**Ability Connection Wish List**

***“Life Change through Independence and Inclusion”***

**Group Homes**

* Property (homes, apartments, etc) to convert in order to expand our Group Homes
* Household furniture (New/Gently Used)
* Household appliances (New)
* Wheelchair accessible vans/busses/cars
* New Dishes
* New Glasses (plastic)
* New Silverware and Cooking Utensils
* New Towels (Bath Towels, Hand Towels, and Face Cloths)
* Professional Carpet Cleaning/Tile Steaming
* Outdoor and indoor painting services
* Professional Duct Cleaning
* New Televisions
* New Gas Grills
* New Toaster Ovens
* New Crock Pots
* Conversion Styler Vans
* Working Automobiles, Vans or Busses
* Sensor Trash Cans
* Portion Controller measuring /serving spoons with long handles

University House

* Two New or Used Recliners

Michael’s House

* Bathroom remodel/update

Jubilee House

* Bathroom Decor
* Dining Room Set

Wentworth House

* Sectional and Recliners
* Coffee table
* TV
* Patio Umbrella
* Dining room set

Ability House

* Living Room Set
* Dining room set
* Entertainment stand

**Fundraising and Awareness**

* Employment opportunities for adults with Special Needs
* Contracts for manufacture, cleaning, janitorial, landscaping, assembly etc for persons with special needs
* Retail office and shopping space
* Spaces (land, property, etc) to grow our training centers in other cities including: Austin, Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, Dallas metroplex, outlying areas.
* Spaces (to rent,) in churches, schools etc. with classrooms to operate our Training Centers, weekdays.
* Auction Items

**Training Centers**

**Health, Fitness, and Nutrition**

* Work out equipment including but not limited to free hand weights, traction mats, bike machines, treadmills, stair stepping machine, Velcro leg weights, boxing gloves, punching bags and pads,
* Speakers/Sound System for fitness studio (New or Gently Used)
* Adaptive Yoga props including but not limited to yoga blocks, blankets, bolsters, & non-slip towels
* Gym memberships for off campus clients
* Weight Watcher memberships

**Academics and Continuing Education**

* School Supplies including but not limited to pencils, scissors, tape (regular and double sided), copy paper (white and multi-color), erasers, pencil sharpeners, permanent markers, 1-inch hard cover binders
* Large Televisions: 42 inches or larger (New or Gently Used)
* Projector (New or Gently Used)
* Smart Tables (New or Gently Used)
* Globe
* Craft Supplies including but not limited to colored pencils, markers, crayons, jug of glue refill, paint (acrylic), paintbrushes, construction paper, canvases, glue sticks, magazines
* Games and Puzzles – 100 pieces and under

**Sensory Integration Materials**

* Bubble lights
* Interactive Power Cubes
* Interactive Fiber-Optic Light Source
* Florescent Road Set
* Lumiglow Panel with Light Pen
* Sparkle Light Box
* Disco Mirror Ball and Motor
* Rope Light
* Band in a Box
* Sensory Tactical Set

Gardening Supplies

* Vegetable Plants
* Potting Soil
* Leaf blower
* Small, Medium, and Extra Large Pots
* Gloves
* Hand Tools

Independent Living

* Houseware items such as utensils, burner plate, crockpot
* Iron (New or Gently Used)
* Clorox Wipes
* Windex
* Dish Soap
* Organizing Boxes (all sizes)
* Laundry Detergent
* “Tiny homes” for independence

Vocational Training

* Shredding Machines
* Headphones for computer lab (New)
* Laptops (New or Gently Used)
* HDMI Cords (New or Gently Used)
* IPads and Chargers (New or Gently Used)

External Community Inclusion

* Wheelchair accessible vans (New or Gently Used)
* Self-driving vehicles for clients to have transportation options
* All-terrain vehicle for clients on dirt roads

General supplies

* Hand Sanitizer
* Sanitizing Wipes
* Baby Wipes
* Paper towel rolls
* Disposable Cups
* Foam Plates
* Napkins
* Trash Bags
* Plastic Forks
* Plastic Spoons
* Medium and Large non-latex Gloves

**Gift Cards**

* Office Max
* Walmart
* Sam’s Club
* Amazon
* Teacher’s Tools
* Hobby Lobby
* Michael’s
* Home Depot
* Lowe’s
* Movie or sports tickets
* Any Gas Station

**Volunteers**

* Fitness coaches
* Nutritionist
* Art Teachers
* Readers for Reading Circle
* Music – to play or to teach
* Volunteers to teach cleaning, sewing, knitting, cooking
* Hair/Makeup & Personal Hygiene Teachers
* Job coaches
* Technology
* Volunteers to assist with large events such as Black and White Ball and the Texas State Fair.

**Other**

* Small office spaces
* RVs
* Airline miles
* Fax machine (new)
* Paper
* Tablets (New/Refurbished)
* Pens
* Staples and staplers
* Tape and dispensers
* Desk File Sorters (New/Refurbished)
* Portable scanners (New/Refurbished)
* Electric hole punch (New/Refurbished)
* Portable printers (New/Refurbished)
* ID badges
* Bank boxes (for purged filing)
* Decorative items – pictures, wall hangings, plants, etc