Do you have an Intellectual and/or Developmental Disability?

Are you between ages 18-22?

The Institute for Community Inclusion, Massachusetts Advocates Standing Strong (MASS), and Self-Advocacy Association of New York State (SANYS) are doing a study. We are working with youth, parents, and special educators to learn more about your experience in school.

What is the study?

We want to learn more about your experience with transition planning in your school. This can include alternatives to guardianship, guardianship, and transfer of rights. We want to learn more about how to make transition and transfer of rights conversations better. Other peers with disabilities will ask you questions in an interview.



Who can participate in this study?

You can do this study if you are a student with an intellectual or developmental disability between 18-22 years old. You also must be in school in New York or in Massachusetts or graduated from school in those two states.



We will also ask parents and teachers questions. We want to interview groups of 3:

1) you

2) your parent

3) your teacher

FIND OUT HOW TO PARTICIPATE!

Visit our website to learn more about this project: gator.communityinclusion.org

Guardianship Alternatives and Transfer-of-Rights

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HOW CAN I DO THE STUDY?

STEP 1:

Email Daria at Daria.Domin@umb.edu to say you are interested!



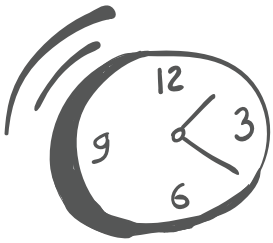
STEP 2:

When we get your email, **someone will contact you** to make sure you qualify for the study. You will fill out a short screening survey.



STEP 3:

We will set up an interview for a **time that works for you**.



STEP 4:

We will interview you on Zoom. Your interview will last 45-60 minutes. You can have a support person with you if you want.



STEP 5:

We will **interview your parents and teacher.**



STEP 6:

After we interview you, your parents, and your teacher, **you will get a $25 Amazon gift card.**

