If you have a child with a disability, they may qualify for additional services outside of school.

**DID YOU KNOW?**
Support is Available from OPWDD (Office for People with Developmental Disabilities) for:
- Care Coordination
- Respite
- After School Programs
- Behavior Services
- Housing
- Community Habilitation
- Employment Programs
- Assistive Technology
- Day Services
- Environmental Modifications

**HOW WE CAN HELP**
Parent Network of WNY’s Eligibility Navigator can assist families in Erie and Niagara Counties with completing the necessary paperwork to get the eligibility process started.

**TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OPTIONS**
**CONTACT:**
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**For more details on disabilities that qualify, please refer to the back of this flyer**
To Receive OPWDD Services a person must have:

A qualifying disability before age 22 AND significant challenges that limit their ability to function in comparison to their typical peers.

- Intellectual Disability
- Cerebral Palsy
- Epilepsy
- Autism
- Familial Dysautonomia
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- Neurological Impairment
- Prader Willi Syndrome
- Any other condition that causes impairment in general intellectual functioning or adaptive behavior

Children from Birth through Age Seven (7)

- Do not need a specific diagnosis
- Require a 12 month delay in one or more functional areas:
  - Physical
  - Cognitive
  - Language
  - Social
  - Adaptive Development