# Who is GoodLife?

GoodLife is a national leader in the creation of innovative, enriching, and cost-effective service and support models. Since 1977, our mission has been to make a meaningful difference in the lives of those with intellectual or developmental disabilities and their families.

We provide a full spectrum of communitybased supports across the lifespan of need, developed and supported by our ongoing partnership with the University of Kansas Department of Applied Behavioral Sciences.



A life of dignity and independence is possible, no matter the challenge. We pair innovative home care services with technology to support our residents' independence.//



I'm so happy! This is my home and my family now. I love living here because I get to learn new things and make new friends."

- Ed, Shared Living Resident

What do those we serve have to say?



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# MAKING A MEANINGFUL DIFFERENCE

Serving individuals with disabilities and barriers to independence since 1977.

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#### **Our Mission**

Make a meaningful difference in the lives of persons with disabilities, aging adults, and those who support them.

#### **Our Key Outcomes**

We measure the quality of our care against these 11 performance outcomes:

- 1. Pleasant and safe surroundings
- 2. Observance of legal and personal rights
- 3. Positive relationships with others
- 4. Healthy Lifestyles
- 5. Opportunities for choice and control
- 6. Effective learning opportunities
- 7. High level of participation in daily experiences
- 8. Community involvement
- 9. Effective communication
- 10. Pleasant social
  - environment
- 11. Satisfied individuals

# GoodLife at a Glance

## **RESIDENTIAL SERVICES**

GoodLife's residential programs offer a variety of living arrangements developed around the level of need of the individual. Our residential models include:

- The Neighborhood Network
- Family Teaching Model
- Shared Living (aka. Professional Family Teaching Model)
- Intensive Support Homes

#### CHILDREN'S SERVICES

GoodLife's Johnson County Montessori School was established in 1965 to encourage children's love for learning and develop problem-solving skills to use day-to-day. JCMS resides on a beautiful campus surrounded by nature. Our Montessoricertified teachers provide individualized lessons using proven teaching methods.

#### TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT

Our TCMs make sure those we serve have support and assistance in accessing the services they need the most.

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#### TECHNOLOGY

iLink Technologies is GoodLife's innovative inhome technology system that maximizes an individual's abilities and encourages their independence and self-direction.

#### **DAY SERVICES**

Day Services are adult programs and activities that provide meaningful engagement designed to enrich lives. Individuals enrolled in Day Services participate in a variety of activities at our Day Service centers and in the community.

## **MIDNIGHT FARM**

Midnight Farm is a unique offering of GoodLife and allows individuals with disabilities the opportunity to work, learn, and grow in the natural beauty of a rural, 40-acre farm setting.

#### **BEHAVIORAL SERVICES**

Through our Quality Behavioral Support Services Clinic, our team of doctoral students supervised by a board certified behavioral analyst consult on severe problem behaviors and complex cases to develop programs that assist in meaningful skill building.



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