

CLAPW FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP

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Developmental Services Ontario – Sue Pereira

Current Members

Meeting Schedule

Questions?



Housing Navigator

**Presenter: Sue
Pereira, DSO**



DSO
Developmental Services Ontario
Central East Region

**YOUR ACCESS
POINT FOR**
adult developmental
SERVICES

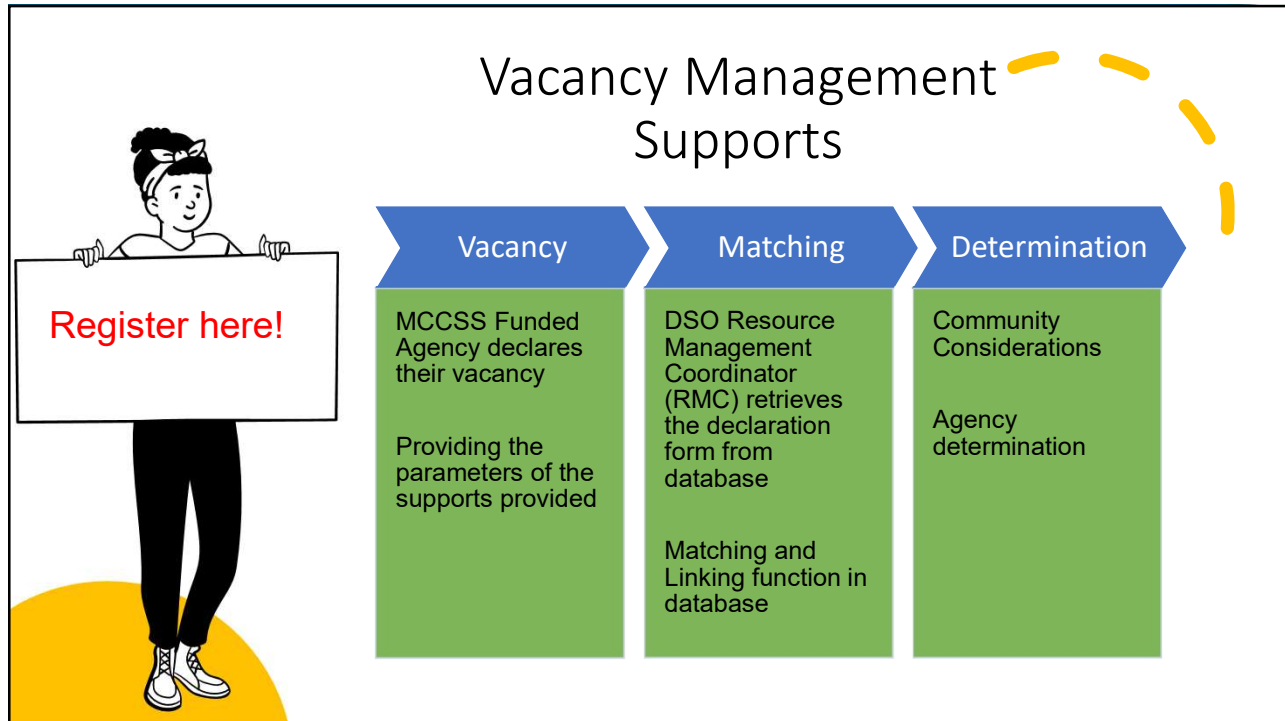
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**CORE MCCSS
FUNDED
PROGRAMS**

- Developmental Services Supportive Living
- Community Participation Support
- Caregiver Respite
- Passport Funding
www.passportfunding.ca

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SPECIALIZED RESOURCES

- Person directed planning
- Adult Protective Service Workers
- Behaviour Management Services
- Crisis Services

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Reasons to Update the DSO

1 855-277-2121

What could the DSO potentially do with your information?

- Reassessment determination
- Update contact information
- Consents
- Caregiver update
- Change in service and support requests
- Change in circumstances
- Is there a crisis?

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DSO Housing Navigators, Central East Region

To provide individuals and those supporting them with the information and resources needed to create individualized and person-centred housing and support plans.

To Connect with a Housing Navigator in Central East Region, please contact:
dsocentraleast@yssn.ca
 1-855-277-2121





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Webinars that Support Housing Planning

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
	• Lunch and Learn	• Exploring Affordable				
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			• Creating Your Indi			
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26	27	28	29	30	1	2
	• Developmental S					

- Creating Your Individualized Housing and Support Plan (our most popular webinar)
- Technology to Support Independence
- Exploring Affordable Rental Options
- Bricks and Mortar: Exploring Home Ownership Options
- Inspiring Families
- Your Rights and Responsibilities as a Tenant
- Things to Know if You are Planning to Rent
- DS Provincial Housing Strategy Forum

<https://www.dsontario.ca/calendar/>

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WELCOME TO THE DSO HOUSING TOOLKIT



<https://bit.ly/DSOHousingToolkit>



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Today's Housing Reality

Year in REVIEW

April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023



www.yssn.ca/DSO-CER-News



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My housing model



Check the model/type that appeals to you most:

Home ownership by person with disability (remember to consider the cost of ongoing maintenance)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Condo ownership by person with disability (remember to consider ongoing condo fees)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mobile home ownership by person with disability (remember to consider the cost of ongoing maintenance)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Home ownership by a parent, sibling, or other family member	<input type="checkbox"/>
Condo ownership by a parent, sibling, or other family member	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mobile home ownership by a parent, sibling, or other family member	<input type="checkbox"/>
Second unit (e.g. basement or backyard suite, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing cooperative	<input type="checkbox"/>
Apartment rental	<input type="checkbox"/>
Room and board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Living with a housemate (do you have a housemate in mind? How will you find a compatible housemate?)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Living with 2-3 housemates (do you have housemates in mind? How will you find compatible housemates?)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Living alone	<input type="checkbox"/>
Live in caregiver model	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friendly neighbour model	<input type="checkbox"/>
Subsidized housing / rent geared to income - application completed?	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Multiple uses of the ADSS and SIS-A®

A reliable source of information:

- Individual Level – for creating individualized support plans and related goal planning
- Agency Level – for training purposes, vacancy process (matching and linking), staffing needs, strategic planning and evaluation of programming
- System Level – for resource allocation and system's planning, statistical information, and helps identify gaps or trends in service needs



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How To Contact Us

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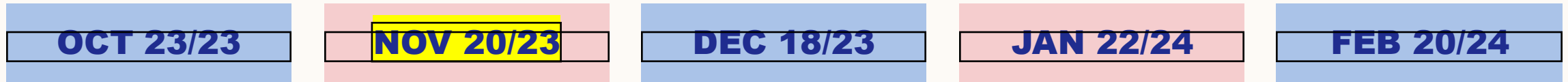
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- Judy McMullan
- Marion Fulcher
- Lynda Dionne
- Chris Robinson
- Pam Murdoch
- Jackie Stewart
- Janet Tataryn
- Megan Harris
- Suzanne Underwood
- Margaret Harrison
- Erica Seaton
- Maqbool Ahmad
- Karen & Josh MacDonald
- Donna Dalton
- Gillian Mann

MEETING SCHEDULE



What Happens if
Something Happens to
Me?

Housing Navigator

Family Respite
Options

RDSP's/Wills/
Ontario Micro
Boards

Journey to
Belonging

Presenter:
Sylvia Thornton &
Wendy Holliday

Presenter:
Sue Pereira, DSO

Dec 18?

Presenter:
TBD

Presenter:
Ministry Speaker



QUESTIONS?



THANK YOU !

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