

# 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Illinois Statewide Transition Conference

## *Stepping Stones of Transition*

The *Stepping Stones of Transition* Conference highlights the opportunities and resources available for youth and young adults with special healthcare needs as they transition to adulthood. Learn how to plan for your future, including:

- What happens after I leave high school?
- How do I sort through the maze of resources?
- What steps can I take now to prepare for upcoming changes?
- What skills are important for me to develop?

**Who:** Youth, Parents, Caregivers

**What:** Learn about services and resources to prepare for success in adulthood.

**When:** Nov. 3 & 4, 2022

**Where:** Embassy Suites by Hilton  
East Peoria Riverfront Conference Center  
East Peoria, Illinois

**Note:** Both in-person and virtual attendance options are available.  
In-person events will follow all necessary health and safety guidelines.



[www.illinoistransitionconference.org](http://www.illinoistransitionconference.org)

### **Need Financial Help?**

The Division of Specialized Care for Children (DSCC) may be able to fund the conference-related expenses for you and your family, caregiver, nurse and/or personal attendant. These expenses include the cost of your hotel and transportation.

**Call your DSCC Care Coordinator to complete registration.**

If you need help or more information, call **(800) 322-3722**.



**PARTNER**

Partner with adolescents and their families to identify transition needs.

**HELP**

Help to develop a plan and get ready to transition to adulthood.

**CONNECT**

Connect adolescents and their families to resources that prepare them for the transition to adulthood and the delivery of adult services.



**Division of Specialized Care for Children**

We **partner** with Illinois families and communities to **help** children and youth with special healthcare needs **connect** to services and resources.



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**We work in communities throughout the state.**

DSCC's Care Coordinators are experts at working with families to put together a transition plan that identifies clear goals for adulthood and the strategies, services and resources necessary to achieve them.

Visit the Transition Tools section of our website at <http://dsc.uci.edu/browse-resources/transition-resources/> for helpful checklists, tips and other supports.

For more information call  
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