Community Employment and Disability Services Resources WDA 4

(Calumet, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Outagamie, Waupaca, Waushara, and Winnebago Counties)

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR)

FOND DU LAC

349 North Peters Avenue Fond du Lac, WI 54935 Main Line: 920.929.2924 Toll Free: 800.562.5330 TTY: 866.832.3486

FAX: 920.929.2974

MENASHA

1802 Appleton Road Menasha, WI 54952 Main Line: 920.968.6219 Toll Free: 877.367.1105 TTY: 866.223.5539

FAX: 920.832.2838

OSHKOSH

219 Washington Avenue, Suite 105 Oshkosh, WI 54901

Main Line: 920.424.4409 Toll Free: 800.848.4355 TTY: 866.223.5539

FAX: 920.424.2073

*Call ahead for an appointment and confirm that these are the best locations for your needs.

To apply for DVR services:

Online application: https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/dvr/referral/

Phone: 800.442.3477

*If you need to access DVR information in an alternate format, need it translated to another language, or need assistance completing the application, please contact DVR using one of the phone numbers listed above.





What services does DVR provide?

- Career guidance and counseling
- Job search and placement assistance
- Information and referral services
- Transition to work services for students with disabilities in high school
- Supported employment services for persons with severe disabilities; includes time-limited on-the job supports
- Rehabilitation technology
- Vocational and other training
- Transportation
- Occupational licenses, tools and other equipment

- Assistance in small-business plan development
- Interpreter services
- Rehabilitation teaching services
- Diagnosis and treatment
- Post-employment services
- Internship/Temporary work
- Job shadows
- Soft skills training
- Work incentive benefits analysis
- Disability and employment assessment

For more information on DVR services visit:

Wisconsin Division of Vocational Rehabilitation: https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/dvr/

To learn about self-advocacy, self-determination, or peer mentoring opportunities in your community, contact:

Options for Independent Living

555 Country Club Road P.O. Box 11967

Green Bay, WI 54307 Phone: 920.490.0500 TTY: 920.490.0600

FAX: 920.490.0700 Toll Free: 888.465.1515 Website: www.optionsil.com

Options for Independent Living-Fox Valley Office

2331 E Lourdes Drive, Room 208

Appleton, WI 54914 Phone: 920.997.9999 FAX: 920.997.9381 Toll Free: 888.465.1515

People First Wisconsin

5150 N Port Washington Road, Suite 102

Glendale, WI 53217 Phone: 414.483.2546

http://www.peoplefirstwisconsin.org/

WI Board for People with Developmental Disabilities

101 E Wilson Street, Room 219 Madison, WI 53703 Phone: 608.266.7826

http://wi-bpdd.org/

Disability Rights Wisconsin (DRW)

Toll Free: 800.928.8778

Madison

131 W Wilson Street, Suite 700 Madison, WI 53703 608.267.0214

Milwaukee

6737 W Washington Street, Suite 3230 Milwaukee, WI 53214 414.773.4646

Rice Lake

217 W Knapp Street Rice Lake, WI 54868 715.736.1232

Office of Deaf & Hard of Hearing (ODHH)

1 W Wilson Street PO Box 2659

Madison, WI 53701-2659

Email: dhsodhh@dhs.wisconsin.gov

Phone: 855.359.5252

https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/odhh/index.htm

DVR Client Assistance Program (CAP)

1502 West Broadway

Suite 201

Madison, WI 53713 Phone: 608.267.0214

https://disabilityrightswi.org/program/client-assistance-program/

Statewide Ombudsman Program

Board on Aging and Long Term Care 1402 Pankratz Street, Suite 111 Madison, WI 53704-4001

Email: Board on Aging and Long Term Care at BOALTC@Wisconsin.Gov

Fax: 608.246.7001

Ombudsman Program: 1.800.815.0015
To find the Ombudsman for your county visit:

https://longtermcare.wi.gov/Pages/Ombudsman/CoverageMap.aspx

To learn about Social Security benefits and working, visit:

WIPA (Work Incentives Planning and Assistance):

http://www.eri-wi.org/programs/wipa/

Toll Free: 1.877.826.1752

Ticket to Work through the Social Security Administration:

https://choosework.ssa.gov/

Ticket to Work Help Line: 1.866.968.7842 or 1.866.833.2967 TTY

To learn about Medicare prescription benefits, visit:

