



**Our Mission:** BIND provides tools and a bridge of support to adult brain injury survivors so they can reconnect into life, the community and workplace.



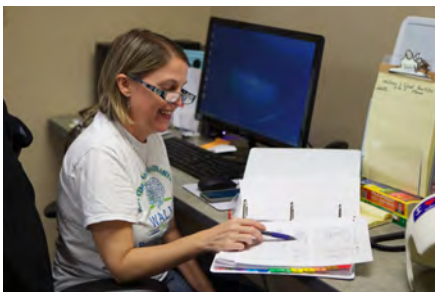
### What is BIND?

BIND is a nonprofit community center for adults living with the effects of an acquired brain injury. The program, called Clubhouse, exists to support the realization of meaningful and productive life after an acquired brain injury. BIND operates the only Brain Injury Clubhouse programs in the state of Texas and is a proud member of the International Brain Injury Clubhouse Alliance (IBICA).



### Employment Services at BIND

Staff and program members work together to run all aspects of a clubhouse program, from answering phones, developing the newsletter and cleaning the facility - creating an ideal environment to practice skills necessary for returning to the workplace. Work Readiness programming includes an evaluation of prior work history, benefits assessment, and a strengths and interests inventory. Members receive structured training in addition to participating in the typical work-ordered day at BIND through PSAT (Personal Social Adjustment Training) and SE (Supported Employment) services aim at job placement and stability for 6 months. Overall, BIND employment programming provides an opportunity to explore options for employment in the short and long term.



Prospective members are encouraged to submit an application to BIND even if they do not have a TWC counselor.

The Membership Application (English and Spanish) is available on the BIND website page "What We Do"

### Membership Qualifications

- 18 years of age or older
- Independent with self-care
- Not a threat to self or others
- Have a documented brain injury
- Motivated to return to work
- Commit to attend 3 days/week



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