

Benefits of Connecting to Natural Supports

- #1 Additional support to reinforce interventions and efforts being shaped during scheduled sessions with clinical staff and ES (homework help).
- #2 Ability to access more resources to get hired (clothing, transportation).
- #3 Opportunity to network with more individuals through a warm referral system (family or natural support job connection).
- #4 Family and/or natural supports carry more weight (they have often known the client much longer).
- #5 Increase social activities that promote job satisfaction. Think outside of self. Improved relationship skills. Strengths are self-identified and bolster empowerment.