



We are the first stop for people with disabilities and their families in Southwest Michigan.

We Provide:

- Disability Related Information & Referrals
- Disability Rights Advocacy
- Peer Support Groups
- Independent Living Skills Development
- Connections to Community Resources
- Nursing Facility Transition Services
- Assistive Technology Information
- Social Security Benefits Counseling
- ADA Compliance Assistance

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Our Mission

We educate and connect people with disabilities to resources while advocating social change.

Our Vision

Our vision is a community that values disability as human diversity, free of attitudinal barriers, where all people benefit with full access and inclusion.

Our Philosophy

- Disability is a natural part of the human condition. Disability is simply a characteristic of a person.
- Disability issues are best understood by those who experience them. At least 51% of the board and staff of Disability Network identify as having a disability.
- A disability doesn't exist until someone encounters a barrier. It is the environment or culture that needs to be fixed, not the individual with the disability.

Alternative Formats & Accommodations

It is the practice of Disability Network Southwest Michigan to provide this and other documents in alternative format upon request. We provide accommodations to ensure equal access to our programs and services.

Please note that Disability Network Southwest Michigan is a fragrance-free environment.

