

AUCD Centers Serving Massachusetts

University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDDs) work with people with disabilities, members of their families, state and local government agencies, and community providers in projects that provide training, technical assistance, service, research, and information sharing, with a focus on building the capacity of communities to sustain all their citizens.

- **Eunice Kennedy Shriver Center**
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Website: <http://www.umassmed.edu/shriver>
- **Institute for Community Inclusion**
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Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LENDs) provide graduate-level interdisciplinary training as well as interdisciplinary services and care for infants, children and adolescents with disabilities.

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Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Centers (IDDRCs) represent the nation's first and foremost sustained effort to prevent and treat disabilities through biomedical and behavioral research.

- **Children's Hospital Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center**
Phone: 617-355-0566
Website: www.iddrc.org/childrens-hospital-boston/index.php



Disability in Massachusetts by the Numbers

\$ 7,042,871,115

Medicaid expenditures for long-term services and supports¹

786,595

Individuals with disabilities living in communities²

173,762

Students age 3-21 receive special education supports²

Employment

>38.6% of people with disabilities in MA are employed²
>80.0% of people without disabilities in MA are employed²

AUCD and Your Office

The Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD) supports a national network of university-based interdisciplinary programs in every U.S. state and territory. We are a trusted resource on disability policy issues and stand ready to connect you to resources, research and expertise in both policy and constituent service.

1. Eiken, S. et al., 2018. Medicaid Expenditures for Long-Term Services and Supports in FY 2016. IBM Watson Health

2. Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Childcount, www2.ed.gov

2. Lauer, E.A. & Houtenville, A.J., 2018. Annual Disability Statistics Compendium: 2017. Durham, NH: University of New Hampshire, Institute on Disability.