The goal of UCP/Detroit is to promote “Life without Limits” by working to advance the independence of all people with disabilities, supporting their right to self-determination and community inclusion.

The goal of the Annual “Life without Limits through Assistive Technology” Conference is to provide access to information, resources to families, individuals with disabilities and professionals.

The mission of United Cerebral Palsy of Metropolitan Detroit (UCP/Detroit) is to advance the independence of all people with disabilities while supporting their right to self-determination and inclusion through programs that focus on person centered advocacy, employment and assistive technology.

Past Vendors Included:

- Michigan Elder Justice Initiative
- Alt + Shift
- Vispero
- Amigo Mobility
- Michigan Alliance for Families
- UCP Michigan ATLF
- Euro-Peds
- Creative Mobility Group
- Kids In Motion
- Milestones Assistive Therapy
- Disability Network Oakland Macomb
- Michigan Medicine Wheelchair Seating Service
- Oakland Mediation Center
- Mobility Works
- MPAS (ADA Michigan)
- U of M Rehab Engineering Research
- OCCMHA
- Michigan Medicine - Med Rehab

And Many More...!
~CONFERENCE/EXPO~

The Expo will include vendors that can either provide assistive technology products or help you learn to navigate the process of obtaining assistive technology products.

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration/Continental Breakfast/Vendors/Welcome

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Breakout Sessions

- Practical Interventions to Enhance Gross Motor Skills in Children (Part I of a 4 part series) - Patricia Robinson, PT
- Communication (Beginning Stages) - Karen Tibbs, MS, OTRL
- Wheelchair Seating and Positioning - Julie Mannlein, PT, ATP

10:00 a.m. - 10:10 a.m. Break/Vendors

10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m. Breakout Sessions

- Supporting Students in General Education Classrooms (part II of a 4 part series) - Karen Tibbs, MS, OTRL
- The Intensive Physical Therapy Approach for All Ages - Michelle Haney, PT MSPT/Director of Euro-Peds
- Funding for Complex Mobility Devices and Seating System - Melissa Wright

11:10 a.m. - 11:20 p.m. Break/Vendors

11:20 a.m. - 12:20 p.m. Breakout Sessions

- Considering Assistive Technology (Part III of 4 part series) - Makia Alexander & Shekenia Mann, AT Coordinators Ann Arbor Schools
- AT and Public Policy - Paul Johnson III, Disability Network Wayne County
- Vision Deficits and Safe Mobility - Beverlee Kerby, MOT, OTRL Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
- Funding Assistive Technology: Options and Strategies - Brenda Henige, UCP/Michigan

12:20 p.m. - 1:20 p.m. Lunch

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Breakout Sessions

- Considering Assistive Technology (Part IV of 4 part series) - Makia Alexander & Shekenia Mann, AT Coordinators Ann Arbor Schools
- Accessible Documents - Jenell Williams, Oakland & Macomb Disability Network
- More Than Just “Checking the Box” - Carolyn O’Hearn, Alt + Shift

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Vendors/Final Evaluations