

## Mission

We believe that all people are entitled to respect, dignity, independence, community integration and the opportunity to make choices in their own futures.

## Vision

“Empowering People for Success”

## Profile

Our services are delivered in a Person First environment, embracing the culture of “Gentle Teaching”. We provide care and support to people with intellectual disabilities and those in recovery from mental illness. Our support team follows each Person Served Plan of Service to provide the necessary assistance and skills the Person Served is seeking. The Person Served is encouraged to select meaningful goals to increase independence. We comply with the Home and Community Based Services. The Person Served has the opportunity to be a part of the monthly Person Served Advisory Committee that is run by and for the Person Served we support. A daily visual calendar of activities is posted in each center for the Person Served to be knowledgeable about the daily activities and assist with transition. A Monthly Communication Record is created for the Person Served to share their progress and goals obtained throughout the month. A monthly calendar of activities and company newsletter “Creatively Speaking” can be found on our website; [www.creativeempowerment.org](http://www.creativeempowerment.org)



## Menu of Services

### Community Empowerment Center

Providing adaptive skills focusing on the 12 Core Skill Development Areas: Activities of Daily Living, Functional Academics, Social Skills, Recreational Skills, Relaxation, Communication, Horticulture, Technology, Sensory Integration, Pre-Vocational Skills, Vocational Skills and Physical Health.

### Greater Community Empowerment Services

Providing integrated community experiences to reinforce skills that are not job task-oriented. Some concepts learned may consist of improving safety skills, task completion, problem solving, money management, communication, mobility, etc.

### Volunteering

Providing the opportunity to “give back” to the community, as an unpaid work experience to develop key skills needed for employment. Some volunteer sites are local churches, Meals on Wheels, County Parks, etc.

### Supported Employment Program

Supported employment is available to assist persons served find and retain paid/competitive employment. The goal of supported employment services is to enable persons served to sustain long-term employment with help from a Direct Supports Professional as well as natural supports. A Direct Support Professionals will ensure all workplace rules are known, understood, and followed; and monitor for any safety concerns.

### Micro-Enterprise Opportunities

For Person Served that have demonstrated good work skills and have developed an idea for a small business they can operate independently. Support is given by Direct Support Professionals as needed.

### Person Served Enhanced Staffing

May be available given the Plan of Service and funding agency has approved an authorization for the Person Served.

### Transportation

May be provided as an additional service to and from the Person Served home and the selected service sites.

## Selecting Empowerment Services

Person(s) Served seeking services from C.E.O. can start the process by receiving services from your local Community Health agency, or private pay. The Community Health agency will assign a Support Coordinator to develop a Person Served Plan of Service with goals that are medically necessary. All services provided are driven by the Person Served Plan of Service, unless private pay. Once this is established, the Support Coordinator will then authorize services to the Community Empowerment Center of choice.

### Company Events

Monthly Birthday Celebrations  
Holiday Celebrations  
Monthly events newsletter “Creatively Speaking”  
Annual “Spring Fling” awards dinner/dance  
Annual Summer Picnic

### Open House

Each Community Empowerment Center holds an Open House the second Friday of each month from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. We also offer virtual tours, available by appointment.

### Creative Communciations

Quarterly “Creative Connections” newsletters can be viewed on our website for Guardians to receive information about our Empowerment Centers as well as services provided. The newsletter will be sent on the following months;

- January
- April
- July
- October



## Locations

### Hours of Operation

8:00am – 4:00pm Monday - Friday

#### **C.E.O. ANCHORVILLE**

9974 Dixie Hwy.  
P.O. Box 229  
Anchorville, MI 48004  
(586) 716-9920

#### **C.E.O. CLINTON TWP.**

Administrative Offices  
34820 Harper Ave  
Clinton Twp., MI 48035  
(586) 569-4250  
Macomb County Autistic Program

#### **C.E.O. MT. CLEMENS**

308 N. Gratiot  
Mt. Clemens, MI 48043  
(586) 493-9715

#### **C.E.O. PONTIAC**

345 Edison St.  
Pontiac, MI 48342  
(248) 858-7847

#### **C.E.O. WASHINGTON**

59027 Van Dyke  
Washington mi 48094  
(586) 935-1500

#### **C.E.O. WESTLAND**

6615 Venoy  
Westland, MI 48185  
(734) 727-0872

#### **C.E.O. DETROIT**

9245 Mack Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48214  
586-722-3510



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