



Program Partner Name: Arc Southeastern Minnesota

Classification: Health/Disability Services

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Tax Status Determination: 501 (c) (3) not for profit corporation. Incorporated in 1955.

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Mission Statement: Our mission is to build inclusive communities for all by providing support, education, and advocacy to persons with developmental disabilities and their families. We believe that all people are to be valued, included, and involved in the community.

Brief Organization Overview: Arc Southeastern Minnesota serves 8 counties. We are dedicated to ensuring full participation of people with developmental disabilities in their communities and advocating for their basic civil and human rights. Our core services are:

Advocacy:

- People First Self Advocacy
- Individual and Family Advocacy
- Information and Referral
- Systems Advocacy

Education:

- Abuse Prevention and Safety Planning
- Healthy Relationships
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- Quarterly Newsletter
- Library and Resource Center

Support:

- Peer Support to Families of School Age Children
- Parent/Professional Training and Education
- Support Groups
- Information and Referral
- Sibling Programs
- Parent to Parent Connections
- Scholarships
- PLAN – providing services and supports when family members are not available or are unable to do so

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