

YOU'RE INVITED

Please join your peers for the
DDAWNY Transition Committee!

Support Youth:

The DDAWNY Transition Committee is a collaboration of school districts and agencies serving individuals with disabilities in WNY. The Transition Committee provides information and connections for school districts and agencies to better support Transition Aged Youth.

Make Connections:

Agency Staff, Special Education Teachers, School Counselors, Transition Coordinators, and other professionals are invited to attend the **DDAWNY Transition Committee** to connect with local peers, support systems, and services.

Receive Updates:

Professionals from OPWDD, ACCES-VR, OMH, OCFS, RSE-TASC, and other systems will be available to deliver state and local updates, and to answer questions.

DDAWNY TRANSITION COMMITTEE

SUPPORTING SUCCESSFUL
TRANSITION FROM SCHOOL TO
ADULTHOOD FOR STUDENTS
WITH DISABILITIES SINCE
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2018-19 Meeting Dates:

September 21
October 19
November 16
December 14
January 18
February 8
March 22
May 17

Meetings are 9:00-11:00 a.m.

All Meetings held at Erie 1
BOCES Education Campus,
Building B unless otherwise
specified.

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Harlem Road
West Seneca, NY 14224
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To receive transition-related news and events from this group, contact Tonia Weichmann tlw@parentnetworkwny.org or Pam Cronyn pcronyn@heritagecenters.org

MEETING DATES & TOPICS 2018-19

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Serving Schools & Agencies in Erie County

Erie 1 BOCES: 355 Harlem Rd West Seneca NY 14224

September 21, 2018 Room A-1

Systems Updates with Speakers from NYSED, OPWDD, OMH, ACCES-VR
Lots of changes happening...keep up to date!!!

October 19, 2018 Room B-1

Topic: Transition Resources & Apps

Apps, smart devices, and other AT tools surround us and can make everyday tasks easier for every day living by understanding their accessibility features.

November 16, 2018 Room B-1

Topic: Post Secondary Education Panel

Learn more about 2yr/4yr Colleges, Certificate programs, Vocational programs, and Community opportunities for post graduation to help students reach their goals.

December 14, 2018 Room B-2a

Topic: Engaging Families with the (updated) Transition Timeline

Strategies to help encourage families to be part of the transition timeline.

January 18, 2019 Room B-1

Topic: Effective School & Agency Partnerships

We are a team with one goal in mind, student success!! Hear and learn from some partnerships that have helped students develop the skills to achieve their goals.

February 8, 2019 B-2b

Topic: DDAWNY Combined Meeting: Day, Family, Employment & Transition Services

DDAWNY committees coming together to share information, network and discuss the issues and concerns that impact individuals with disabilities.

March 22, 2019 B-2b

Topic: Work-Based Learning & Business Panel

A panel to discuss ways WBL is being done in schools and hear from a business perspective about student WBL.

April - No Meeting

May 17, 2019 B-2ab

Topic: Mental Health & Behavioral Supports

Learn more about the local resources available to help address behavior and mental health concerns of our students.