

**DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES AGENCIES SERVING
ADULTS IN TORONTO**

Addus	416-544-8847
Bob Rumball Centre for Deaf	416-449-9651 or 416-449-2728 TTY
Christian Horizons	416-630-3646
Community Living Toronto	647-426-3219 or 3220
CORE	416-340-7929
Common Ground Cooperative	416-421-7117
COTA Health	416-785-9230
Family Service Toronto	416-971-6326
Geneva Centre for Autism	416-322-7877
Griffin Centre	416-222-1153
Harmony Place Services	416-510-3114
JVS Toronto	416- 787-1151
Kerry's Place Autism Services	416-534-1644
L'Arche Toronto	416-406-2869
Mary Centre	416-630-5533
Meta Centre	416-736-0199
Montage Support Services	416-780-9630
Muki Baum Treatment Centres	416-630-2222
New Leaf	1-888-742-3391
New Visions Toronto	416-868-1493
Operation Springboard	416-913-1301
Participation House Toronto	416-439-3226
Pegasus	416-691-5651
Reena	905-889-6484
Safehaven	416-535-8525
St. Vincent de Paul	416-265-2605
Salvation Army Broadview Village	416-425-1052
Surex	416-469-4109
Surrey Place Centre	416-925-5141
Vita	416-749-6234
Woodgreen Community Services	416-469-5211
York Community Services	416-653-5400

Still have questions?

If you still have questions about your choice you may find the answer in the Frequently Asked Questions included with this brochure, on the Developmental Services Toronto website at www.dsto.com or you can contact any of the agencies listed on the back of this flyer.

Individual brochures on Passport Initiative Overview, mentoring and funding are also available.



***Person Directed
Planning***

*Why it's important and
how you can do it?*



Better Futures Through Partnerships

You are thinking of applying for Passport funding...

When you apply for funding, it is important to think about what you will do with the money. There are many types of supports you can purchase and many agencies offering their services.

Knowing what you want and the supports you need will make it easier to decide how to spend your money. Shopping for supports and services without a plan is like going to the grocery store or mall without a list of items you know your family likes and needs to keep your household running smoothly.

Here are three options for planning:

Option 1. You can ask for a Ministry funded agency to assist you with planning.

Option 2. You can plan with your own families and friends.

Option 3. You can seek assistance from an independent planner not associated with a Ministry funded agency.

Planning Supports

Having a plan helps you decide where to start so you can prioritize how to best spend your money.

It is helpful to talk to your family and friends about what is important to you, what your interests are, what types of activities you want to explore and participate in, and what you need to be able to do this.

If you choose...

Ministry funded agency:

You can plan with assistance from an agency.

Planners receive training and mentorship.

Planners use a variety of planning tools when developing a plan.

Planning services may be accessed separate from supports and services with some agencies.

You can invite anyone you want to participate in developing your plan.

Planning with your own family and friends:

You can meet with your family and friends to plan.

Anyone within your own network of support can assist you to explore your interests, your goals and the supports you need to achieve them.

They can also support you to write down your plan so you can share it with others.

Independent Planners:

There are facilitators not employed by a Ministry funded agency who can assist you with planning.

Facilitators may use a variety of planning tools.

Some may provide ongoing support beyond planning.

There may be a fee for planning as well as for ongoing supports.
