

The Community Support Network (CSN)

is the Hudson Valley's resource center for information, referral assistance, self-advocacy support and training on special education and disability related topics.

We serve individuals with disabilities, and their families from infancy to preschool, throughout the school-age years and into the adult world of higher education and employment.

CSN also provides resources, training and support to professionals working with individuals with disabilities.

*"In a truly inclusive society,
everyone can be included."*
NICOLE HASTINGS



Westchester Institute
for Human Development

As one of 68 University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities, Westchester Institute for Human Development (WIHD) is dedicated to improving the lives of people with disabilities, vulnerable children, and their families and caregivers.

For 75 years, WIHD has been a key regional resource in providing a comprehensive set of medical, dental, clinical and social services; and in promoting access and inclusion through professional education, community training and technical assistance, innovative research and broad information dissemination.

WIHD complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.

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Events Calendar: Information sessions, conferences, workshops and other opportunities to learn about topics that are of interest to the disability community.

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Who We Serve

1. Individuals with disabilities
 - a. Early childhood and preschool-age children (birth to kindergarten)
 - b. School-age children (kindergarten through high school)
 - c. Young adults (post high school)
 - d. Families of students receiving special education services
2. Self-advocates and disability advocates
3. Adults
4. Parents, families and caregivers of individuals with disabilities
5. Professionals
 - a. Teachers
 - b. School Building Leaders
 - c. Special Education Service Providers
 - d. Daycare and Preschool Programs
 - e. Community Organizations

Our Services

Our outstanding team of professionals are knowledgeable about all of the service systems serving individuals with disabilities across the lifespan, and are available to assist our Hudson Valley community in a variety of ways.

1. Direct Consultation
2. Informational Workshops
3. Professional Training
4. Educational Resources
5. Referral Assistance
6. Employment Training Programs
7. Benefits, Decision-Making Guidance
8. Self-Direction Services
9. Social Groups & Events
10. Annual Conferences

Our Programs

1. Lower Hudson and Mid-Hudson Family and Community Engagement (FACE) Centers
2. Project SEARCH
3. Hear Our Voices-Young Adult Advocacy & Empowerment
4. Benefits Navigation Support
5. Self-Direction Brokerage Services
6. Supported Decision-Making, Guardianship, Housing Information

"WIHD treats everyone with respect, dignity and compassion."
 DR. SUSAN FOX, PRESIDENT & CEO



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