

The Informer

DRTC

Ability at Work

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70th Holiday Celebration

We all had a wonderful time at the 70th Holiday Celebration on December 15. There was plenty of space, lots of choices for activities and so glad that Santa could join us. Thank you for your support of DRTC over the past many years. We look forward to a new year of great expectations and experiences for all of our clients and families!



Justin, Deborah, Rejean, James, Dale and Tiffanie



Dancing!

Winter Craft Fair

DRTC has a wonderful opportunity to help individuals start their own profession and be their own boss through our Entrepreneur Hub Program. We started having craft fairs to help individuals share their talents and hobbies. Last month six individuals sold holiday-themed arts and crafts. DRTC has some pretty crafty folks! Look for another craft fair in the spring.



Heather and Lindsey



Jerry

Caregiver Training

We appreciate all the caregivers who attend our caregiver Lunch and Learns. Last month we learned about OKSTABLE accounts.

Anyone with a developmental disability can set one up. These accounts allow funds to be

deposited in order to keep the allowable amount of income under the threshold so benefits are not decreased. If you missed the training and you want information, visit okstable.org.



You Have the Right

You have the right to know about the rules and regulations at DRTC. As with any job, DRTC has policies and procedures everyone must abide. This is how the agency maintains safety and order in the workplace.

DRTC has a Client Handbook outlining all of the rules as they relate to Program participants. Everyone gets one when entering the Program, as well as when updates are made. If you do not have a current copy, please let your case manager know so you can receive a new one.



Winter Weather Safety

Stay safe this winter weather season! Be sure to wear appropriate clothing: socks, gloves, coat and hat. When it's icy outside, stay aware of slick spots in parking lots, sidewalks and ramps. DRTC's Grounds & Buildings crew will be monitoring conditions and treating surfaces with ice melt when necessary.



Update Your Information

If you have had any information change such as address or phone number, please contact your case manager so we have updated information. We also need a cell phone number that allows text messaging as that is one way we communicate emergency information, such as closures or weather-related conditions.



Programs will be closed:

February 19

Please mark your calendars!