



Mission Statement

The Maine Statewide Independent Living Council (SILC) is dedicated to ensuring that people with disabilities have control over their lives, environments, and equal access to options, opportunities and choices as do all citizens.

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Independent Living Council
(SILC)**

**Guiding the future of Independent
Living in Maine**

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Membership of the Maine Statewide Independent Living Council is appointed by the Governor



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Independent Living philosophy emphasizes that people with disabilities are the best experts on their own needs. Individuals should have the ability to decide how to live, work, and take part in their communities.

SILC supports these efforts by influencing public policy and promoting opportunities for individuals with disabilities to live independently in all facets of their lives.

The Maine SILC is an independent nonprofit organization that is not contained within any State agency.

2021-2023 Maine SILC Goals State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL)

Promote awareness of Independent Living Services for those with disabilities around the state.

Consistently strive for Maine SILC membership.

Explore and identify the best agency to serve as Designated State Entity.

Advance emergency preparedness supports and services.

Collaborate to improve access to transportation for people with disabilities.