

WHAT WE DO

Residential Services provides 24/7 housing options for 250 individuals with special needs at 39 residential homes throughout Greenville County.

Day Programs & Employment Services engages individuals in community activities such as volunteering, exploring our beautiful parks, shopping, and playing sports. Employment Services helps Individuals become competitively employed through successful enclaves (supervised groups) or directly through hiring companies in Greenville County.

Head & Spinal Cord Injuries programs provide community based services and supports for individuals with acquired brain injuries, spinal cord injuries, or related disabilities. Our innovative program focuses on increasing individuals' capacity for independent living, community participation, and employment. We also partner with the Brain Injury Association of SC to provide a monthly support group for brain injury survivors and their families.

KidVentures serves to help children with developmental delays and disabilities from newborn to five years old reach their full potential.

Services are provided at no cost to families.



Established in 1971 as a registered non-profit 501 (c)(3), Thrive Upstate is the largest and oldest provider of services for people with disabilities and special needs in Greenville County.



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OUR MISSION

To provide all people with disabilities & special needs with meaningful services, opportunities, and support so they may thrive in life, work, and play.

**TOGETHER WE ARE
REDEFINING ABILITY**



Thrive Upstate supports individuals with intellectual disabilities, related disabilities, Autism Spectrum Disorder, traumatic brain injuries, & traumatic spinal cord injuries.



We Volunteer!



Our Workers at Pierburg




Andrew
receiving
25 + Years
of Service
Award
at
Embassy
Suites &
Golf Resort



COMMUNITY NAVIGATION



COMMUNITY CITIZENSHIP



COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT



Thrive Upstate
Day Services



THRIVING IN LIFE, WORK, AND PLAY

COMMUNITY WELLNESS



COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS



COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT



EMPLOYMENT PARTNERS

Bob Jones University
Bon Secours Wellness Arena
Budweiser
Caterpillar
Creform
Garrett's Golf Carts
Hotel Domestique
IH Services
Pierburg
Prisma Health System
Teknor Apex
UniFirst
And more!

To apply for a State waiver to receive Thrive Upstate services call the SC Office of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (OIDD) toll free: 800-289-7012.

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