

## Facts About The Arc Minnesota

Organization The Arc Minnesota is a nonprofit 501(c)3 advocacy

organization founded in Minnesota more than 70 years ago by

parents of children with disabilities. The organization provides information and assistance, advocacy, and training

and education for people with intellectual and

developmental disabilities and their families throughout their lifetime. The Arc advocates for systems change at the local,

state and national level.

Mission The Arc Minnesota promotes and protects the human rights

of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, actively supporting them and their families in a lifetime of

full inclusion and participation in their communities.

Vision To pursue lasting community change and connections that

support people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families in creating a good life.

Persons Served In 2018, The Arc Minnesota supported more than 16,000

individuals by addressing their immediate needs, navigating eligibility, identifying options and providing education and training to address issues that arise across their lifespan.

Communities Served The Arc Minnesota supports people with intellectual and

developmental disabilities throughout the state.

Employees The Arc staff includes full-time and part-time professional

advocates, administrative staff and retail staff at Arc's

Value Village Thrift Stores and Donation Centers.

**Volunteers** Volunteers contributed more than 16,000 hours of support in

2018.

Funding The Arc Minnesota operates with a budget of more than \$4

million. Advocacy, programs, and services that directly benefit people are made possible through the generosity of individual

donors, corporations and foundations.

**Information** Learn more at arcminnesota.org