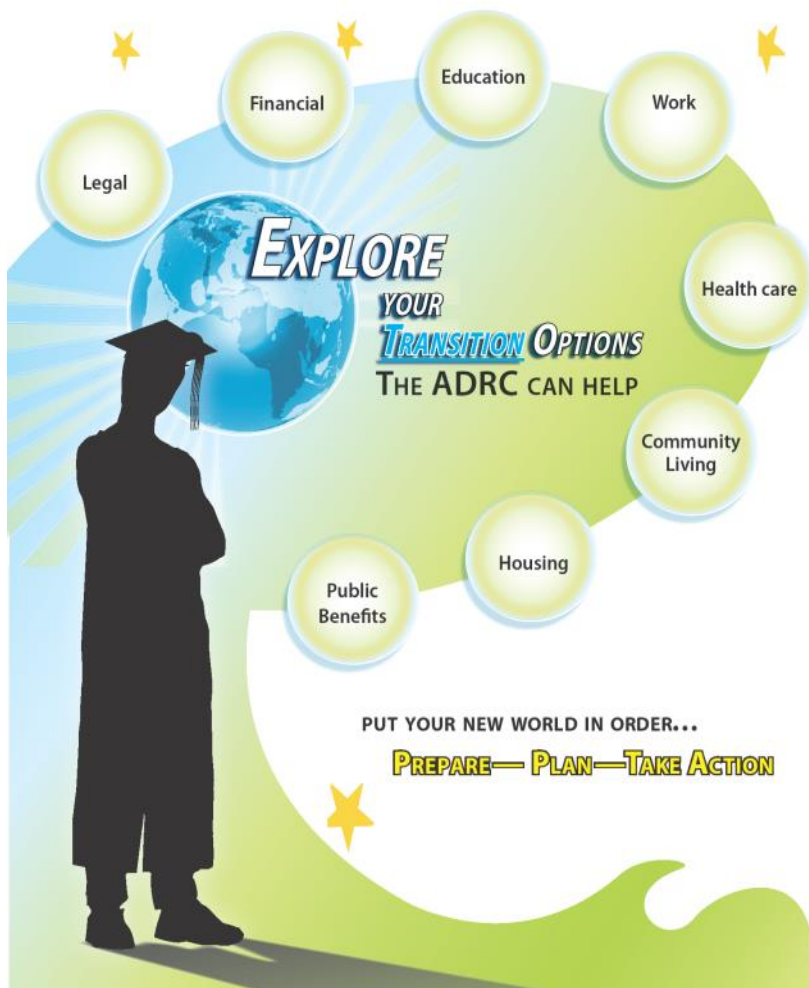


Living as an Adult...It is a Whole New World:Preparing for Life After High School

The ADRC can help get you answers to important questions you may have such as:



Where am I going to live after high school?

Will I go on to school or get job training for employment?

How will I support myself and manage my finances?

Should I apply for SSI? How and when?

What is publicly funded long term care?

How is long term care eligibility determined?

How do my legal rights and responsibilities change?

How do youth services and adult services differ?

How will I manage my health care?

The staff at the **ADRC of the Northwoods** will give you the resources, information, and support you need to navigate through this very important life transition. **Call us today 800-699-6704**

National Center on Secondary Education & Transition

The National Center on Secondary Education and Transition (NCSET) was established to create opportunities for youth with disabilities to achieve successful futures. NCSET provides technical assistance and circulates information focused on four major areas of national significance for youth with disabilities and their families —

- Providing students with disabilities with improved access and success in the secondary education curriculum.
- Ensuring that students achieve positive post school results in accessing postsecondary education, meaningful employment, independent living and participation in all aspects of community life.
- Supporting student and family participation in educational and post school decision making and planning.
- Improving collaboration and system linkages at all levels through the development of broad-based partnerships and networks at the national, state, and local levels.

Click on the link below for more information about NCSET:

<http://www.ncset.org/default.asp>

Transition Websites

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

www.dwd.wisconsin.gov/dvr

Students with a Disability

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/clts/index.htm>

Wisconsin Statewide Transition Initiative (WSTI)

www.wsti.org

Wisconsin Family Assistance Center for Education, Training & Support (WI FACETS)

www.wifacets.org

Videos

Wisconsin Youth First is excited to unveil our "Going to Work" video series. The stories of six Wisconsin youth with disabilities who have transitioned to competitive employment are depicted in five parts.

Video #1: Meet the Characters (5:34)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gVQTVRmVR6Q&feature=plcp>

Video #2: Understanding Your Disability and Self-Advocacy Skills (6:34)

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HgOJa_rVssI&feature=context-cha

Video #3: Disclosing Your Disability (5:59)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QXh5zmEkzJM&feature=context-cha>

Video #4: Job Interview Skills (5:32)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1drQq-imSok&feature=plcp>

Video #5: Asking for Accommodations on the Job (5:54)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GSzLyb5gYh0&feature=plcp>

These videos can also be found on the WSTI website by searching "Going to Work" in the Services and Resources tab.