ACE: Arts and Community Explorations at SHALOM Denver



The Arts and Community Explorations (ACE) program is an arts, music, and culture-based day program for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Clients participate in vibrant and creative art projects, group and individual music therapy, cultural and holiday explorations, and community trips and tours to area attractions such as local art galleries/studios, museums, nature walks, recreation centers, and downtown adventures. Daily offerings include arts and crafts activities, "tool" time, modified yoga and meditation, exercise and dance, and engaging games. Additionally, special guests from partner organizations teach art workshops, music therapy, and animal therapy several times each month.

The ACE program is located in a newly remodeled, clean, and spacious environment conducive to clients working in small groups and individually on a variety of projects and activities. Dedicated staff are kind and caring, working to address individual needs as well as empower clients to learn new skills, increase socialization, and work safely. Transportation to and from the ACE program is provided by RTD's Access-A-Ride and private or contracted transportation services.

For further information and to schedule a visit, please contact Heather Dawson, ACE Program Manager, at 303.623.0251 x 203 or hdawson@jewishfamilyservice.org.

