

Southeastern Ohio Center for Independent Living (SOCIL) – Coronavirus Protocol

The Southeastern Ohio Center for Independent Living is committed to protecting the health and safety of our consumers, community partners and staff. For that reason, the following protocol has been implemented and will be in effect for the immediate future. Please continue to watch our website and Facebook page for changes and updates.

Starting Tuesday, March 17, 2020, the Center will be restricting public access to the Lancaster and Logan offices. However, the offices will be staffed during all normal business hours and advocates will be available by phone and email to answer questions and provide other assistance.

SOCIL enforces that if any staff member is showing any symptoms that the CDC has listed as potential COVID-19, to stay home and stay away from consumers, if it is reasonable to work from home or take a sick day and most importantly see a doctor.

Until further notice all SOCIL staff will conduct business with consumers and community partners only via telephone and email.

In person meetings with other agencies will be cancelled and none scheduled until further notice.

No in person committee meetings will be attended unless there is a telephone or internet option.

Public workshops and events will not be scheduled until tentatively Monday, June 1.

SOCIL management is reviewing options that would allow staff to work remotely until the virus has been contained and health officials say it is ok to return to normal business.

SOCIL enforces hand washing with antibacterial soap or hand sanitizer containing at least 60% alcohol.

SOCIL enforces Sanitizing: keyboards, mouse, desktop surface, door handles, etc.

Staff will be asked to regularly sanitize their vehicles as well.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this newly implemented protocol, please call SOCIL at:

(740) 689-1494 or (740) 380-1475