Our services provide choice and empowerment while supporting individuals as they strive to realize their personal goals. Conveniently located off Route 24 near Stonehill College along the Easton/Brockton line, we work collaboratively with a variety of agencies including the **Department of Developmental** Services, MassHealth, MA Commission for the Blind, MA Rehabilitation Commission, MA Department of **Elementary and Secondary Education,** local School Districts and many more.



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### **Supporting Families and Individuals with Varying Abilities in Southeastern MA**

The Arc of Greater Brockton is a non-profit local chapter of The Arc, a national advocacy organization, and The Arc of Massachusetts. Our mission is to work in partnership with, and for, the community to provide advocacy, information, and direct services for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and autism spectrum disorder.





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Community Based
Day Supports

The Community Based Day Supports program provides a variety of community and center-based experiences to develop and enhance skills in personal, social, job and independent living areas based on a person's preferences and needs.

#### **Center Based Activities Include:**

- Career Exploration and Planning
- Exercise and Wellness
- Art Exploration
- Music and Dance
- Cooking and Baking
- Education and Skill Building
- In-house Employment

#### **Community Based Activities Include:**

- Swimming, Exercise and Wellness
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Internships
- Hiking and Walking
- Bowling, Golf and Sporting Activities
- Community Experiences and Outings

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### **Employment Services**

We operate a comprehensive Employment Services Program for participants, offering placement assistance in local businesses and within our own internal business operations. (Redemption Center and Lawn Care Services)

Our dedicated staff assist adults with varying abilities to prepare for, achieve and maintain gainful employment in the community.

#### **Individualized Services Encompass:**

- Assessment of skill sets and interests
- Training and skill building exercises and resources
- Job Matching to maximize the employment experience
- Job Coaching to build confidence and comfort
- Transportation coordination

Our goal is to help participants secure a quality employment experience that effectively meets their personal interests and ability, and creates a successful experience for all involved.

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### Family Support Center

The Family Support Center provides a variety of services through the assistance of our team members, whether it is at your home, child's school, our offices, or another convenient location for you.

- Information and referral services, support meetings and educational trainings for parents, caregivers and professionals.
- Recreation and social programs for children and adults, as well as weekend programs specifically for children to provide parents a little respite.
- An Essentials Room provides free food staples and household essentials to individuals and families
- Service Navigation in such areas as:
  - Individual Family Supports, Agency with Choice, and Autism Spectrum Disorder services for adults and their families.
  - Intensive Flexible Family Supports for families experiencing significant challenges and/or with more than one individual with a disability.
  - □ In-home services and wrap–around supports for school-age participants.

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### **Day Habilitation**

Participants in our Day Habilitation program benefit from a variety of therapeutic activities that help them reach their personal goals. All participants receive a physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech evaluation prior to developing a goal orientated plan to help them reach their personal needs and objectives

#### **Center Based Activities Include:**

- Exercise, Wellness and Cooking
- Art and Crafts Exploration
- Music and Dance
- Education and Skill Building
- Drums Alive and Zumba

#### **Community Based Activities Include:**

- Exercise and Wellness
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Internships
- Walking and Visits to Local Parks
- Bowling and Visits to the YMCA
- Community Experiences and Outings

Our Diversity of Services Enables us to Provide a Holistic Approach to Support the Evolving Interests and Needs of our Participants and their Families