



NDSCDD

ANNUAL REPORT 2016

A YEAR OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

The 2016 North Dakota State Council on Developmental Disabilities Annual Report highlights the various priorities the Council has focused on during the past year. The report includes glimpses of grass roots efforts, training and exploration, and most importantly, family and individualized self-advocacy empowerment efforts. The Council continues to support the Advocates Leading their Lives (ALL) self-advocacy network, which is comprised of almost 100 self-advocates, allies, families, and agency representatives.

Warm Regards,

Julie Horntvedt
Executive Director



COUNCIL

The council is comprised of **20** members appointed by the Governor. **60%** of the members are persons with DD or are parents, guardians, or immediate relatives of a person with DD. The council also includes state agency representation along with members from North Dakota's University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities, Protection and Advocacy Project and community DD service providers.

The NDSCDD advocates for policy changes that promote choice, independence, productivity, and inclusion for all North Dakotans with DD. The NSDCDD was established by state statute in 1979 under Chapter 25-01-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code in accordance with the federal Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act.

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Darcy Andahl

Consumer

Dr. Brent Askvig

University Center of Excellence

Missi Baranko

Parent

Perry Boudlin

Consumer

Wendy Conica

Consumer

Tammy DeSautel

Job Service

Sue Foerster

State Transition Center

Tamara Lemm

Department of Health

Tim Huseth

Community Rehab Provider

Jennifer Jacobson

Parent

Pam Kolling

Parent

Holly Major

Parent

Brenda Schmid

Parent

Tom Solberg

DHS

Sheryl Stradinger

Parent

Gerry Teevens

ND Dept. of Public Instruction

Trevor Vannett

Consumer

Cindy Vollmer

Protection and Advocacy

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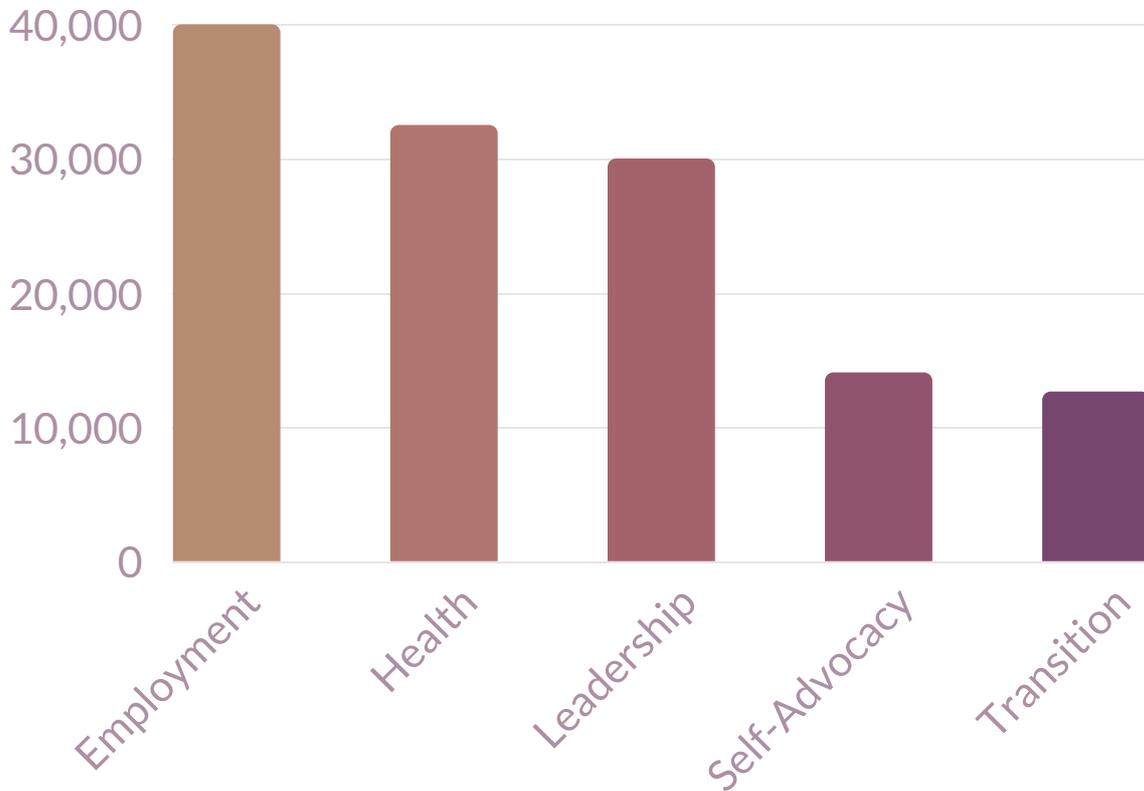
Consumer

Heather Wittliff

Parent

2016 APPROVED EXPENDITURES

October 1, 2016 - September 30, 2017



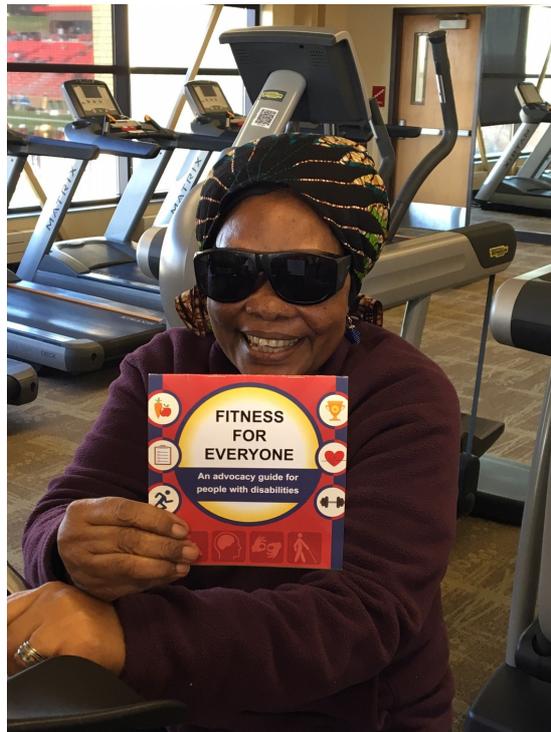
TOTAL \$129,202.60

2016 FUNDED ORGANIZATIONS

- ★ Pathfinder Parent Center
- ★ Self-Advocacy Solutions
- ★ Consensus Council Incorporated
- ★ North Dakota Center for Persons with Disabilities
- ★ Minot State University
- ★ KAT Communications
- ★ Family Voices of North Dakota

Minot State University Inclusive Fitness Program

Justine Katunzi has physical disabilities in her feet as well as declining vision. Justine has decided she needs to start working out and the flip chart designed by Minot State University made this an easier task. Justine likes that she can use the fitness flip book at the gym, at home, and on walks with her family.



*"This book has helped develop my self-advocacy skills
and accessibility to fitness centers."*

-Justine



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