**What is Independent Living**

Eleven Centers for Independent Living (CIL) statewide

Each Center is a unique, non-residential, nonprofit service organization

Services are offered from birth to death to people with physical, sensory, intellectual, cognitive and mental health disabilities.

Services and supports assist individuals with disabilities in setting and achieving goals related to living as independently as possible

**Programs \* Services**

Employment Services

Multi Media and Computer Labs

Attendant Services

Housing Services and Home Modifications

Transportation Services

Health and Wellness Programs

Assistive Technology and Durable Medical Equipment

Exercise and Recreational Activities

Community Education

ADA Technical Assistance

**Core Services**

Independent Living Skills Training

Advocacy-individual and systems

Information and Referral

Peer Support/Support Groups

Transition Services

 School to adult life

 Nursing facility

 Remaining in community

**What Was Accomplished (Oct.1, 2016 thru Sept. 30, 2017)**

Of the 9,202 people with disabilities served, 22% or 2024 were new to Independent Living

Provided services in all 105 counties

Informed and referred services to 14,173 Kansans

58 Kansans with disabilities moved from nursing homes to their own home

173 people with disabilities achieved employment goals

1521 people with disabilities learned personal care, coping, financial management, social skills and household management

Kansas CILs helped 291 people with disabilities gain access to transportation

1214 Kansans with disabilities gained access to housing or home modification

219 youth with disabilities received assistance towards transition goals

**Statewide Independent Living Survey Results**

84.18% agreed or strongly agreed that they were able to get the Independent Living services they needed

88.77% agreed or strongly agreed that the services they got helped them be more independent

91.84% agreed or strongly agreed that the CIL staff had the training to meet their needs

96.94% agreed or strongly agreed that the CIL staff was courteous and respectful