

STIR Up Your IEP
Event Information

Space is limited, please register early to save your space!

Event is free to attend.

Hosted by Erie, Huron, and Ottawa County Boards of DD

Event Details:

Friday November 15th

At EHOVE Career Center, 316 W Mason Rd, Milan, Ohio 44846.

Registration opens at 8:30am

Event from 9:00am – 1:00pm

What:

“STIR Up Your IEP” is for transition age students from Erie, Huron, and Ottawa County. Project STIR is a self-advocacy training program developed for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The program is taught by peer trainers using materials supplied by the Ohio Self-Determination Association (<https://osdaohio.org/project-stir/>).

On November 15th trainers will focus on the first two steps of Project STIR: knowing yourself and assertive communication.

Arrival:

Participants are asked to arrive prior to 9:00am. Registration opens at 8:30am. To avoid morning traffic please do not arrive prior to 8:20am.

Visitors will be directed on parking at the security stop.

Lunch:

Lunch will not be provided. Students are asked to bring a packed lunch for the day. Refrigeration and microwave will not be available. There will be a scheduled 30-minute lunch break from 11:30am – 12:00pm. Snacks and water will not be provided. We ask students to bring any food or drink they may need for the day.

Breaks:

We will have several small breaks throughout the day as time allows. Students are encouraged to take sensory or restroom breaks as needed.

Media:

Erie, Huron, and Ottawa County Boards of DD all wish to take photos during the day to share online, local newsletters, social media, local newspaper in order to highlight this unique and new event. We understand some students do not consent to photos being taken and shared online or via other outlets (such as newsletters etc.). If a student does not wish to have their photo taken, please indicate this on the registration. Schools are responsible to follow their own social media or photography policy.

Accessibility:

EHOVE is compliant with the ADA.

Restrooms are near our meeting space. Private restroom available on request.

Program organizers will not be able to provide any direct support to students.

Program Materials:

Following this event materials from this program may be found online at www.eriecbdd.org. Prints will be provided for all registered students. Additional Project STIR tools can be found online at: <https://osdaohio.org/project-stir/>

Home School Attendees:

Students who are home schooled are also invited to attend this event. Parent, guardian, teacher, or provider will be required to attend event with student.

Additional Questions:

Please feel free to reach out to Jennifer Yingling at JYingling@eriecbdd.org or call 419-502-4124 with any additional questions.