

Did you know?

When children turn 18, they are legally adults and can make decisions for themselves.

Children may be eligible for Medical Assistance and Social Security benefits if they have a disability.

When children turn 18, they may also be eligible for services through Family Care or IRIS.

For more information, please contact

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To find an Aging & Disability Resource Center in a county not listed here, please visit:

www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/lc/lcmap/index.htm

Click on the county where you would like to receive services.



Transition Services

Helping young adults and their families in transitioning from school

What are some things I can ask the ADRC about youth transition?

- How to qualify for public funding programs such as IRIS and ContinuUs
- How to apply for disability benefits
- Housing options
- Employment options
- Secondary school options
- Home health care or supportive home care options
- Caregiver support
- Mental health or substance abuse treatment options
- Transportation resources
- Respite care options
- Support groups
- Medical Assistance
- Medicare and private or public benefits
- Guardianships and power of attorney for healthcare and finance

What kind of services are available at an ADRC?

- ▶ **Information and Assistance**—Receive information about housing, home care, employment, finances, and other services and resources that can help young adults and families with the transition from high school
- ▶ **Referral Services**—Help finding and accessing a variety of local programs, resources, and services to help in this transition
- ▶ **Long-Term Care Options Counseling**—Receive help sorting out the options available in order to make informed decisions about your future or your young adult's future after high school
- ▶ **Benefits Counseling**—Help determining which benefits you or your young adult may be entitled to

Who is eligible for Transition Services through the ADRC?

Students in high school and their families are eligible to meet with ADRC staff. Options counselors can provide information to help with the transition of a young adult from high school. These meetings can be at school, in the home, or at the ADRC.

Is there a fee for Transition services?

There is no charge for services offered by the ADRC.