**The Journey: Hart’s Ladder of Youth Participation**

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**Resource List**

* [**The Journey Webinars**](https://ohioemploymentfirst.org/the-journey-a-suite-of-resources/the-journey-webinars)**.** A series of brief webinars spotlighting transition planning tools and resources. Access videos of previous Journey webinars and registration links for future webinars.
* [**People First of Ohio.**](https://peoplefirstohio.org/)People First of Ohio assists people with disabilities who are self-advocates to talk about their needs and rights with people in their communities. Self-advocates make sure that people with disabilities have the right to do what they want in their lives, are responsible for their own choices, and the right to live and do things in the community like other citizens.
* [**Ohio Self Determintion Association.**](https://osdaohio.org/)OSDA’s mission is to:
  + Expand awareness of self-determination principles: freedom, support, control, responsibility, confirmation, relationships, dreams and choice
  + To provide self-determination training and resources
  + To promote and recognize advocacy efforts and assist in organizing advocacy efforts throughout Ohio
  + To assist advocates to connect, educate with policymakers, and achieve leadership positions
  + To provide self-determination best practice input to state and local governing organizations
* [**How do I Teach Self-Advocacy Skills?**](https://instrc.indiana.edu/tips-tools/_tips/how-do-i-teach-self-advocacy-skills.html) A tip sheet from Indiana University Bloomington on how to teach self-advocacy skills to students.
* [**Ohio Department of Higher Educaton.**](https://highered.ohio.gov/students/more-resources/students-with-disabilities)If you are a student with disabilities seeking a postsecondary certificate or degree, many options exist which will support your effort. The U.S. Department of Education has produced two guides to help you prepare for and transition into postsecondary education.
* **Upcoming *Journey* webinar on March 18, 2024**
  + Approaches to Common Challenges with Multi-System Youth
  + Presented By: Bambi Zinkon, Sydney Cook, Steve Mentrek, Kelly Elton, Jen Baer
  + [Register Here!](https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_zijU0d0fTUaDZMYE1B1JtQ)