <li>To increase awareness to the general public and stakeholders statewide of the contributions of the Ohio developmental disabilities council.</li> <li>To increase awareness to people with disabilities on how they can become a member of the Ohio developmental disabilities council.</li> <li>Collaborate with stakeholders to improve the lives of people with disabilities and create community inclusion.</li> </ul>	\$60,000	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	32	University of Toledo	3	By the end of each fiscal year, support young students with development disabilities to receive quality child care through demonstrated best practices and procedures.	\$50,000	Competitive	5
Family Support in Early Intervention	35	OACBDD	2	By the end of the first year, assist 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	Competitive	5
Healthy Lifestyles for People with Disabilities	38	Cincinnati Children's Hospital	2	By the end of each fiscal year, identify and support participation in inclusive activities that promote healthy habits for people with disabilities of all ages.	\$103,000	Competitive	5

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## Community Living Projects

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Strengthening the Voices of Direct Support Professionals	42	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	Competitive	5
Maximizing Resources and Changing Public Policy for Housing for Adults with Disabilities	46	Wild River Consulting, Inc.	5	By year two of the project, council will increase 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	Competitive	5
Hashtag Support for Aging Caregivers#	52	Hamilton County DD Services	2	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	Competitive	5

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Sustaining & Expanding Accessible and Affordable Transportation for People with Disabilities <u>Anytime</u>	55	Hocking Athens Perry Community Action	2	By year two of the project, there will be accessible and affordable transportation services for people with disabilities whenever needed/ wanted, regardless of time of day, and if accessible and affordable transportation isn't available it will be <u>created or expanded</u> .	\$109,000	Continuation	5
Partnership for Housing for People with Disabilities	60	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 other stakeholders so that people with disabilities and their families will have increased access to affordable and accessible housing in Ohio.	\$50,000	Non-competitive	5

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## Employment Projects

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Realizing Employment First for Youth: Evidence Based Practices and Predictors of Adult Success	65	OCALI	3	To increase the implementation of evidence based practices and predictors of post-secondary success with at least fifty (50) youth with developmental disabilities during the school years in order to improve meaningful adult outcomes, specifically community employment.	\$85,000	Continuation	5
Employment Demonstrations/ Jobcom	72	Goodwill Easter Seals of Miami Valley	2	By the end of each fiscal year, improve and expand employment outcomes for people with disabilities through capacity building and systemic change.	\$40,000	Continuation	3
Employer Engagement	75	Best Buddies	2	By the end of each fiscal year, more employers are hiring people with developmental disabilities due to an increase in awareness and capacity building.	\$65,000 (2017-19) \$105,000 (2020-21)	Competitive	5

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## Leadership Development Projects

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Empowering Self-Advocates	79	OSDA, SIL & Best Buddies	4	By the end of each fiscal year, empower self-advocate leaders with developmental disabilities by increasing skill development and providing opportunities to be effective leaders.	\$103,000	Competitive	5

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## Outreach Projects

Staff: Ken Latham

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Expanding The Amish Community Project	83	Blake Andres	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	87	Patricia Hicks, Ph.D.	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	92	Cassandra Archie	5	Identify and reach out to 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	97	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	Non-Competitive Allocation	4
Data and Policy Research Grant	100	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	103	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	Competitive	5

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