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SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS TO BE FULLY
INCLUDED IN EMPLOYMENT AND COMMUNITY

This day-long workshop will walk the audience through how to best support individuals with significant disabilities to be fully integrated in employment and the community, and the role of organizations and staff in making this a reality. This day will include numerous examples, and provide extensive opportunities for discussion and group learning.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2017

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2520 PORTAGE AVENUE, WINNIPEG MB

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

- The evolution of the role of people with disabilities in society from segregation to full employment
- What do we believe? What business are we in?
- What should this look like? The Gold Standard
- Diversions: the challenge of well intended alternatives
- A service flow for community employment and support
 - What it looks like
 - Defining components and best practices
- Staff roles and competencies for community employment and supports
- Geography: urban, suburban, rural
- A full and well-rounded life
 - What happens when people aren't at work
 - Holistic service models
- Individuals and families
 - Lead the way? Bring them along?
- Transportation
- Managing the Transformation Process

REGISTRATION: 8:30 - 9:00 A.M.

LUNCH INCLUDED

COST: \$125.00

This day will be an outstanding learning opportunity for:

- Direct Support Professionals
- Managers/Supervisors/Directors
- Executive Directors/CEOs of service providers
- Policy Professionals
- Employment Inclusion Champions & Skeptics

Presented by **SCE LifeWorks & Connect Employment Services**

Registration Form

Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

Key Org Contact: _____ email: _____ ph: _____

Attendees:

	Name	Food Sensitivity?	Fee
1			\$125.00
2			\$125.00
3			\$125.00
4			\$125.00
5			\$125.00
6			\$125.00
			TOTAL: \$

PAYMENT:

Cheque Enclosed (please make payable to SCE LifeWorks)

VISA/MC (circle which one) Card# _____ EXP _____

Name on Card: _____

Send Registration to:

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David Hoff, M.S.W., is a Program Director for the Institute for Community Inclusion at the University of Massachusetts Boston. David has an extensive background in working with public systems and community agencies to enhance employment outcomes for people with disabilities. He has done work across the United States, and internationally, providing technical assistance and training on effective practices in human services and workforce development. A primary focus of his work is on organizational and systems change to improve employment outcomes, with a particular emphasis on public policies and their impact on the lives of people with disabilities. Along with his work with public disability agencies, much of David's work is focused on enhancing the ability of the general workforce development system to serve people with disabilities. In addition to his 18 years at ICI, David has been a regional workforce development system administrator, and also spent several years in a direct service role, assisting individuals with disabilities to find and maintain employment. Prior to entering the human service field, he spent ten years in management roles in the private sector. David is a Past President of APSE, a 3,000+ member national organization focused on integrated employment of people with disabilities. David has a Master's in Social Work from Rutgers University, with a concentration in Administration, Policy and Planning, and is also a graduate of Cornell University.