Decision-Making Options for Adults with Disabilities



While RIPIN does not support families with the guardianship process, here are resources to help you and your young adult make informed decisions about the transition to adulthood.

Transfer of Rights begins when a person turns 18. However, Supported Decision-Making practices can begin much earlier.

- Check out <u>RI's Supported Decision-Making Guide</u> for more information about this legally recognized option! See pages 14-19 for a sample agreement form.
- Check out <u>The 5 Myths of Guardianship</u> to understand better why alternatives to guardianship may protect your young adult better!



WEBSITE RESOURCES:

- Power of Attorney
- **Representative Payee**
- **Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care**



ON-DEMAND WEBINARS:

Please visit our <u>Transition to Adulthood Webinars</u> for more.



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