

LICKING COUNTY

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DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Agenda

The Excellence Network, Refocused
The Ohio State University - Newark
April 21, 2023
10:00am – 11:30am

Opening:

- Breakfast bar & Introductions
- Possible DSP rate increases- brief overview of where legislation is in the process: Governor's budget targeted a \$16 DSP wage, the House budget targeting a \$17 hr. wage, increasing to \$18. Unknown what the Senate will propose.
- LEAN training (MEORC)- looking to bring a training to Licking Co.
 - Suggestion to possibly use the OISP as an example; LCB staff will ask.
- Licking County DSP Experience – Survey Update & Timeline
 - Question mirroring the state-wide DSP Experience in-person mtgs.
 - Hannah will send the draft questions out when received
 - Please give feedback
- In-Person trainings for new staff- scheduled at the Board office (116 N 22nd Street, Newark, OH.) April 28th, 9:00-3:30 and May 11th, 9:00-3:30. Click here to register: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e49aca92fa4f85-newagency#/>
If your organization has training needs, please contact Teresa.whipkey@lcountydd.org or call 740-322-6907.
- Silfie's Media videos- free promotional videos available to your agency.
 - Sounds like we need to circle back with them to re-contact agencies
 - Some emails may have been missed/deleted

DSP Retention and Follow Along

- Who is the Main HR and/or hiring contact for your agency?
- Framework for follow-along- if you are interested in this as a retention service, reach out to Hannah
- Ohio Means Jobs handouts- OMJ will pay for staff during their training period, up to \$6,000 (handouts attached to email)

School/Pipeline

- OSU coffee chats- on hold till August, Tim Goetz: OSU said beginning of coming academic year would be best time.
 - Ideally the chats would be preceded by Providers doing classroom presentations to students in Human Services fields.
 - David will follow up re: Provider interest at July meeting.

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Unhoused Population

- Coalition for Housing- contact made, waiting for info.
- St. Vincent's Men's shelter- Hannah plans to hand out DSP info. to residents
 - Residents are drug-tested and cannot have any violent legal offenses
- Main Place- new Director starting: Hannah plans to reach back out in a month or so, once they're settled

Next meeting:

- May 19, 2023 10:00-11:30
DIFFERENT ROOM! OSU-N Warner Center, **Room 126** (1st floor; turn right, down the hall, around the corner, last door on right)
 - For May meeting only.