

Improving the Lives of Older Adults and People with Disabilities Through Services, Research, and Education

December 14, 2020

Kevin Flynn SILC Chair 2176 Raeburn Drive Cincinnati, OH 45223

Dear Mr. Flynn,

The Administration for Community Living (ACL) has reviewed and approved the State of Ohio's FY2021-2023 State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL). In accordance with Title VII, Chapter 1, Section 704(a)(1) of the Rehabilitation Act, as amended, Ohio is eligible to receive FY2021-2023 financial assistance under this chapter.

During the SPIL cycle, the Statewide Independent Living Council, the Designated State Entity, and the Centers for Independent Living are responsible for ensuring that the SPIL assurances and activities are implemented in accordance with the SPIL and all applicable federal requirements.

If you have questions related to your State's SPIL approval, implementation, or amendments during FY2021-2023, contact Program Officer, Regina Blye at 202-795-7374, or <u>Regina.Blye@acl.hhs.gov</u>.

We appreciate your continuing efforts to promote the independent living, empowerment, and community integration of individuals with significant disabilities in your state.

Sincerely,

Julie Hocker Commissioner Administration on Disabilities