

medina county board of developmental disabilities - 2025 Annual Report -



The Medina County Board of DD is the community resource responsible for connecting, coordinating and funding services for people of all ages with developmental differences. We help with everything from early intervention and education opportunities for children to employment and community inclusive living for adults.

Service Areas:

- Early Intervention
- Therapy
- Windfall School
- Transition
- Assistive Technology
- Advocacy
- Employment
- Residential Assistance
- Case Management
- Service Funding
- Training
- Family Support
- Health and Safety



820 *18% increase**
children ages 0-22

*36% increase** **753**
adults over age 22



1573
number of
people served
*26% increase**



137 *16% decrease**
staff members

Case Managers - 41 Children's Services - 27 Early Intervention/Therapy - 17
Community Supports - 20 Business Support - 19 Operations - 13

*105% increase** **487**
number of providers we work
with to help people and families



145 Agency Providers • 342 Independent Providers

Critical Needs Increasing, We Continue To Serve

These highlights reflect the dedication of our staff and partners in keeping individuals at the center of all we do. We commend the unwavering support and dedication of Medina County in championing those who need it most.

• Supported Community Accessibility Efforts

Worked with Medina County Commissioners, Medina County Recreation Center, Village of Seville, and Brunswick City Schools to fund accessibility initiatives such as inclusive playgrounds and universal changing tables.

• Sensory Friendly Day at the Medina County Fair

Partnered with the Medina County Fair to present the first Sensory Friendly Friday. Fair activities and events were tailored to the needs of those with developmental disabilities.

• Adapted Toys

Partnered with RePlay for Kids to support their efforts to provide adapted toys to families, caregivers, educators, and therapists who work with children with disabilities.

• Safety Resources

Worked with local first responders to increase training and knowledge of working with people with disabilities in emergency situations. Also provided Roth ID Tags and Blue Envelope safety resources to increase communication with first responders during crisis situations.

• Supported Caregivers

Developed a pilot program to help support caregivers who are struggling to meet basic food needs and unreliable transportation issues that create barriers to employment stability.

• Increased Advocacy Programs

Developed an Advocacy Information Night to connect people with developmental disabilities to a wide variety of programs and services, added four new schools to the "People Together Project" and held "Meet Social" program for young adults to increase social confidence and meet others with similar interests.



AT OUR CORE
We Are Grounded In Purpose

* January 2020-December 2025
** January 2022-December 2025



MCBDD
Website

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Stacey Malecka
Superintendent

As we take moment to look at all the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities accomplished in 2025, we are proud of our continued commitment to supporting people with developmental differences and their families.

During 2025, we partnered with families, service providers, and community members to promote inclusion, independence, and meaningful opportunities for the people we serve. At our core, we are grounded in that purpose. A purpose which guides every decision, every partnership, and every service we provide. These highlights reflect the dedication of those who remain committed to our purpose each and every day.

At the same time, we must recognize that an increasingly uncertain future fiscal environment presents challenges that will require careful planning, responsible stewardship, and adaptability. Guided by our mission, purpose and values, we will remain focused on sustaining high-quality services, using public resources wisely, and preparing thoughtfully for what 2026 may bring.



762

number of people who attended 36 developmental disability related trainings and presentations

750+
number of people attending Assistive Tech Expo

1406

number of people who used or visited the MCBDD funded Mobile Changing Unit at community events



753

number of tickets provided to people with developmental disabilities to attend the Medina County Fair's first Sensory Friendly Friday.

- 2025 FISCAL -

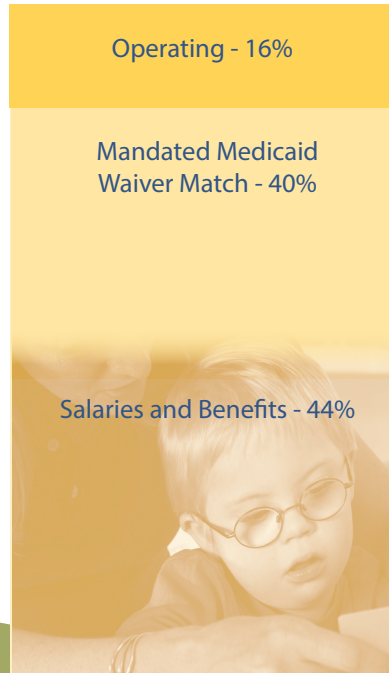
Revenue

\$25,957,190.88



Expenses

\$27,687,718.54



Medicaid Funding

713 people rely on Medicaid Waivers

When a person is given a "waiver" it is to access Medicaid funding sources to help pay for the services they need. MCBDD is mandated by the federal Medicaid program to be responsible for 35% of Medicaid Waiver costs. Once a person receives a waiver, it is considered a lifelong funding source (as long as need-based requirements continue to be met) and typically increases each year; this results in annual increased costs to MCBDD.

\$13.6 MILLION
MCBDD's Federally Mandated Medicaid Waiver Match Costs

MCBDD's Waiver Match funding allowed local providers to receive Medicaid payments totaling \$45,979,740.

Local Funding - \$2,562,686.02

Local funding is used to pay for services and supports not reimbursed through Medicaid. Funding may consist of payments made to providers for people not enrolled in Medicaid and/or fills gaps that Medicaid does not address. Funding may cover items such as early intervention services, family supports services, supported living, etc.



The mission of the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities is to promote and empower individuals with developmental disabilities to live, learn, work and socialize in the community.

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