

ADAPTIVE GUIDES OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP SCHOOL



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Outdoor Leadership School

- Leadership
- Service
- Safety
- Independence
- Ethics
- Stewardship

Mission

The **THERAPEUTIC ADVENTURES—ADAPTIVE GUIDES – Outdoor Leadership School (AG-OLS)** has a threefold mission:

- (1) to develop state of art “best practices” – a progressive and inclusive curriculum of leadership development, critical thinking and decision making, safety, ethics and adaptive outdoor skills development;
- (2) to recruit, educate and prepare qualified adaptive outdoor leaders, instructors, mentors and family members using our unique and integrative approach – providing them with necessary skills to safely lead, instruct and guide persons of all ages with differing abilities (physical and/or developmental disabilities, chronic medical illnesses, and other special health needs);
- (3) to improve the quality of life of *all* persons as they participate in adaptive outdoor sport, recreation and leisure pursuits (water, snow and wilderness) in the outdoors.