

2021 Recreation, Respite & Life skills Fair Exhibitor Profile

Name of Organization or Program:	Developmental Services Ontario (DSO) Toronto Region
Catchment Area (geographic location):	Toronto
Age range serviced: e.g. 6-18 yrs.18 and up:	18 years and up (can start registration process at 16 years old)
Client population (disability specific):	Adults with a confirmed developmental disability
Family and sibling programming:	n/a
Application deadlines:	n/a
Waitlist Information:	Maintain a 'registry' of individuals waiting for residential & post school day programs as well as case management & person directed planning. Admission is based on priority and the individual's needs and caregiver/family situation.
Program /Service costs:	None. DSO is the access to government funded services and supports
Client Ratios:	The government funded day program ratios and the residential supports vary depending on the type of service provided
Type of programming or service offered: (e.g. respite, recreation, life-skills, transitions, equipment, other)	Passport funding, Respite, government funded day programs which include employment/volunteer training programs & life skills programs, Residential Supports (group homes and SIL – Supported Independent Living & Lifeshare program), Family Support Worker (FSW/case manager), Person Directed Planning (PDP)
Group or individual services provided:	DSO provides access to the programs/supports offered by government funded Developmental Services agencies in Toronto. This includes referrals to clinical programs (individual & group) offered by Surrey Place.
Is one-on-one support provided:	No
What changes to your programming have you implemented due to COVID-19?	Application Assessors are meeting with individuals/families virtually and completing the ADSS (Application for Developmental Services & Supports) and the SIS (Supports Intensity Scale) over the phone and via a secure platform on the computer.
Do you offer in-person programming:	Not during lockdown but when Surrey Place re-opens the Assessors can meet with individuals/families at office locations if need be (with precautions)
Do you offer virtual programming:	Yes – Application Assessors (see Covid

	changes above), Service Navigators and Intake staff are providing service virtually
Other Important information to share:	The first step is to send the DSO documents to confirm the individual is eligible (psychological assessment report to confirm he/she has a developmental disability) along with ID (health card/birth certificate). Registration information can also be found at DSOntario.ca
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