



Thank you!

During the 2014 fiscal year, more than 800 individuals with disabilities have received services, from our 14 dedicated staff members. Careful budgeting allows our staff to serve many individuals; however the need far exceeds our current funding.

Bottom line - we are a small staff, but with your help and that of many others, we are delivering our mission to integrate, build, and strengthen abilities for all individuals with disabilities.

Thank You!

What We Do

Ability 1st Utah is celebrating our 14th year in business, as a non-residential, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization committed to the Independent Living Philosophy. We provide programs and services to people with disabilities of any age and any type of disability in Utah, Juab, Wasatch and Sanpete Counties. Our Center assists each individual to live independently at little or no cost to them.

Our four core services are: advocacy, peer support, information & referral, and independent living skills training. Our staff provides community integration activities and transition services to individuals with disabilities requesting to live in an independent living setting of their choice.

In addition we make available, to our consumers, assistive technology evaluation services, program specific transportation services, and maintain a free equipment loan bank, consisting of used adaptive equipment.

Ability 1st Utah's programs truly empowers people with disabilities to live productive successful and self determined lives. And while we are able to report outcomes (see reverse side), what is more difficult to measure is increased self-confidence and independence. Our consumers say that makes all the difference.





Executive Director's Message

Sandra M. Curcio

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our 2014, 5K & 10K, Race sponsors for their continued support.

Out thanks goes to... Central Bank, Zion's Bank, Utah Community Credit Union, America First Credit Union, Molina Health Care, and Petersen Medical for their generous monetary contributions.

A big "Thank You," also goes to Olive Garden for their dedicated assistance of staff volunteers, gifts, and bottle water. And lets not forget the 48, helpful and loyal businesses for their wonderful "In-kind" donations that were given as prizes for race participants!

This success was completed with the enormous efforts and dedication of Ability 1st Utah's staff.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and Staff, we hope the annual report gives you a glimpse of the impact Ability 1st Utah has made on the many lives of people with disabilities in our communities.

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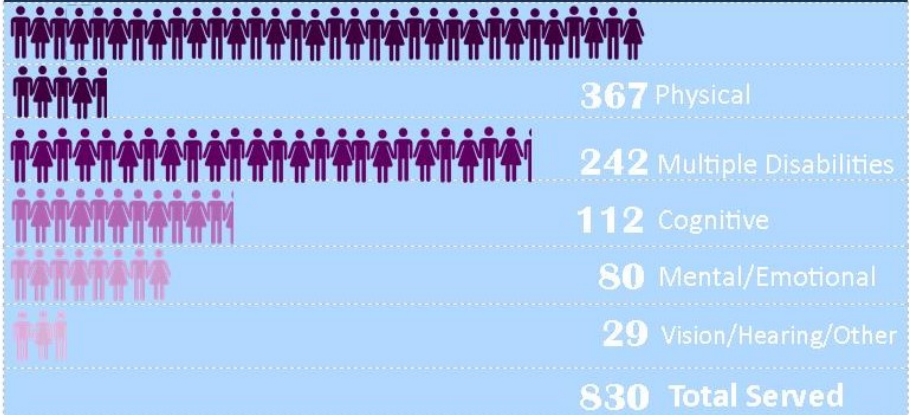
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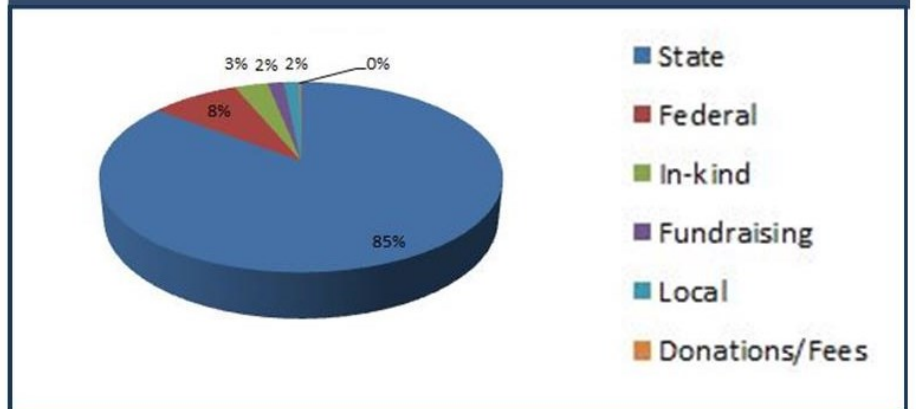
TYPES OF DISABILITIES SERVED



ANNUAL 5K & 10K RUN, WALK, & ROLL RACE



FUNDING SOURCES FY2014 - TOTAL FUNDING \$634,609



What's next?

As a result of your support we are having a remarkable year and helping more individuals than ever before!

To learn about the exciting things we are doing to support a more independent disability community, contact us.

Our website is at ability1stutah.org and you can follow our activities at [Facebook/ability1stutah.org](https://www.facebook.com/ability1stutah.org)

