

2022 Recreation, Respite & Life Skills Fair Exhibitor Profile

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| Name of Organization or Program: | The Centre for Independent Living in Toronto |
| Catchment Area (geographic location): | Toronto and the GTA: Service Navigation, Independent Living Skills, Peer Support and Parenting with a Disability Network Toronto and York Region: Attendant Services Application Centre All of Ontario: Direct Funding Program |
| Age range serviced: e.g. 6-18 yrs.18 and up: | 16 years and up |
| Client population (disability specific): | Direct Funding and Attendant Services Application Center serve population with physical disabilities who require attendant services Service Navigation, Independent Living Skills, Peer Support and Parenting with a Disability Network are for a cross-disability population |
| Family and sibling programming: | |
| Program Application deadlines: | |
| Waitlist Information: | There is a waitlist for the Direct Funding Program and for the attendant services and supportive housing applied for through the Attendant Services Application Centre |
| Program /Service costs: | Free |
| Client Ratios: | |
| Type of programming or service offered: (e.g. respite, recreation, life-skills, transitions, equipment, other) | Attendant Services, ASAC is where you apply for transitional programs like The Gage. Peer Support and Independent Living Skills programming offer one-on-one support, workshops and social events. |
| Group or individual services provided: | Service Navigation, Independent Living Skills, Peer Support and Parenting with a Disability Network |
| Is one-on-one support provided: | Yes, if needed. |
| Do you offer in-person programming: | Currently all virtual due to the pandemic. |

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| Do you offer virtual programming: | Yes. |
| What precautions have you put in place to ensure that your program will continue if there are changes in provincial pandemic requirements? | We are currently offering all programs over zoom or by phone. |
| Is there a Covid-19 vaccination mandate for staff at your organization? | Yes. |
| Will my child need to be vaccinated in order to participate in the program/service? | If we return to in person programming there will be updates around vaccination requirements. |
| Contact: | Phone: (416) 599-2458 Fax: (416) 599-3555 TTY: Dial 711 for Bell Relay Service Email: cilt@cilt.ca Website: www.cilt.ca |
| Other Important information to share: | <p>CILT is a resource centre run by people with disabilities, for people with disabilities. We have a vision of social and economic equity for people with disabilities as seen through the lens of Independent Living principles.</p> <p>We develop and implement services, programs and activities that empower individuals rather than create dependencies; we recognize that people with disabilities have the right to take control of their own lives, through increased knowledge and examination of options, making informed choices, and taking calculated risks; and we offer skills training programs to people with disabilities to successfully integrate into the community.</p> |