

# Ohio | Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities

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Are you a college student dealing with physical, learning, autism, sensory, or mental health concerns? If you are, you will want to check out a new partnership between Ohio's state college and university system, the Ohio Department of Higher Education, Ohio businesses, and Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities (OOD). Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors are in 15 public colleges and universities around Ohio to help students with job placement, technology, and internships. OOD has also expanded its business relations team to connect college students with disabilities to internship and permanent employment opportunities.

Here at Miami University, Wendy Taylor is the Ohio College2Careers Counselor. Three days per week, Wendy's office is in The Miller Center for Student Disability Services in Shriver 304 on the Oxford campus. She spends a day per week at both Miami Middletown and Miami Hamilton campuses while also traveling to Miami West Chester as needed. She can be reached at [TaylorW7@MiamiOh.edu](mailto:TaylorW7@MiamiOh.edu) OR [Wendy.Taylor@ood.ohio.gov](mailto:Wendy.Taylor@ood.ohio.gov) OR 513-313-2111.

Ohio College2Careers aims for students with disabilities to have the support they need to complete their degree and/or credential, earn higher wages, and meet the demands of tomorrow's labor market.

Some of the services available through Ohio College2Careers include:

- Career exploration & counseling
- Assistive technology
- Resume and interview preparation
- Internships & permanent employment
- Assistance navigating OhioMeansJobs resources
- Connection to an expansive employer partner network

Want to learn more about OOD? It's the state agency that helps individuals with disabilities get careers and keep careers. OOD serves individuals with physical, intellectual, and sensory disabilities as well as mental health disorders. Further information about OOD and its services is available at [www.ood.ohio.gov](http://www.ood.ohio.gov).

Meet with Wendy to find out if you are eligible for services.

**YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE REGISTERED WITH THE MILLER CENTER FOR STUDENT DISABILITY SERVICES TO WORK WITH COLLEGE2CAREERS.**

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