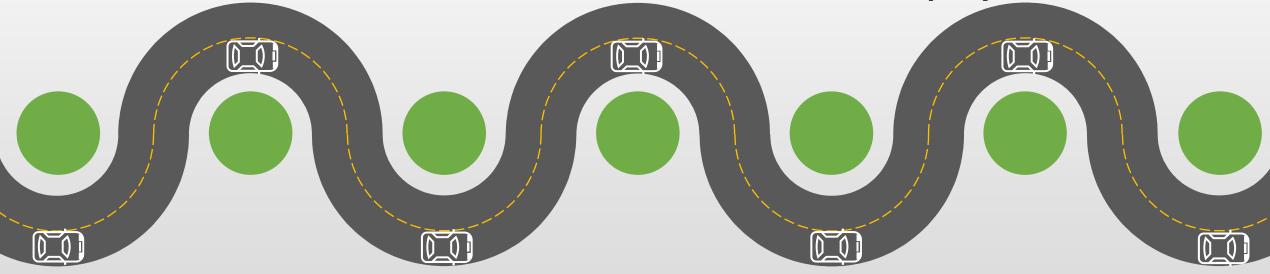
Stepping into Adulthood: What Next A Journey Map

2. Address Legal/Financial Issues

(Applying for Social Security, Medicare/Medicaid, Set up Special Needs Trust, Able accounts, Durable Power of Attorney or Guardianship) 4. Determine options and secure employment. Integrate a job coach.

6. Match needs with longer term living options to maximize capacity.



 Contact the State Services point of

> **entry.** (In Kansas, that is the Centers for Developmental Disabilities Organization. Each county has a CDDO.)

3. Expand the Team

(Personal Care Attendant Services/Targeted Case Management Services) 5. Find structured opportunities to socialize, express self, hobbies and interests.

7. Consider support groups and advocacy networks. Learn from and help others.