



People Inc. expanding Rochester workforce

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The Buffalo region's largest nonprofit service provider is expanding its workforce in Rochester.

People Inc. is hiring nearly 50 people in Monroe County, part of an ongoing expansion of services for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families.

With revenue of nearly \$200 million, People Inc. is the largest nonprofit in the eight counties of Western New York, with 3,750 employees serving 12,000 people.

The organization first expanded into the Greater Rochester area in 2012 after taking over programs run by DePaul Mental Health. The agency now has about 250 people living in the Rochester area working in the areas of behavioral health, services for children and young adults including care management, employment, group homes and respite.

The hiring blitz now is centered around expansions in all those programs, as well as for support staff for a group home that opened last year and another that's due to open this summer, according to [Nicole Forgione](#), public affairs manager.