



Franklin County Board of Developmental Disabilities

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NewsBits

Provider Fair

The 'World's Largest' Provider Fair will be held on this Wednesday, November 19 from 1-6pm at the Rhodes Center on the Ohio State Fairgrounds. Free parking is available. Individuals, family members and others are welcome. Independent and agency providers will be present. Hundreds of individuals and providers are expected.

Family Support Meeting

The November Family Support meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 19, beginning at 9:30am at 2879 Johnstown Road. Family members will hear updates from the Superintendent and have opportunities to offer input on FCBDD services.

Winter Weather Closings

As winter weather begins, please be sure to listen to local radio and television stations for announcements. If transportation is cancelled, the message generally states that the Franklin County Board of DD is closed. However, it is important to note that Administrative, Service Coordination and Adult offices will be open on these days. Adults served are encouraged to report using their own transportation arrangements, after they have called their facility to make certain that adequate resources are available and that safety is assured.

In most cases, decisions are made in the early morning, so radio and television are the best resource on closings. Many stations have apps that can be downloaded for texts or emails. If decisions are made the evening before, we will attempt to send notifications through 'NewsBits'.

Congratulations to Marjory Pizzuti

Congratulations to Marjory Pizzuti, CEO of Goodwill Columbus, for being selected by CEO Magazine as CEO of the Year for large non-profit organizations.

DODD Public Forum

The Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD) will have a public forum on Saturday, December 6 from 10am to Noon at the OCALI building (470 Glenmont Ave.) to learn about what the state is doing to ensure compliance with the CMS (Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services) rule adopted earlier this year. Other forums will be held in Toledo, Cincinnati, Athens and Independence, Ohio.

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