The purpose of this study is to explore the experiences of parents of autistic young adults who have supported their child through high school transition planning and into achieving competitive, integrated employment.

What am I being asked to do? If you agree to be in this study, you will be asked to:

What: Return one signed consent form to the researcher by email to silv0100@umn.edu

Where: Zoom Video Conference or In-person if in the Minneapolis-St. Paul metro

How: Participate in a Zoom interview that may take 60-90 minutes

When: The researcher will notify you regarding date and time

Audiotaping: The researcher would like to record the audio of your Zoom interview or in-person interview

Location

• In-person interviews or through Zoom

Are you eligible?

You can participate in this study if you:

- Are the parent of a young autistic adult (18 or older)
- Your child has been employed in at least one competitive, integrated job. Competitive, integrated employment is a job in the same environment and that pays the same wage as people who are not autistic.
- Speak and understand English

If you are unsure if you meet the requirements, please call or email the study investigator:

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