Transition Calendar: Douglas County Connecting with Community Services

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Student Name:
Date of Birth:
Projected School Exit Date:

*This is a suggested guideline for students who may be eligible for services related to an intellectual or developmental disability. For other HCBS Waiver see http://www.cddo.cwood.org/Resources/pages/otherwaivers2010.htm

Recommended Age/Time	Action Steps	Details	Date Completed
0-Adult	• Register for Smart 911- provides emergency responders with information regarding the individuals disability, needs, other contact information, etc.	Website: https://www.smart911.com Update profile as information changes	
0-18	 Application to Social Security for Supplemental Security Income. Eligibility is based on disability & <u>family</u> income 	Apply Online: https://www.ssa.gov/disabilityssi/ssi.html Social Security Office: 1440 Wakarusa, Suite 200 Phone: (800) 772-1213 (866) 698-2561	
0-18	 Apply for Kancare (Kansas Medicaid). Eligibility is based on disability diagnosis. If eligible for Medicaid, contact the CDDO to explore case management options. During this process you will select your "Managed Care Organization" (MCO) 	Apply Online: www.applyforkancare.ks.gov or https://cssp.kees.ks.gov (click on "Health Plans" to explore the 3 MCO options) Case Management Options: www.cddo.cwood.org/TCM	
5 – Adult When services are needed but at least prior to age 21	 Contact the Community Developmental Disability Organization (Single Point of Entry) Cottonwood CDDO: Angela Levy at (785) 840-1614 CDDO will determine eligibility for Intellectual / Developmental Disability (I/DD) Waiver services funding. Obtain information about service options and providers. 	To initiate eligibility determination: request an eligibility packet from the CDDO. Be prepared to provide: Birth Certificate www.kdheks.gov/vital Social Security Card www.ssa.gov School & Disability Diagnosis Records I/DD Service options: www.cddo.cwood.org/services	
14-21	School Transition Services	Transition planning will begin at IEP meetings at age 14. Transition services will begin at age 16.	
14-21	 Referrals to Community Resources and services Complete applications according to needs and preferences 	Transportation: Para-Transit Services (aka. T-Lift). Complete "Part A" of application. Send "Part B" to a medical professional. http://lawrencetransit.org/ada-services Special Olympics, LPRD Special Populations, Independence, Inc.	

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Prior to age	Explore guardianship / estate planning issues	Kansas Guardianship Program: www.ksgprog.org Guardianship Resources: www.cddo.cwood.org/guardianship
18 months before exiting school Services	Complete adult Kansas Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) application	Available at Lawrence DCF: 1901 Delaware (785) 832-3700 (If eligible for Vocational Rehabilitation Services, prepare to choose an employment services provider) Website: http://www.dcf.ks.gov/services/RS/Pages/Employment- Services.aspx
The month they turn 18 yrs. old, Call for an appointment	 Apply or reapply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) SSI provides a monthly case benefit. Eligibility is based on disability and <u>student</u> income If denied for SSI, contact Disability Professionals: 	Social Security Office: 1440 Wakarusa, Suite 200 Phone: (800) 772-1213 (866) 698-2561 Website: https://www.ssa.gov/disabilityssi/ssi.html (866) 825-7489 www.mydisabilityprofessionals.com
Age 18	Males are required to register for Selective Services	Register Online: www.sss.gov
Age 18	 Re-Apply for Kancare (Kansas Medicaid) as an adult. This will provide funding for some medical services, and I/DD Case Management. During this process you will select your "Managed Care Organization" (MCO) 	Apply Online: https://cssp.kees.ks.gov/apspssp/ www.applyforkancare.ks.gov ks.gov/apspssp/ www.applyforkancare.ks.gov (click on "Health Plans" to explore the 3 MCO options)
During last year of school	 Complete Planning: Discuss services funding issues & funding availability with Targeted Case Manager and MCO Care Coordinator. If funding is available, select Adult Service Providers. Consider questions to ask providers: https://www.cwcddo.org Ensure applications for services are submitted to chosen agencies (some agencies may have internal waiting lists) 	 Establish timeline for transition from school to adult services. I/DD Waiver Service Types including Day, Residential, In-Home Supports and others: https://www.cwcddo.org service options tab Employment Resources: https://www.cwcddo.org