Widening the Circle Friendship Facilitator
Social Inclusion Consultant position available

Roles include
- Facilitate the work of agency partners through consultation, training, and progress review with agency team. Goal to develop friends between those with and without disabilities.
- Facilitate and participate in Regional Inclusion Network Meetings
- Facilitate & coordinate trainings or consultations outside of assigned agency partners
- Represent the project, as assigned, e.g., the DDS Quality Council, PBS State-Wide Advisory Group, Statewide Human Rights Advisory committee, Citizen Network US, etc.
- Participate in other meetings—including with DDS—as needed.
- Contribute to PATHWAYS reports, social media, articles, presentations, etc.
- Assist with any quality assurance activities
- The WTC team meets regularly as facilitators and quarterly with the Advisory Board

Qualifications: Understanding of and commitment to the importance of friendships between people with and without disabilities; understanding of the Department of Developmental Services system including provider agencies; Presentation and writing skills needed; leadership experience in mentoring, training and supporting others; ability to travel to agencies; and, flexibility in scheduling with the agencies and attending other Pathways meetings. Ideally the candidate will be based in Central Ma.

Position details: Part-time contracted position at 20 hours per week. $30-$35 per hour based on experience and knowledge. Some flexibility on hours worked.

Widening the Circle is a partnership program between the Dept. of Developmental Services, The Arc and partner agencies across the state. It includes Pathways to Friendship and a range of social inclusion activities with individuals, families, agencies, and other entities that can advance community opportunities. If interested, please forward cover letter and resume to arcmass@arcmass.org