

Postsecondary Education Rehabilitation Transition Program

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Postsecondary Education Rehabilitation
Transition Program is a five-day, school-to-work
transition program offered through Michigan
Rehabilitation Services (MRS) at the Michigan
Career & Technical Institute (MCTI). The
program lets students explore multiple
areas of interest through "hands-on"
assessments while living on MCTI's campus.
MCTI can also customize the assessment to
meet unique situations.

The program also assists students by answering these questions:

- What's out there for me?
- What are my talents and interests?
- What types of jobs would I like?
- What skills do I need to get a job?
- What do I need to learn to live on my own?

ADDITIONAL SERVICES

VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT:

- Aptitude testing
- Evaluate learning styles
- WorkKeys and Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment Systems (CASAS) testing
- Career exploration

RESIDENTIAL/LEISURE SKILLS ASSESSMENTS THAT:

- Promote student exploration of residential and recreational activities
- Provide information on leisure and social skills development
- Evaluate independent living skills

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Students who are eligible for the Postsecondary Education Rehabilitation Transition Program should:

- Be a customer of MRS and require rehabilitation services to prepare for, advance in, engage in or retain competitive integrated employment
- Be at least 16 years old upon admission and enrolled in grades 11-12+. The cut-off age for referrals is 19
- Have positive classroom/work behavior
- Have a full scale IQ of 70 or above
- Be medically, physically and psychologically stable
- Have favorable prognosis to complete and benefit from the program's services
- Ensure that current behavior will not jeopardize the health or safety of oneself or others
- Be willing and able to comply with MCTI living standards
- Have a plan for early exit from MCTI if necessary
- Be able to independently take medications as prescribed

Applicants who do not fully meet these criteria may be considered through the pre-admission review process. Pre-admission reviews include the following considerations: behavioral issues, cognitive performance, legal issues and physical/health concerns.



CAMPUS INFORMATION

Since 1944, MCTI has provided training for adults with disabilities in Michigan. Today, MCTI is one of the leading rehabilitation training centers in the U.S., offering caring human support services and advanced training for a range of students.

MCTI is located on the shores of Pine Lake in Barry County, 20 miles northeast of Kalamazoo. The campus includes many features such as fully accessible classrooms, dorm rooms, a library, cafeteria and on-campus apartments to give students the best experience.

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