

## **AccessAbility Supports**

An assessment will determine how **AccessAbility Supports** can help meet your indivdual needs.

## Help is available under **FIVE** areas of support

- My Personal Supports helps with personal daily living, which may include:
  - life skills training in areas like meal preparation, budgeting, grocery shopping, recreational activities
  - technical aids and assistive devices such as a wheel chair
  - supports that enable an individual to be self-sufficient and live independently such as in-home supports or personal care workers
- My Housing Supports helps with independent living, which may include:
  - financial assistance to provide daily supervision and guidance in a community residential setting
  - financial help for required home and vehicle modifications
- My Caregiver Supports to help family members or caregivers may include:
  - respite for caregivers to allow them time to have a break and recharge
  - support to provide supervision for adults who are unable to safely be left home alone so that care givers can go to work or school

- My Community Supports helps increase active participation in the community and may include:
  - assistance with finding or keeping a job including coaching, skills training and supports for youth transitioning from the education system to the workforce
  - supports to enable active participation in the community such as day programming, personal aid or specialized transportation
- My Financial Supports helps with basic living expenses if needed and may include:
  - assistance for basic needs such as food, clothing, shelter, household and personal supplies through what is called Assured Income



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AccessAbility Supports are **personalized** and focus on **empowering individuals and their families.** 

## Did you know?

A supports coordinator will help navigate all available support services and assist in developing a personalized plan to meet individual needs

Support for **all disabilities** including physical, intellectual, neurological, sensory and mental based on meeting eligibility requirements and the results of the assessment

An assessment tool for **children**, **youth and adults** help us to better understand *how the disability affects activities of daily living and instrumental activities of daily living* 

Five areas of support
Disability specific supports
include personal, community,
household household,
caregiver and financial
supports

Financial help for home and vehicle modifications required because of a disability -\$10,000 every 10 years for home and \$6,000 every 8 years for a vehicle

Supports for **finding or keeping a job** including *coaching, skills training and supports for youth transitioning* from the education system to the workforce