

**Subject:** Learning Opportunities from LCBDD! noencrypt  
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Good morning! Sending along a boatload of in-person and virtual learning opportunities. Please let me know if you have any questions.  
Thanks,  
David

### **UIs: Reporting & Follow-up - 6/25/24, 10:00 (in-person)**

The Licking County Board of D.D. is hosting DODD staff to present a session about reporting and follow-up on Unusual Incident Reports.

The training will cover UIs and MUIs. It will be held from 10 a.m. to noon on June 25, 2024 at the Licking County Board of DD, 116 N. 22nd St. Newark, Ohio.

Please click the link below to register.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C48A4AF22A1FD0-49489389-dodd>

### **Technology in Adult Day Support Session- May 23, 1:00 (virtual)**

On May 23, 2024, from 1 – 2:30 PM, DODD's [Policy to Practice](#) workgroup is hosting a virtual conversation focused on using technology in Adult Day Services (ADS) when supporting those most significantly impacted by their communication, sensory, and behavior support needs. Two [ADS Quality Pilot](#) providers will share their experiences with technology to begin the conversation.

Click [here](#) to join at 1 PM on May 23.

### **Advocacy 101 Workshop – (virtual or in-person)**

- Workshops will last two hours and cover the following topics:
  - Personal Advocacy: How to prepare for and approach the conversation, what tools or resources could be used when advocating for needed support.
  - Collective Advocacy: How to get involved in local/state/national advocacy efforts; how to support others in helping them get the services and support they need.
  - Technology for Advocacy: How to use technology to do more in less time, with less effort, while generating greater results.
  - Building Your Advocacy Army: How to get more people involved and actively participating in your advocacy group.
- Goal: Help people speak up for themselves and people they care about, motivate them to take a seat at the table to share ideas and opinions, and ensure their voice is heard.
- Cost: Free.
- Certificate of completion once training is complete
- **In-person Advocacy 101 Events**
  - June 20 | 6:30-8:30 - Columbus: Drury Inn & Suites Grove City, 4109 Parkway Centre Dr, Grove City, OH 43123

· **Virtual Sessions:**

- May 17: Friday 2 PM-4 PM via ZOOM
- May 20: Monday 6-8 PM via ZOOM
- June 12: Wednesday 10 AM-12 PM via ZOOM
- June 26: Wednesday 6 PM-8 PM via ZOOM

Advocacy 101 Workshop registration: <https://wethrivetogether.org/advocacy-101-workshop/>

**Assistive Tech. event at Denison, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-3:00 (in-person)**

LCBDD is partnering with the Ohio Tech Ambassadors and Denison University to host an assistive tech event on Denison's campus.

The event is free and will be from 1 to 3 p.m. on June 17. It will be a great opportunity to learn about assistive tech and find out more about different tech solutions folks in Licking County are using. Registration is currently open.

Follow this link to register: <https://ohiotechambassadors.org/upcoming-events/empowering-lives-with-tech-licking-county/>

**FREE CPI Training available- May 22<sup>nd</sup>, LCBDD office (in-person)**

LCBDD is offering a Non-Violent Crisis Intervention CPI training session. There is no cost for Providers serving people in Licking county.

Below is the sign-up link to register. The session will be on Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00 to 4:00 at the LCBDD office. (116 N. 22<sup>nd</sup> St, Newark OH 43055)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C4BACAE2AA7FB6-48781341-nonviolent>

There are online modules that must be completed before the in-person training. You will receive a link to your email address for the online modules 1 week before the in-person class. These modules MUST BE completed before the in-person class.

Contact Shanay Nye if you have any questions. [Shanay.Nye@lcountydd.org](mailto:Shanay.Nye@lcountydd.org)

**Summer nutrition/cooking class! (in-person)**

LCBDD is partnering with the OSU Extension's SNAP-ED program to offer FREE classes on cooking/shopping and nutrition. Classes will be at 10 am. June 6, 13 and 20.

