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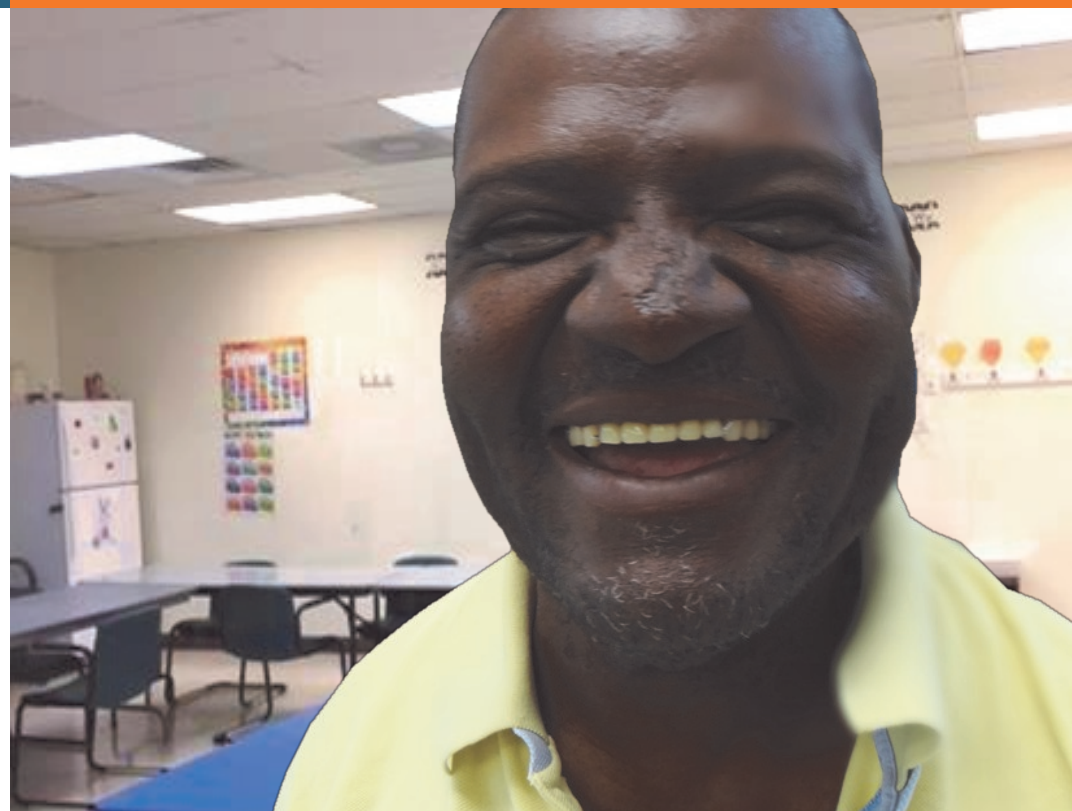


The mission of The Arc of Union County is to empower and support people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. This organization will utilize all of its resources to ensure our members, their families, and all people with intellectual and developmental disabilities associated with The Arc of Union County realize a full, productive, and enhanced life.

Achieve with us



Come see...



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Union County

For people with intellectual and developmental disabilities

THE EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM at

The Arc of Union County provides services to children from birth to 3 years of age and is approved by the NJ Department of Health.

Supports may include speech, physical and/or occupational therapy, developmental intervention services, social work, and behavior services, all primarily delivered in the child's home. The **SMART START PRESCHOOL**

READINESS PROGRAM is offered on Tuesday and Thursday mornings and serves children with developmental delays or disabilities from ages 18 months to 3 years.

THE ARC KOHLER SCHOOL in Mountainside is approved by the State of NJ Department of Education and serves children from 26 different school districts from ages 3 to 21 years.

Educational programming is based on state of the art curricula and provided by highly qualified professionals. Additional supports include speech, physical and occupational therapies, music therapy, behavioral therapy, school counseling, nutrition, nursing and social work.

FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES were created and developed to assist and empower families who are caring for a family member with a developmental disability. Services include a variety of respite options, including after-school and after-work programs, recreation opportunities, and **CAMP STAR** summer program. Services can be accessed through the Division of Developmental Disabilities, and PerformCare for Department of Children and Families.

DAY PROGRAMS provide habilitation and independent living skills training for adults. Programs also include services focusing on the needs of individuals with medical or behavioral challenges and retirees or others whose interests are social, emotional and recreational. Offerings include art therapy, music therapy, computer education, fitness and community and volunteer outings.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES provide supports and allow individuals to reach their vocational goals. Programs include Supported Employment, Job Training and School-to-Career Transition Services.

*Know me for
my abilities!*

CONTRACT SERVICES have served local businesses since 1977 at our work site. By sending us your work, you can be assured of quality production and efficient services. In addition, you'll provide people with intellectual and developmental disabilities the opportunity to work and earn an income.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES provide the needed supports for individuals to live in and be valued members of their neighborhoods. Residents of Arc homes and apartments are active in their communities as members of religious congregations, volunteers, and employees, and participate in social and recreational events.