



Franklin County Board of Developmental Disabilities

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NewsBits

Sensory Friendly Movies

The Gateway Film Center, located at 1550 N. High Street will feature **'The Lego Movie'** as the next presentation in their sensory friendly series. The movie will be shown on August 9th at 11am and all proceeds from the screening will go to the Nisonger Center. Tickets are \$5/each.

Synergy Conference

The annual Synergy Conference is scheduled for October 1-3 at the Dublin Embassy Suites. The conference is a collaborative effort of the Ohio Self Determination Association (OSDA) and PAR (Professionals, Advocates, Resources) and it brings together self-advocates, professionals, family members and others for an incredible event. For details on the program or registration, go to www.synergyohio.org.

OSU Call For Participants for Research on Medicaid Application and Benefit Retention Process

Professor Stephanie Hoffer and Dr. Tom Fish are conducting focus groups with family members and individuals who have developmental disabilities on the topic of how individuals with disabilities experience the Medicaid eligibility application and benefit retention process. Participants will receive a gift card for their time. For details or to participate, contact Professor Hoffer at 614-247-7856 or hoffer.11@osu.edu.

FCBDD ECE and School Schedules

Staff for Northeast and West Central Schools will return on Monday, August 18 and students will begin on August 20, 2014. Early Childhood preschool staff will return on the same day and student schedules will be communicated by the ECE staff. We look forward to another great school year.

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