Location: LCBDD office, 116 N. 22<sup>nd</sup> St, Newark 43055

Questions? Contact [duffy.383@osu.edu](mailto:duffy.383@osu.edu) or 740-618-6329

Registration: [Anna.Jeffries@lcountydd.org](mailto:Anna.Jeffries@lcountydd.org) or 740-322-6911

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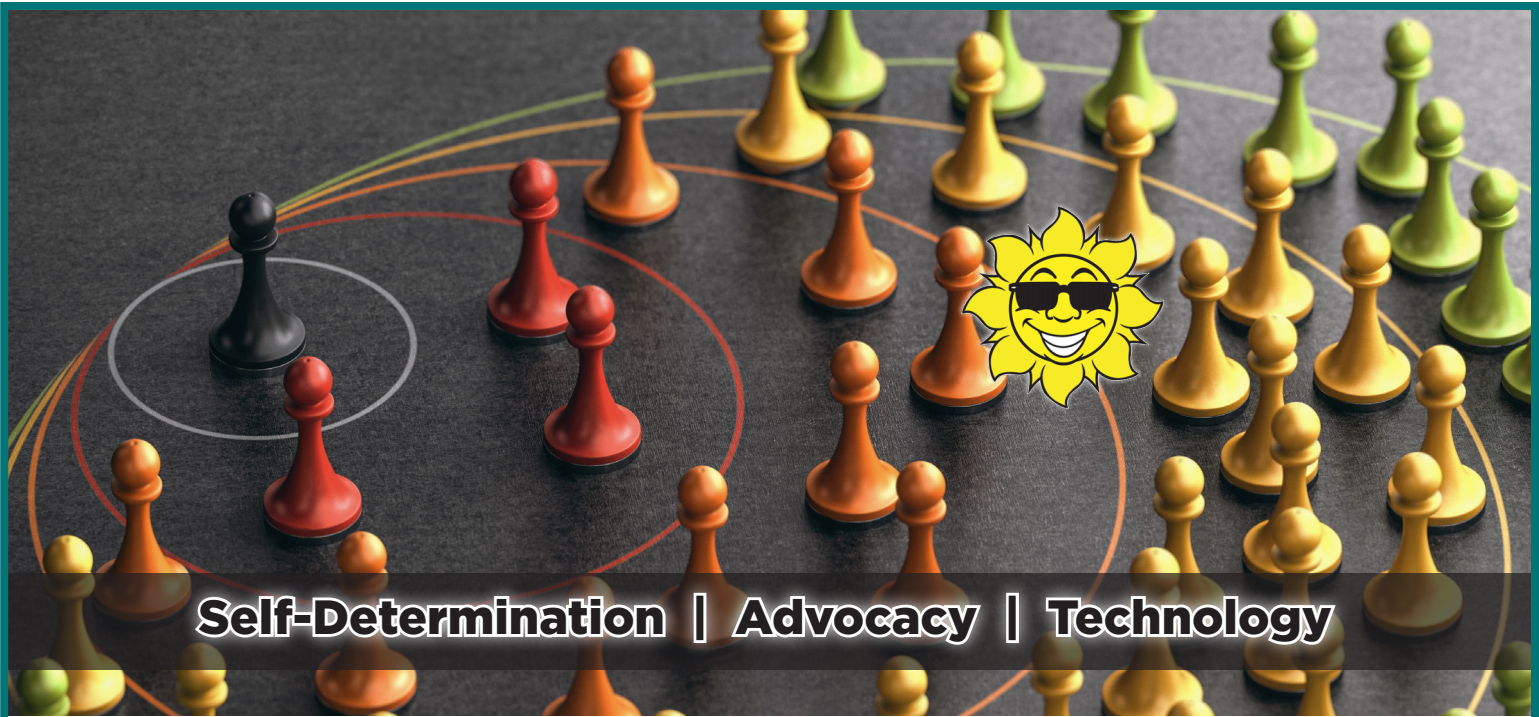
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## Self-Determination | Advocacy | Technology

*We Thrive Together and Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities present*

# ADVOCACY 101 WORKSHOP

Teaching people how to speak up for themselves and the people they care about, and how technology and advocating as a group can save them time and effort while increasing the impact.

## EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

Personal Advocacy | Collective Advocacy | Tech for Advocacy  
Building Your Advocacy Army

## EVENT DETAILS

- 2 hours of in-person or virtual training for Individuals with ID/DD, family members, and support professionals
- Cost: Free
- Certificate of completion
- In-person Training
  - » 5/23 (CLE) | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
  - » 6/1 (TOL) | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
  - » 6/8 (DAY) | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
  - » 6/20 (COL) | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
  - » 6/27 (CIN) | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
  - » and more... visit website for details
- Virtual Training via ZOOM
  - » 5/17 | 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
  - » 5/20 | 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
  - » 6/12 | 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
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