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## The Arc Eastern Connecticut Receives Grant from Eastern CT Savings Bank Foundation

The Eastern CT Savings Bank Foundation presented The Arc Eastern Connecticut with a \$1,387 grant to assist people with limited mobility at its day program in Norwich. The grant, in combination with a grant from the Dime Bank Foundation, will cover the costs of a hydraulic lift and sling to help people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, many of whom are medically fragile, move from place to place comfortably. The equipment is also extremely effective in preventing staff injuries caused by manually lifting people.

To learn more about The Arc ECT's day services and its other programs throughout eastern Connecticut, please visit *TheArcECT.org* or contact Denise Tift at (860) 889-4435, ext. 116.