

Parent Self Determination Guide

TIMELINE AND TRANSITION CHECK LIST Developmental Disabilities

<i>Transition Step</i>	<i>Age</i>	<i>Comments</i>
Determine eligibility for Developmental Disability Services (Division of Senior and Disability Services (269-3600) www.hss.state.ak.us/dsds/dd/default.htm)	0+	
Developmental Disabilities wait list renewal	*Annually	
Obtain or verify Social Security Number (1-800-772-1213 or 1-800-276-4455)	0-1	
Investigate Financial Support Systems and discuss earned (wages) and unearned income (dividends).		
SSI (271-4455)	0+	
Medicaid (269-6000)	0+	
TEFRA (medically fragile) (269-8950)	0+	
Adult Public Assistance (907-465-3347)	0+	
Discuss post-secondary plans and high school completion date with IEP team.	16+	
Contact community-based service provider(s) for plans after completing school		
Anchorage		
Arc of Anchorage (277-6677)	16-18	
Hope Community Resources (561-5335)	16-18	
Assets, Inc. (269-6617)	16-18	
FOCUS, Inc (688-0282)	16-18	
Statewide		
Div. of Vocational Rehabilitation (800) 478-2815)	16-18	
Use Governor's Council's Where to Turn locator at: http://health.hss.state.ak.us/gcdse/		
Reinvestigate Financial Support Systems and discuss		
SSI	18	
Adult Public Assistance	18	
Personal Insurance	18	
As appropriate, determine what protections your child may need, including guardianship (Office of Public Advocacy 269-3525)	On or before 18th birthday	
Register for Selective Service (males only) http://www.sss.gov/access.htm	On or before 18th birthday	