

March 17, 2020

The Arc of Steuben received notice today that as of 5:00PM today, March 17th, all Day Habilitation and Pre-Vocational sites will be closed until further notice. This applies to the sites in both Bath and Hornell. Since we just received this directive details are still being worked out. Moving Day Hab services into the residential site where someone lives is acceptable. Stay tuned for more information in the coming days.

Information is always changing regarding the COVID-19 Do's and Don'ts. To promote social distancing and unnecessary travel the following is must be considered regarding committee, task force, or work group meetings. Here are series of screening questions to be asked before holding a committee, task force, or work group meeting.

1. What business is vital or crucial that needs to be address at a meeting?
  - a. Can this business be postponed or discussion or consensus be obtained via email or conference call?
2. When is the next meeting?
  - a. Again, if you have another meeting scheduled can the business be addressed then.

If you are interested in getting more information the hotline for the Department of Health 1-800-364-3065 or you can visit <https://health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/coronavirus/> for the latest updates.