

2021 Recreation, Respite & Life skills Fair Exhibitor Profile

Name of Organization or Program:	Holland Bloorview Youth Employment Participation Programs
Catchment Area (geographic location):	Toronto & GTA
Age range serviced: e.g. 6-18 yrs.18 and up:	15-21 while still in high school
Client population (disability specific):	Primary diagnosis of physical and/or intellectual/developmental disabilities and or autism
Family and sibling programming:	Families involved in all programming Parent webinars
Application deadlines:	February 2021 for summer program start
Waitlist Information:	Programs start at various time points throughout year. There may be more applicants than program spots available. We then maintain waitlist.
Program /Service costs:	Range from \$160-\$300/program
Client Ratios:	Depends on program
Type of programming or service offered: (e.g. respite, recreation, life-skills, transitions, equipment, other)	Focus on early employment experience (supported volunteering, Employment Action Coaching, support to connect to paid work, etc.)
Group or individual services provided:	Mix
Is one-on-one support provided:	We provide attendant services in many of our group programs and job coaching but not 1:1 support for medical or behavioural needs. If needed, it is the participant's responsibility to schedule and pay for their own 1:1 assistance. We request that 1:1 support be provided by a non-family member.
What changes to your programming have you implemented due to COVID-19?	Most programs are operating virtually
Do you offer in-person programming:	Not at present
Do you offer virtual programming:	Yes
Other Important information to share:	
Contact for families: (email, phone)	Employmentparticipation@hollandbloorview.ca