



MISSION

MPower works to empower adults with developmental disabilities to contribute to the community through a variety of meaningful training and employment opportunities and to live as independently as possible.

IMPACT AREA

- Financial Security
- Healthy Community

PURPOSE

MPower serves people in Payne County with intellectual and developmental disabilities by addressing barriers to employment, independence, and community inclusion.

SERVICES

Services include paid work opportunities, job training, job development, and job placement, helping people build the skills and confidence needed to secure and maintain employment.

RESULT

Before graduating from high school, a client had the primary goal to live independently. The client participated in the vocational program immediately after graduation, leading to successful placement in a community job. With consistent support and job coaching, the skills and confidence needed to perform the job independently were developed. As independence increased, staff gradually faded their support, and employment has been successfully maintained without ongoing assistance.