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A "Good Life" for the Whole Family: Supporting People in the Context of their Family



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Date: Wednesday, June 9, 2021

Time: 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Where: Live Interactive Webinar

Registered participants will receive an e-mail with instructions on how to join the session.

Objectives: Participants will be able to:

- 1. Describe the impact of family and community context in supporting individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
- Identify strategies for supporting individuals and families to understand and maximize the reciprocal roles of all family members.
- 3. Utilize the Charting the LifeCourse framework and tools to support individuals and families in planning, problem-solving, and decision making.

All people exist within the context of their family and community, with reciprocal roles that adjust across the life span and the family life cycle. Person- and family-centered supports cannot be mutually exclusive; rather, supports must consider the whole person and the whole family. This session will explore how using the Charting the LifeCourse framework can help individuals to achieve self-determination, interdependence, integration, productivity, integration and inclusion in all facets of community life AND how families can be supported in ways that maximize their capacity, strengths, and unique abilities to best nurture, love, and support all individual members to achieve their life goals.

Instructional Level: Intermediate

Who Should Attend? Psychologists, Social workers, Counselors, Educators, Faith Leaders, Parents and Caregivers, Nurses, Clinical and Medical Staff, Direct Support Professionals and other Community Service Providers, Speech/Physical/Occupational therapists, Students/Trainees

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3.0 Continuing Education Hours

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