

# Transition Services: Summer 2024

Group Student Services for Success Summer Program



"Learn to embrace a change in your work and personal life and make the transition to a better you."

## Transition Services 2024 Summer Program at a Glance:

- Wayfinder's Group Student Services for Success is a new and innovative fourweek program held in-person at the campus of California State University Los Angeles (CSULA).
- Wayfinder will house participants who are ages 16-21 years old in the South Village Residential Dormitory tower at CSULA.
- The program will be using the "Putting Your Best Foot Forward" transition curriculum from the National Research and Training Center on Blindness and Low Vision (NRTC). Participants will be guided through completing the practical steps required to find and apply for jobs that match their skillsets and interests, and be able to practice independence skills on a college campus. Students will also participate in mock employment opportunities.
- The program will have an entire floor of housing dedicated to our program, complete with our own restroom/shower facilities and classrooms. Participants will be assigned appropriate roommates according to age, gender, and developmental/intellectual maturity.

### **Program Information**:

- Dates: Friday, June 28th through Saturday, July 27th, 2024
- Location: California State University of Los Angeles (CSULA)
- Ages: 16 through 21 years of age
- Apply Online:

https://www.wayfinderfamily.org/transition-services-application

#### **Requirements for Participation**:

- Participants must have approval to attend through their Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) counselor.
- Participants must fill out an online application packet.
- Participants age 18 and over must pass a background check.
- Participant must complete a medical packet and have a current Tuberculosis Screening Test.

#### What can participants expect?

- Job Skills Exploration
- Career Development Counseling
- Development of Educational and Vocational Goals
- Support to develop self-advocacy skills
- Independent Living Skills Development
- Introduction to Job Search Skills: Resumes, Job Search/Networking Platforms

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