



MARYLAND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COALITION

Dedicated to the rights and quality of life for people with developmental disabilities in Maryland

People with disabilities should have access to transportation and housing that allow them to live and travel in their communities. Accessible housing and transportation make it easier for people with disabilities to get to school, work, medical care, and social activities.

These bills make it easier for people with disabilities to live and travel in their communities.

HB58: Transportation – Paratransit Services – Interjurisdictional Routes

Requires county and local transportation services for people with disabilities and older adults to connect riders to specific medical facilities in other counties.

- This part of the law includes outdated language. An amendment is needed to fix it.

HB226/SB22: Department of Disabilities – Housing Programs and Affiliated Foundations – Establishment

Allows the Department of Disabilities to administer a Foundation to get money and work with partners to create affordable and accessible housing.

HB578/SB274: Fair Housing and Housing Discrimination – Regulations, Intent, and Discriminator Effect

Clarifies that we should look at whether an action has an unfair effect on access to fair housing, even if that wasn't the intention. It offers protections against unfair housing practices.

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