

## WHAT DO CIRCLES DO?

- ❖ Bring ideas to the circle
- ❖ Bring their connections to the circle
- ❖ Create a vision for the future for the person around whom the circle forms
- ❖ Learn to think differently about community life
- ❖ Spend time together
- ❖ Strengthen families
- ❖ Help find houses and apartments
- ❖ Help furnish and decorate homes
- ❖ Go horseback riding
- ❖ Do yard work
- ❖ Play together
- ❖ Celebrate birthdays
- ❖ Build relationships and friendships
- ❖ Worship together
- ❖ Help human service providers and educators be responsive to the person who the circle supports
- ❖ Teach community members about the value of people's gifts
- ❖ Go to the fair
- ❖ Go out for dinner
- ❖ Go shopping
- ❖ Find jobs
- ❖ Fly a kite
- ❖ Find a flag
- ❖ Find and train pets
- ❖ Plan vacations
- ❖ Safeguard
- ❖ Find room mates
- ❖ Plan weddings
- ❖ Volunteer together
- ❖ Go to a ball game
- ❖ Help with the hard things
- ❖ Celebrate successes