OUR COMMITMENT: To provide comprehensive, quality service coordination to individuals from birth through the senior years. The Center for Disability Services proudly employs a professional, customer friendly team of Service Coordinators who have diverse educational and experiential backgrounds.

Service Coordination... is the gateway to an array of comprehensive community services and supports for people with developmental disabilities. A Medicaid Service Coordinator (MSC) helps individuals to gain access to services and supports which allow them to lead happy, healthy and successful lives in the community.

Service Coordinators... work with the individual to explore strengths, needs, interests and goals and then link the individual and family with services available at the Center, through another agency, or in the community.

Service Coordinators... serve as a liaison in various settings as they advocate and develop supports and services using a people centered approach which focuses on the individual's aspirations and goals.

Who is eligible?
Individuals who have a documented diagnosis of a developmental disability* prior to the age of 22 are potentially eligible for Service Coordination. Diagnoses such as Cerebral Palsy, Epilepsy, Autism and Pervasive Developmental Disorders, Mental Retardation, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Global Developmental Delay of a child under the age of seven are included.

* Eligibility criteria defined by the New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities must be met.