

OUR MISSION

The Ability Partners Foundation is a not-for-profit organization established to raise and generate funds that will promote, support, and augment the continuation of long-term services for people with disabilities and disadvantages offered through CP Rochester, Happiness House, and Rochester Rehabilitation in the Finger Lakes and Greater Rochester areas including Ontario, Seneca, Yates, Wayne, Livingston, Monroe, and Orleans Counties.

OUR VISION

The Ability Partners Foundation will provide the necessary resources to ensure that all individuals receiving services through CP Rochester, Happiness House, and Rochester Rehabilitation will experience "What Happens Here Changes Lives Forever" in a community that is "Opening Doors and Enriching Lives."

A REQUEST FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION

Join the social stewards who support Ability Partners Foundation's Endowment Fund. Your gift may be made in a single payment or pledged over a three year period.

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ENDOWMENT FUND

Creating a financial cornerstone to ensure the safety and security of 6,000 individuals with disabilities and disadvantages



ABILITY PARTNERS FOUNDATION ENDOWMENT FUND

NAME: _____
(As you wish it to appear in our donor listing)

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I/we wish to support the Endowment Fund with a total gift/pledge of:

\$1,000 \$1,500 \$3,000 \$5,000 \$10,000 Other: \$ _____

Choose one option below:

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Call 585-286-9711 x1325 to make the payment via credit card.

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Please make your check payable to
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Thank you for your support! Your gift is tax deductible.

SERVICES TO SUSTAIN SOCIETY

The Ability Partners Foundation Endowment Fund will ensure that essential programs and services will continue for those with disabilities and disadvantages in our communities.

WHY CREATE AN ENDOWMENT?

An endowment is an organization's financial cornerstone, the foundation of its ability to incite progress in education, individual care, and therapeutic equipment. Through allowing an organization to be less dependent on unpredictable sources of revenue, such as government aid, endowments ensure that promising programs, individuals, and initiatives have the unwavering support they need.

HOW ENDOWMENTS WORK

The endowment consists of funds given to the Ability Partners Foundation that are invested in perpetuity. This allows for the endowment to provide both immediate funding and long-term financial security for the organizations, ensuring that the fund will continue to benefit future generations of children and adults with disabilities and disadvantages, and their families.

Endowed funds can be made in a variety of ways. For example, an endowment may be created through outright gifts, bequests, or gifts pledged over a number of years. Additionally, endowments can be unrestricted, providing a resource that can be used to meet current priorities and exciting new opportunities as they arise, or can be designated for specific purposes, including residential services, children's services, respite, environmental modification and equipment.

Establishing an endowment is an act of great generosity and vision. Donors who decide to create an endowment do so because they understand the significance of supporting the organization not only during their lifetime, but well into the future. These visionary individuals, families, and organizations build an extraordinary resource. Many donors choose to establish an endowed fund in order to honor a loved one, or to memorialize an important person in their life, ensuring that their name and generosity will forever be the impetus in our organization's success.



Amy Cram

A MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD CHAIR

CP Rochester, Happiness House, and Rochester Rehabilitation provide an array of educational, therapeutic, recreational, employment, mental health, residential, and family support programs and services to over 6,000 adults and children each year. Working from sites in Canandaigua, Geneva, Gorham, Waterloo, Rochester, Pittsford, and Henrietta, these three agencies have been changing and enriching lives of individuals with disabilities and disadvantages for many years.

As the fundraising partner of these three agencies, Ability Partners Foundation strives to fulfill the on-going financial needs of the programs and services offered through CP Rochester, Happiness House, and Rochester Rehabilitation.

Ability Partners Foundation envisions that all individuals with disabilities and disadvantages will realize their full potential as productive, contributing, and participating members of their community. We are fortunate to have organizations like ours working tirelessly toward this goal. But, we can't do it alone. We need your help to ensure CP Rochester, Happiness House, and Rochester Rehabilitation continue to fulfill their mission for years to come by participating in the **Ability Partners Foundation Endowment Fund**.

Thank you for your consideration of this very important initiative. Your gift will make a direct and lasting impact for so many.

Amy Cram
Bill Cram Chevrolet

