

**COMMUNITY LIVING BRANT – PERSON-CENTERED EXCELLENCE ACCREDITATION**

**FACTOR 3 – SUPPORTS AND SERVICES  
FEBRUARY 2018 UPDATE LONG TERM PLAN**

<b>WHAT'S OUR DREAM</b>	<b>WHERE IT'S FROM</b>	<b>WHY IT'S IMPORTANT</b>
Factor 3- Supports and Services - People have individualized self directed supports	3.a. People have authority to direct supports and services 3.b. Supports are flexible 3.d. People manage supports and providers 3.f. People can identify personal champions	People will have valued lives.

<b>ACTION</b>	<b>PEOPLE</b>	<b>EVIDENCE</b>	<b>DEADLINE</b>	<b>SUCCESS</b>
Meaningful days for everyone.	Employment and Modernization Project Team	<p>Personal Outcomes Data</p> <p>Employment data collected through the Employment and Modernization Project</p> <p>Data will be completed on 30% of participants currently connected to the Project.</p>	November 2019	<p>Through the project, we have successfully ended contract work at Dunn Enterprises in June 2016. There continues to be a strong focus on assisting people to find competitive employment and valued social roles. Since the ending of contract work in June 2016 until November 2016, an additional 13 people gained competitive jobs through Supported Employment . As well, from April 2016 to November 2016, 24 people gained competitive employment through our Youth Autism Employment grant.</p> <p>From November 2016 to now (Feb 2018) , an additional 73 jobs were acquired through our Supported Employment supports. This includes employment for people connected to the Autism Employment initiative (35 of the 73 jobs).</p> <p>The focus from Dec 2017 to now with training through WISE has been further discovery of people’s gifts and talents, For those who are unsure what it means to work or what kind of work, we are exploring internships to build on opportunities for possible employment. Second we focused on building staff’s skills in conducting good employment person centred plans with concrete goals and tasks.</p>

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	Housing Task Force Project Team	Personal Outcomes Data	November 2019	<p>Through the Housing Task Force, we have been able to move people from a group home and create new supports to people with access to 24 hour support in an apartment building and expanded LifeShare. Through a partnership with the City of Brantford up to 14 people will receive a housing supplement towards rent in their home/apartment. As of February 2018, 12 of 14 supplements have been approved. This has allowed people the choice and ability to choose a home that meets what they wanted in a home.</p> <p>We have assisted approximately 15 people supported in being approved for the Province of Ontario Basic Income project which has created new choices for those people on living choices,</p> <p>We have successfully recruited Laurier University students to be LifeShare providers and live with a young woman who experiences autism in her own home. We are currently working with two other students to service as possible providers or roommates.</p> <p>We have created an opportunity for one man with complex supports to live in his own apartment within a home with a supportive neighbour upstairs along with staff support.</p> <p>We have recruited new LifeShare providers and respite providers as a result of the provincial rebranding campaign.</p>
Creating opportunities for personal champions as desired by people	Personal Champion Team	We will collect Best Practices in helping people find and develop a relationship with a potential champion	November 2019	<p>Currently utilizing champions at work to assist with employment classes at high schools.</p> <p>Various asset based community</p>

			<p>development (ABCD) projects over the next 2 years will provide learning opportunities for us. To date this has included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Grand River Health Communities Initiative – Community Development Working Group and Collaborative</li><li>• Pop Up Market celebration and Planning Meeting for a 2018 market series</li><li>• Parkers Project</li><li>• Jane’s Walk (First weekend in May) – Brantford Lead – 2 community meetings held , Facebook page started , 4 confirmed walks , next meeting in Feb .</li></ul> <p>To support relationships between community and people we support, we have shifted support of students to focus on ABCD.</p> <p>As well we have submitted 3 proposals to date to obtain special project funding for various ABCD projects including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Employment and Modernization Fund</li><li>• Aberdeen Foundation Applied Training and Capital</li><li>• Laidlaw youth pop up grant</li></ul>
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