

Capital Campaign Final Phase

AbilityFirst is pleased to announce the final phase of its capital campaign to renovate the Lawrence L. Frank and Long Beach Centers. To date, AbilityFirst has raised over \$5.5 million, more than 97 percent of its \$5.9 million capital campaign goal. We have only \$204,000 left to raise.

The Building Independence, Celebrating Community capital campaign will transform how our programs are delivered at the newly renovated Lawrence L. Frank Center, and at the Long Beach Center. These sites are the central hubs for our expanding Supported Employment, ExploreAbility, PossAbility, College to Career, and After-School program.

"My grandfather and the founders of the Crippled Children's Society would be so proud to see the newly renovated Lawrence L. Frank Center," said Richard Frank, board member and chair of the AbilityFirst capital campaign. "We have so many people to thank from our staff to volunteers, to our donors and vendors who have kindly invested in our common vision of making AbilityFirst a better place for all."

We are in the final phases of renovations at the Lawrence L. Frank Center, and we will successfully conclude the Campaign with an early fall ribbon cutting ceremony at the newly renovated Lawrence L. Frank Center. The renovation of the Long Beach Center will be completed by the end of 2021.

To learn more about our Capital Campaign, naming opportunities and to make a donation, please contact:
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We are pleased to announce the gradual reopening of several of our Centers. Our newly renovated Centers are being designed to be a welcoming place for the 2,000 program participants we serve annually.



Activities at our Centers include arts and crafts, dancing, and yoga



Renovations at the Long Beach Center include the indoor pool where participants enjoy therapeutic warm water aquatics and water safety programs



Newly renovated teaching kitchen at the Lawrence L. Frank Center



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