Medigap Helpline: 1.800.242.1060

Medicare Part D Helpline over age 60: 1.855.677.2783 Medicare Part D Helpline age 59 and under: 1.800.926.4862

ABLE Accounts – Tax Advantaged Savings Accounts for Individuals with Disabilities and Their Families

ABLE Accounts: https://www.ablenrc.org/about/

- \$15,000 yearly contribution limit, up to \$100,000 total
- Eligibility requirements
 - Individuals with disabilities with an onset of disability before turning 26 years of age
 - Also receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and/or Social Security
 Disability Insurance (SSDI) automatically eligible
 - May still be eligible if not currently a recipient of SSI and/or SSDI but still meet age of onset disability requirement.
 - Must receive letter of disability certification from a licensed physician

ABLE National Resource Center: call to learn more about ABLE savings plans 202.296.2040 or http://ablenrc.wpengine.com/contact/

ABLE Ambassadors: https://www.ablenrc.org/able-ambassadors/2020/

ABLE Accounts Information, continued:

ABLE is a federal law that applies to Wisconsin residents even though there is not currently an ABLE plan here.

State Plan Comparison Tool: https://www.ablenrc.org/compare-states/
https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/FAQS/ise-ABLEAccounts.aspx

Example plans from other Midwest states:

State	Out of	<u>Debit Card</u>	Annual Fee	<u>Minimum</u>
	state			contribution
	enrollment			to open
	Yes or No			<u>account</u>
Ohio	Yes	Yes, no added cost	\$42 per year	\$50
			(non-	
			residents)	
Illinois	Yes	Yes, \$2.00 monthly fee (waived if	\$60	\$25
		\$250 balance maintained)	\$45	
			(electronic)	
Minnesota	Yes	Yes, \$2.00 monthly fee (waived if	\$60	\$25
		\$250 balance maintained)	\$45	
			(electronic)	
Michigan	Yes	Yes, Replacement fee only	\$45	\$25
Iowa	Yes	Yes, \$2.00 monthly fee (waived if	\$60	\$25
		\$250 balance maintained)	\$45	
		*	(electronic)	

For community mental health resources and support, contact:

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

Phone: 608.268.6000 Toll Free: 1.800.236.2988

Website: https://namiwisconsin.org/find-your-local-nami-2/

Mental Health America of Wisconsin

600 W Virginia Street, Suite 502

Milwaukee, WI 53204 Phone: 414.276.3122 Toll Free: 1.866.948.6483 Email: info@mhawisconsin.org

Website: http://www.mhawisconsin.org/

For information, resources, and access to adult long-term care programs, contact:

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Fond du Lac County

50 N Portland Street Fond du Lac, WI 54935 Phone: 888.435.7335

TTY/TDD/Relay: 920.929.3400

Website: http://www.fdlco.wi.gov/departments/departments-n-z/social-services/aging-and-

disability-resource-center-adrc-2486

Aging and Disability Resource Center serving Adams, Green Lake, Marquette and Waushara Counties

Phone: 877.883.5378

TTY/TDD/Relay: WI Relay 711

Website: http://www.adrcinformation.org/

Green Lake Office

571 County Road A P.O. Box 588 Green Lake, WI 54941-0588

Montello Office

428 Underwood Avenue P.O. Box 405 Montello, WI 53949-0405

Wautoma Office

209 S Saint Marie Street P.O. Box 621 Wautoma, WI 54982-8114

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Winnebago County

220 Washington Avenue P.O. Box 2187

Oshkosh, WI 54903-2187 Phone: 877.886.2372

TTY/TDD/Relay: WI Relay 711

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Website: https://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/adrc

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Calumet, Outagamie, and Waupaca Counties

Toll Free: 866.739.2372

TTY/TDD/Relay: WI Relay 711 Appleton Office
Website: 320 S Walnut Street
http://www.youradrcresource.org/ Appleton, WI 54911

Chilton OfficeWaupaca Office206 Court Street811 Harding StreetChilton, WI 53014Waupaca, WI 54981

Wisconsin Department of Health Services, Long Term Care Services:

https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/long-term-care-support.htm

Project Information: WI-WIOA Career Interview Project

UW-Whitewater Center for Inclusive Transition, Education, and Employment (CITEE)

http://www.uww.edu/orsp/research-centers/citee/wioa

Main Phone: 262.472.1702 Email: wiwioacp@uww.edu

^{*}To find an Aging and Disability Resource Center close to your home call: 608.266.2536 or visit: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm