

REACH

Adult Day Program



A Community of Friends. A World of Opportunities.



The REACH Adult Day Program at the Center for Enriched Living, is a year-round day program for adults who want to learn new skills, connect with the community, grow, achieve personal success and THRIVE!

The REACH Adult Day Program provides members with opportunities to continue learning, make new friends and enjoy meaningful experiences throughout the day. For adults 22 years of age and older who have graduated from high school.

With an emphasis on community, REACH members spend approximately 70% of their time out and about connected to our more than 20 community partners, including: Lincoln Park Zoo, Marriott Hotels, Bernie's Book Bank, Deerfield Library, Botanic Garden and more! These community partners help us provide each member with a wide variety of experiences, from volunteer and work skills to recreation and social activities.

Working closely with staff, members determine monthly activities to incorporate a broad range of interests and activities - relationship building, job skills training, culinary arts, community explorations, creative expression, current events and more.

Each member works with staff to develop an annual **REACH for Success** plan, to help achieve individual goals throughout the year.

General Information

- For young adults who have graduated high school or are at least 22 years of age
- REACH runs year-round, Monday - Friday, from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm - choose from one or all five days!
- An extended day program is available for members who would like to start their day at 9:00 am
- Half-day options are available
- 6-, 9- and 12-month options available
- 6-month commitment required to begin
- Low member to staff ratio at 5:1, with additional staffing support available
- Free trial day allows you to experience how the program runs
- 30-day assessment month creates an opportunity to determine support needs and ensure program is a good fit
- Annual **REACH for Success** plan provides opportunities to achieve individual goals

Schedule your tour today!
Contact our Outreach Coordinator at
847.315.9920 or
[info@CenterForEnrichedLiving.org!](mailto:info@CenterForEnrichedLiving.org)

**"If I were to create my own program,
this would be it."**

- REACH Parent -



LEARN

Develop new independent living, work and communication skills



GROW

Explore new opportunities, experiences and events throughout the year



CONNECT

Enjoy meaningful connections in the community and with friends



ACHIEVE

Create your individualized REACH for Success plan to achieve your goals



THRIVE

Gain the skills, tools and confidence to create your own path towards success!

REACH higher with a program that is truly centered around you.

Call Outreach at 847.315.9920 and begin your journey today!

MISSION

CEL exists so that people with developmental disabilities can be fully included in the community, achieve personal success and enjoy a good quality of life.

VISION

We see a future where every person with a developmental disability is an equal, valued and contributing member of the community.