

# **SERVING ALL ABILITIES**

# Advancing Abilities Quality Services · Quality Lives





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is excited to partner with Brandi Dalton, Certified Employment Specialist

Brandi's passion is to help people find employment within their interests and abilities. She loves helping people build relationships within their community. She specializes in different employment supportive services such as vocational assessment, job exploration, job development, job training, and selfadvocacy.

Brandi brings over 10 years of experience with working in Employment Services. She began her career in Day and Vocational habilitation setting, where she saw a huge need for more inclusive services for people with disabilities. Brandi stepped out of the workshop environment and began job developing in the community in 4 different counties for people that have different abilities. That was when she knew that was what she was meant to do. She fell in love with everything about inclusive services that promote self-advocacy.

Brandi's other passion is to educate businesses to help create inclusive opportunities within the community to open doors for people to secure successful employment. She has helped close to 100 people and counting to secure employment within various counties in southern Ohio.

## EMPLOYMENT & DEVELOPMENT ACES

### Advancing Community Employment Supports

ACES is a program without walls that utilizes the community as much as possible instead of a traditional training site. We provide employability skills training, work place experience, social skills training and social activities that focus on employment, career exploration, community engagement, apprenticeship, volunteerism, entrepreneurship, and teamwork. This unique program offers exploration in a safe, structured environment that supports vocational growth and development.

#### SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE Monday - Friday from 9:30am to 2:30pm.

If interested in learning more about these programs, please contact Brandi Dalton 740.821.6332 or email BDalton@scioto-trails.net

## CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Career Services are available to assist individuals with various supports to find and maintain a career of their choice. Some of the services offered are job-seeking skills training, community-based assessments, career exploration, job development, job coaching, and ongoing support throughout the life of the job. Specifically trained career consultants are available to support individuals to match their skills and interests to find the right career choice for them. We work through our partnerships to assist with facilitating work incentive planning and transportation options to aid in navigating through the barriers of employment.

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