

What's Working and Not Working for Marie.

| | What's Working | What' Not Working |
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| | What works? What needs to be maintained/enhanced? | What doesn't work? What needs to change? What must be different? |
| from Marie's Perspective | <p>Transport:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to continue researching options • I can still take the community bus to the clubhouse • I can still arrange for transport to AMI meetings • Makes sense to find the right transportation <p>Sorting/Organising her clothes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Looking nice and matching makes sense • Having more independence with this makes sense • Keeping the clean clothes separate from the dirty • Getting and staying organised <p>Budgeting and Prioritising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Budgeting helps me stay flexible and free • I'm the boss of my own time • Choosing what I want to do and staying active keeps me level headed and my temper under control | <p>Transport:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not safe to ride with strangers • Doesn't work going outside when you hear a horn unless you're sure that it's for you • I have to make arrangements well in advanced with the community bus service <p>Sorting/Organising her clothes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mismatched clothes • It doesn't work for me to try to colour coordinate because I can't see • I need help colour coordinating • I need more help keeping clothes organised and sorted <p>Budgeting and Prioritising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • My time & schedule needs to change to match the activity • It doesn't make sense for me to always spend my money. • I need to not rush myself |
| from Loved Ones perspective: | <p>Transport:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arranging rides in time so that she can go to activities she want • Need to enhance options • Clubhouse helps Marie get there when the community transport can't • Community transport is safe • Marie arranges her own trips • Marie is able to attend Wednesday activities with Dreams Unlimited • Marie needs to keep planning ahead with her family and with clubhouse for arranging trips <p>Sorting/Organising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using special Braille labels • The support of her sister • Searching out others who have expertise in this area that can help her reach her goal | <p>Transport:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marie expects transport to be on time, but it usually isn't • She needs to ring and check if they are late instead of waiting outside • Nothing reliable and safe has been found yet • Typical options are not affordable • Once she is dropped off, can she find her way to the door/location? • The community transport driver drops her off in front of the clubhouse and the parking lot may be icy <p>Sorting and Organising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marie doesn't want to learn the washing machine • Marie's clothes not matching • Marie not knowing how to match this and not having any Braille aids to help her with this • Trying to do this without help of her sister • Need to figure out how to support Marie during her monthly time now that it's irregular |

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| from Loved One's perspective continued: | <p>Budgeting and Prioritising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marie likes to be active • Marie wants to be a volunteer • Marie's good at budgeting • Marie choosing activities that she enjoys & that she can afford • Goals, something to look forward to without pressure | <p>Budgeting and Prioritising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overspending • Marie being made to do things that cause her stress • Marie being bored • Without structure, Marie gets irritable • Marie has so many interests but limited funds • Marie needs to choose what she really wants to do |

Action Plan

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| Desired Outcome: | Marie will find transport that is reliable, safe and affordable |
| Discussion/Justification: | It is very important for Marie to maintain her current level of involvement with activities but she has been having difficulty with community transport and locating consistent, affordable and safe alternatives |

| What needs to be done | Who's responsible | By when |
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| Phone 1 local volunteer organisation a week | Marie and Andee | June 1, 2001 |
| Phone in advance (two days for community transport & 1 day for Dreams) | Marie | Ongoing |
| Marie will develop a criteria of what is considered a safe and desirable form of travel | Marie and Debra | May 15, 2001 |
| Marie will continue to use options that are currently available to maintain her current level of involvement | Marie | Ongoing |
| Marie will write the NAACP to see if they have anyone interested in driving her to and from meetings | Marie | April 30, 2001 |
| Marie will ring Oak Park to see if they have any local transport options or connections | Marie | April 30, 2001 |

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| Desired Outcome: | Marie will get her personal belongings and clothes organised |
| Discussion/Justification: | Marie identified that she would like to organise her wardrobe and drawers and learn to sort her laundry. It is very important for her clothing to match and to fit appropriately and for the season. She currently relies on her sister for this. Marie wants to use Braille aids and to be more independent. |

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| Marie will reorganise her wardrobe and drawers by size, color and season | Marie and Debra | June 1, 2001 |
| Marie will research Braille Aides and catalogs that carries these items | Marie and Andee | April 30, 2001 |
| Braille Aides will be ordered and practiced at clubhouse in the Charity Store and in the Kitchen | Marie and Andee | June 1, 2001 |
| The clubhouse will purchase a Braille Label Maker to help Marie make labels for her drawers and wardrobes, as well as for various clubhouse uses | Marie and Joyce | June 1, 2001 |
| Marie will research where she can get training for using Braille tags as well as what techniques are being used for other people who are blind | Marie and Andee | May 15, 2001 |