O WHO WE ARE

We are a New York State (NYS) approved specialized Care Coordination Organization (CCO) developed by more than 70 agencies in 30 counties of NYS, who came together to support more than 25,000 individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities and their families in their local communities.

At **CARE DESIGN NY**, we believe and approach our work with the following driving forces:

- Individuals and families are at the center of all we do
- We work for individuals and families.
- We value what individuals and families say
- We are responsive to the needs, requests, and life changes of individuals and families
- We are focused on outcomes that meet individuals' needs
- We are strong advocates and protect each individuals' rights
- We maintain diverse culturally sensitive networks and constituent bases
- You can expect our help and advocacy to access integrated services with the information you need to make informed choices in your life.

"At CARE DESIGN NY our only mission is assisting individuals with IDD and their families to get the supports and services they want to live healthy, independent and fulfilling lives."

- JIM MORAN, CEO



MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS

The following are the member organizations and governing body of CARE DESIGN NY. Each member has affiliated agencies that have a history of providing supports and services to individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities:

New York Integrated Network (NYIN)

Partnerships for Healthcare Solutions (PHP)

Capital North Cares (CNC)

Young Adult Institute (YAI)

Hudson Valley Care Coordination Services (HVCCS)

NY Association of Emerging and Multi-Cultural

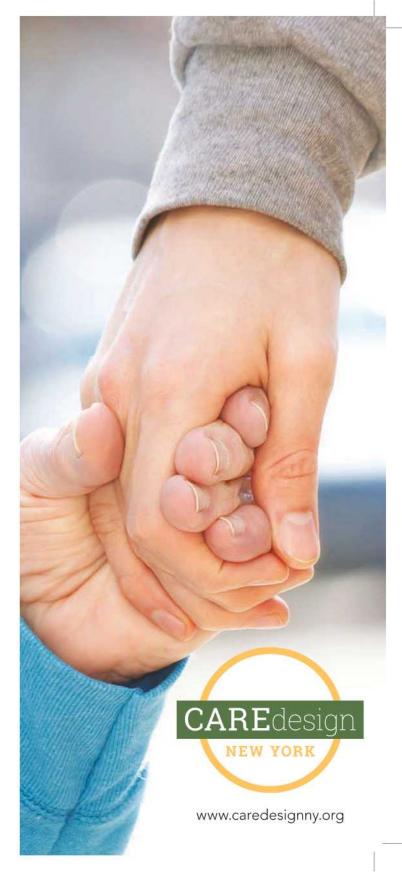
Providers (NYAEMP)

Asian American Care Network (AACN)



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ACHIEVING YOUR GOALS

Your Care Manager will be at the center of your care coordination team. We will add medical and other specialists to that team, if you so choose, to help you and your family manage all of your services in one place.

At CARE DESIGN NY, we will work with you and all of your existing service providers to develop a Life Plan which will take into account your current needs and your future hopes and life goals.





WELCOME TO CARE DESIGN NEW YORK



"My Care Manager treats me with respect, sees me as an individual, and doesn't set limitations on me. Working with her makes me feel like my life has a purpose."

- VERONICA, CDNY MEMBER

THE LIFE PLAN

Each individual will have a Life Plan developed to include all provider services and other coordinated services based on the life goals of each individual.

To develop your Life Plan, your Care Manager (the new name for MSC) will work with you and the important people in your life to discuss all the things you would like to see in employment, relationships, health, housing, government benefits, and other areas of your life. Your Life Plan will identify the services and supports necessary to help you achieve the life goals important to you!

The Care Manager will facilitate periodic reviews of your Life Plan with you and your care planning team. Your Life Plan changes as you change; it is always in line with your individual needs.

@ APPLY FOR SERVICES

Interested in applying for OPWDD services and/or having care management services provided by CARE DESIGN NY? We provide care management services in 30 counties throughout New York State. View our coverage map at www.caredesignny.org

It would be our pleasure to assist you to apply for services or to determine if we are right for you. To learn more about **CARE DESIGN NY**, please contact us at 518-235–1888 or visit us on our website at www.caredesignny.org.

