## Guernsey County Board of Developmental Disabilities and Guernsey County Help Me Grow

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## **Public Relations Release**

The Guernsey County Board of Developmental Disabilities utilizes many avenues to show our communities how we are helping individuals live their lives to the fullest. It is our goal to help you promote and celebrate your successes.

In addition, it is imperative that people who need services know what is available and others in our communities who come in contact with individuals with disabilities have information that fosters acceptance and respect. The Community Relations Department is responsible for keeping members of the public informed on an ongoing basis.

You, the individuals and families, are the key element in these efforts. Allowing our department to publish and distribute your quotes, pictures, letters, and other testimonials is priceless.

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