Establishing a Blueprint for an Effective Transition

**Goals**

1. Collaboration
   1. Comprehensive whole, not silos
   2. Relationship building and information sharing
   3. Training
   4. Allowing room for creativity
2. Family System Support, Individual Support
   1. Every month – informal meeting with all players on transition
   2. Awareness of all options
3. Self-Determination
   1. Self-advocacy skills
   2. Happy, healthy, satisfied with life
   3. Dignity of choice
   4. Dignity of risk
   5. Opportunity to learn from mistakes
4. Employment and Career
   1. Focus on employment first, not just paid services
   2. School-based exposure, jobs at home, pre and post-secondary training, job experiences, career preparation, pursuit of career, internships, and volunteer opportunities.
5. Quality of life
   1. Community inclusion and participation
   2. Communities that embrace all individuals
   3. Natural supports
   4. Relationships, intimacy, and love
   5. Home
   6. Personal health and safety