## Peer Counseling and Independent Living Skills Training

Age Requirements No Age Requirement Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria Persons with intellectual disabilities residing in the service area Family No **Intake Process** Call the office Self Refer Yes Insight Enterprises, Peninsula Center for Independent Living http://www.hvacil.org https://www.hvacil.org/our-services Main (757) 827-0275 **Toll-Free** (800) 339-3269 TTY/TTD (757) 827-8800 2021 A Cunningham Drive 23666 VA United States Fee Structure No Fee Languages Spoken English

Insight Enterprises, Peninsula Center for Independent Living's staff will assist individuals with intellectual disabilities to develop and achieve independence and self-reliance. Participants develop a plan to achieve maximum independence and set goals towards that independence. Through counseling, sharing of experiences in coping with the effects of disability, participants learn about the needs and resources to achieve their goal. Peer counseling can be on an individual basis, as well as group support. Also provides encouragement and information about community resources, sharing insights and perspectives from personal experience.

Independent Living Skills: Individual and group training is provided in several categories including: personal assistant management, building self-esteem, money management, navigating ones environment, self-advocacy and much more. All programs are designed to meet individual needs.

Service Area(s) Gloucester County

Hampton City

James City County

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Williamsburg City

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