



DSP RECOGNITION WEEK

What is a direct support professional?

A direct support professional helps someone with a disability or behavioral health need live in their own community, not instead of family and friends, but alongside them.



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The work...

Day to day, DSP work can look like: getting someone up, dressed, and out the door on time. Getting them to work, appointments, and errands. Managing medication and daily routines. Building real relationships over months and years, not one-off visits. And quietly making sure a person's own voice is heard in decisions about their own care.



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Because of DSPs...

People across Alabama get to stay in their own homes, hold a job, and stay close to family. DSPs make it possible through their hard work every day.

That is no small thing.

That is the whole model working.