

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

**FACTOR 4 – COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS  
FEBRUARY 2018 UPDATE LONG TERM PLAN**

| <b>WHAT'S OUR DREAM</b>  | <b>WHERE IT'S FROM</b>  | <b>WHY IT'S IMPORTANT</b>   |
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| Factor 4: Community Connections - People have socially valued roles. | 4.a. Community Membership - facilitates personal opportunities, resources and relationships<br>4.b. Peer support mentoring is available.<br>4.c. People receive information and training. | Builds leadership capacity, self worth, and full citizenship of people. |

| <b>ACTION</b>  | <b>PEOPLE</b>  | <b>EVIDENCE</b>   | <b>DEADLINE</b> | <b>SUCCESS</b>   |
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| All organizational members will receive education on the value of social roles and steps in assisting people in finding social roles | Coordinated by an identified leadership team represented by all organizational members | Personal Outcome Measures data through reliable interviews. | November 2019   | <p>We will monitor the outcomes and supports of "people have social roles" through the accreditation period.</p> <p>We have completed significant training with staff, families, people we support and the Board of Directors with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Michael Kendrick on Optimal Individualized Service Design</li> <li>- Mary Kealy on transforming organizations for segregated congregate models of support to individualized support</li> <li>- Joe Erpenbeck on Asset Based Community Development and building relationships and sharing gifts.</li> <li>- Shaun Wood on specialised employment supports through the Washington Initiative for Supported Employment.</li> </ul> <p>In the past year, additional training was provided by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bruce Anderson from Community Activators/Core Gift Institute on learning about and sharing our core gifts to build meaningful lives.</li> <li>- Lynne Seagle From Hope House Foundation on her organization's journey to creating individualized supports and helping each person have a home.</li> </ul> |

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| <p>iCan system on the AIMS database will be fully implemented to track connections and community resources.</p> | <p>AIMS Administration Team will coordinate this plan</p> | <p>Will be the iCan System. We will gather formal and informal connections and resources both internally and within the community.</p> | <p>November 2019</p> | <p>Some data is currently being collected through the social capital project and asset based community development project.</p> <p>We are looking at various ways to track and share people's gifts, passions and connections through asset based community development projects and our internal data collection systems.</p> <p>This has included community connections, contact people, a summary of the group's purpose, and culture of the group. Once information is collected, it will be formatted in a way to share across the agency.</p>  |
| <p>Peer mentoring and peer connections to build social capital.</p>   | <p>Coordinated by REACH Out and CLBrant project team</p>  | <p>Pre- and post-measure of peer mentors and connections.</p>  | <p>November 2019</p> | <p>Joe Erpenbeck, through Asset Based Community Development projects, worked with the REACH Out self-advocates group on building relationships and connections. This has also included work with people previously connected with Dunn Enterprises.</p> <p>In September 2017 staff received training with Bruce Anderson from the Core Gift Institute to learn a concrete method of discovering people's core gift. It is our core gift that provides purpose to our life and drives our relationships .We have now completed core gift interviews with all staff. The next steps are completing core gift interviews with all people we support, LifeShare providers and board members over 2018</p> <p>Jane's Walk (First weekend in May) – Brantford Lead – 2 community meetings held , Facebook page started , 4 confirmed walks , next meeting in Feb. People supported taking active roles in planning and attending walks in our community.</p> |