

Strategic Plan Annual Progress Report 2024

Goal #1 Advocacy

Lakiem Lockery is doing well with weekly advocacy meetings with groups at the day programs and working with individuals to encourage them to know they have a voice. Also, making sure individuals are aware of their rights, project STIR and stable savings plans for their funds. We also participate in monthly SOCOG advocacy meetings.

Goal #2 Integration

SSA's are working with the Day Programs and providers to help our individuals to get, and be more involved with the community. Goodwill is running a program called Helping Hands to help people and businesses in the community with work projects with homes and businesses. This has been a great way for people in the community to know our individuals. Also, the community involvement with Night To Shine has been a great event for our individuals.

Goal #3 Employment First

We have several success stories with our individuals working in the community from local restaurants, the YMCA and Adena Hospital.

Goal #4 Provider Recruitment

Community services director Scot Crace has worked very hard to recruit and certify 10 new providers to work with our individuals and also to get family members certified to serve members of their own families. He also assisted 5 providers with their re-certifications and helps providers with billing issues and questions.

Goal #5 Technology First

We offer technology services for our individuals so they can have more independence and to maximize waiver dollars This can range from fall sensors to video monitoring for safety and medication administration.

Goal #6 Services

We continue to make connections with different community resources from housing, equipment, transportation and services in their home. These relationships help us to better serve our individuals and connect the community to our individuals.