

The ABLE Network - Financial Considerations

Transcript

Barb Allan: The biggest challenge that the ABLE Network has is funding. We would love to be available to everyone at no cost, but we can't be, so we are a fee-for-service program, which means parents, families have to pay for their son or daughter to come here. Most people are full-time, but some can only afford to come part-time. Joan and are volunteers, we have one and a half paid employees, but we rely on a lot of volunteers to give up their time to get things working. We've had a few fundraisers and that's a lot of work, but it also provides a lot of awareness for the program. And ideally we would get funded by the government, but we don't.

(More information: http://www.theablenetwork.ca/)

