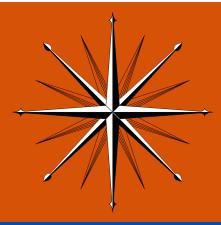
The Compass

Helping You Navigate Your Roadmap to Adulthood



Planning for Adult Life activities, events, and materials are conducted and developed in partnership with The Arc of New Jersey with funding from the New Jersey Division of Developmental Disabilities.

Welcome to the Planning for Adult Life monthly newsletter, **The Compass!**This newsletter will highlight upcoming monthly events, updates on supports and services, and opportunities to gather information available through our program.

Transition Planning 101: Are You Ready for School to Begin?

Parents: it's just about that time again. It is time to set the alarms and pack lunches. Care-free summer days are over and the new school session is about to start.

Going back to school can be a sad moment for students. However, this is a moment most parents are very fond of.



As they're back in the classroom, you finally get back to your regular schedule. As the new school year starts there are things you can do to prepare your children and make sure they're ready for the new school year. Here are 7 Things To Do Now To Make The Whole School Year Go Smoothly.

FREE Parent Forum and Opportunity Expo

Register Today!

In This Issue

Transition Planning 101
Important Announcement
Things to Consider
Archived Video: Update on
Applying for SSI and Medicaid
Webinar Wednesday Series
Student Planning Activity



Webinar Wednesday Series

September 28, 2016 6-7pm

If I Knew Then What I Know Now: A Parent's Experience

To Register, Click HERE

Parent Forums

include workshops (45-60 minutes) on specific topics including information on support coordination, the continuum of community services, financial planning, eligibility requirements, and where to find help.



The Opportunity

Expo features a variety of exhibitors including: state and county government entities, community service providers, service coordinators, local health care support and recreation providers, additional information and referral services. By attending the Expo, families will be introduced to supports and services in their area. You don't want to miss it!

Workshops to be covered (Varies by Location):

- A Parent's Experience
- Exploring Employment
- Understanding Guardianship
- SSI and Medicaid's Role in Obtaining Adult Services
- Accessing Services and Natural Supports

Starting in OCTOBER! For a list of dates, Click <u>HERE</u>

Want reserve a FREE VENDOR table for your agency or program at these events? Click <u>HERE</u>

Things To Consider:

Have you 'Liked' us on Facebook and 'Followed' us on Twitter yet?

Like our Facebook page and follow us on Twitter to stay current with all things Planning For Adult Life.

For Facebook, Click Here

For Twitter, Click Here

Student Planning Activity



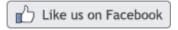
What are your dreams and goals for the future?

It is really important

Check out these videos:

- Setting Goals
- 4 Step Plan to Reaching Goals

Join Our Mailing List



Follow us on twitter

Contact Us

Jerisa Maseko, Director helpdesk@planningforadultlife.org 732-828-0972



Missed a Webinar? Check Out Our Archived Videos: Update on Applying for SSI and Medicaid

Click here to view the video!

Planning For Adult Life serves students, 16-21 years-old, with developmental disabilities and their families.

PlanningForAdultLife.org

Copyright © 2016. All Rights Reserved.