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## NEWS JOURNAL NAMES CHOICES FOR COMMUNITY LIVING A WINNER OF THE DELAWARE TOP WORKPLACES 2021 AWARD

**Dover** – Choices for Community Living (CCL) has been awarded a Top Workplaces 2021 honor by News Journal Top Workplaces Top Workplaces. The list is based solely on [employee feedback](#) gathered through a third-party survey administered by employee engagement technology partner [Energage](#) LLC. The anonymous survey uniquely measures 15 culture drivers that are critical to the success of any organization: including alignment, execution, and connection, just to name a few.

"During this very challenging time, Top Workplaces has proven to be a beacon of light for organizations, as well as a sign of resiliency and strong business performance," said Eric Rubino, Energage CEO. "When you give your employees a voice, you come together to navigate challenges and shape your path forward. Top Workplaces draw on real-time insights into what works best for their organization, so they can make informed decisions that have a positive impact on their people and their business."

"This is a fantastic recognition for CCL," said Jennifer Saunders, CEO of Choices in Community Living. "We are so proud that the positive culture and atmosphere at CCL has been acknowledged with this top workplace award. We have an amazing team who are dedicated to giving their best to the people we support, and their energy and enthusiasm shines through with an award like this."

"We are delighted to have been designated as a Top Workplace by our workforce at CCL for the second year in a row," said Katina Scott, Statewide Director of CCL. "We, at CCL, strongly believe in the values of teamwork and respect, as well as empowerment of our employees. These cultural values in which we are so dedicated to, is the driving force behind us receiving this wonderful award once again. Our caring staff at CCL strives every day to provide outstanding supports and services to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities in Delaware, and this award is another great recognition of our workplace culture."

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### **About Choices for Community Living**

Choices for Community Living Delaware, Inc. (CCL Delaware), is a subsidiary of Liberty ARC, the Montgomery County Chapter of The Arc New York. CCL Delaware has provided top-quality supports and services to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities since its founding in February 2004. Today, the agency provides services to 73 individuals throughout the state; including residential, day, and hourly support. Our mission is, “to enable persons with disabilities, their families, and other individuals in need to achieve a quality of life driven by choice.” Since 2009, CCL Delaware has been accredited by The Council on Quality and Leadership (CQL), based on our implementation of person-centered services and supports, and their impact on supported individual’s quality of life.

### **About Liberty ARC**

Liberty ARC, the Montgomery County Chapter of The Arc New York, is a not-for-profit agency that provides top-quality supports and services to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. We are proud of our six decades of bringing these innovative and valuable programs to those most vulnerable in our community. While staying committed to our framework the agency has grown our employment, residential, day supports, family support and health-related programming throughout the years. Our mission- *Together we support people with disabilities to achieve a quality of life each person values* - together with our *Values* make up the foundation on which our culture is framed. We are extremely proud to be a pioneering agency, which coupled with a dynamic workforce and our person-centered mission makes Liberty ARC a stand-out in our field.

### **About Energage**

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Energage is a purpose-driven company that helps organizations turn employee feedback into useful business intelligence and credible employer recognition through Top Workplaces. Built on 14 years of culture research and the results from 23 million employees surveyed across more than 70,000 organizations, Energage delivers the most accurate competitive benchmark available. With access to a unique combination of patented analytic tools and expert guidance, Energage customers lead the competition with an engaged workforce and an opportunity to gain recognition for their people-first approach to culture. For more information or to nominate your organization, visit [energage.com](http://energage.com) or [topworkplaces.com](http://topworkplaces.com).