



An INCLUDE Initiative

Mobile Sensory Dignity Space

A calm, sensory-friendly RV where autistic and disabled kids can reset — then return to the fun.



The Problem

Events aren't built for every nervous system.

Festivals, parades, sports days, and community gatherings move fast and loud. For autistic and disabled children, the noise, crowds, lights, and chaos can quickly become too much — and there is rarely anywhere to go.

1 in 6 children

in the U.S. has a developmental disability — and most are quietly excluded from full community life.



Today, families end up in cars, bathrooms, or going home early.

01

Cars become the only quiet room.

Parents drive their child away from the event — and a planned family memory becomes a recovery trip.

02

Bathrooms get used as bunkers.

Loud, fluorescent, hard surfaces — the very last place a sensory-overloaded child should be sent to calm.

03

Families leave hours early.

"Welcome to everyone" becomes "welcome until we have to go." Inclusion that ends at the parking lot isn't inclusion.

The Solution

A Mobile Sensory Dignity Space.

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Retrofitted

A used Type C RV reimaged as a calm, low-stim reset space.

Mobile

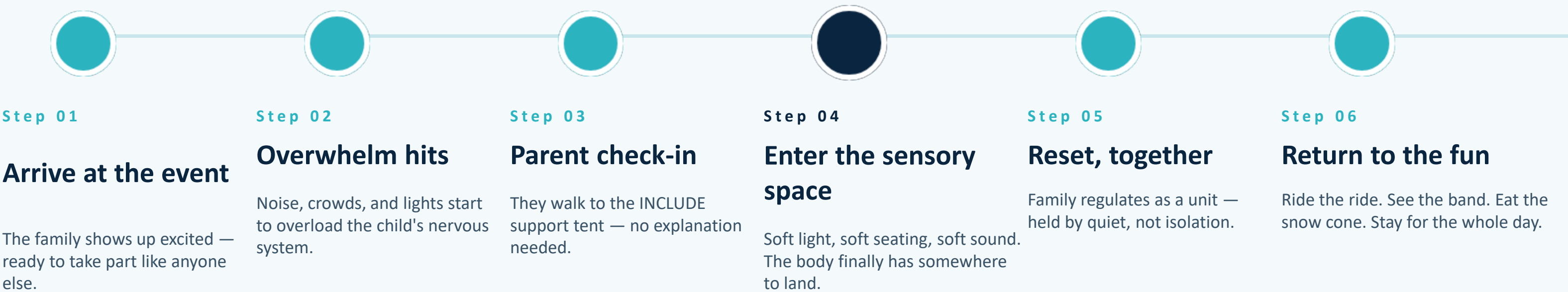
Brought to the events families already want to attend.

Staffed

Trained support and a parent check-in tent right outside.



From overwhelm to reset — without leaving the event.



The win: the family stays. The day still counts. That is practical inclusion — not symbolic welcome.

Designed for the body, not just the room.

Soft, dimmable lighting

Warm, low-glare light replaces fluorescent flicker.

Sensory tools & fidgets

Headphones, tactile kits, calm visuals — chosen by need.

Trained support

Staff and volunteers prepared in respectful, non-clinical care.

Comfortable seating

Bean bags, soft sofas, weighted options for grounding.

Low-stim interior

Muted palette, sound dampening, predictable layout.

Parent check-in tent

A visible front door — no chasing staff, no explaining a meltdown.

Dignity, comfort, and true inclusion — built into the floor plan.



The Funding Goal

\$65,000

to purchase and outfit a used Type C RV
and launch the Mobile Sensory Dignity Space.

Acquire

A reliable used Type C RV chassis ready for retrofit.

Outfit

Interior conversion, sensory tools, soft lighting and seating.

Launch

Branding, training, and event-ready setup gear.



Where your \$65,000 goes.

Illustrative funding framework — final amounts will be confirmed at acquisition. Not audited line items.



Used Type C RV (chassis) A reliable, road-ready unit suitable for retrofit.	\$30,000	~46%
Interior conversion & build-out Sound dampening, soft seating, calm palette, lighting design.	\$15,000	~23%
Sensory tools & supports Noise-cancelling headphones, weighted items, fidgets, calm visuals.	\$8,000	~12%
Support equipment & check-in tent Parent tent, signage, intake materials, communication tools.	\$6,000	~9%
Launch readiness Branding wrap, staff training, insurance, first-season operations.	\$6,000	~10%



Total Goal

\$65,000

One mobile unit. Every event. Every family who needs it.

Every gift moves the budget. Smaller donations are pooled to fund whole categories.

Timeline

On the road by March 2027.

A focused, donor-funded path from acquisition to the first families served.



Donor decisions made this season are what put this unit on the road by March 2027.



Regional Impact

Built for Richmond. Ready to roll beyond.

The Mobile Sensory Dignity Space will serve families across the Richmond region — and travel to community events, festivals, and partner organizations beyond it. One unit, one calendar, many neighborhoods.

Richmond

Home base — anchored in the community we already serve.

Region

Mobile by design — meeting families where events already happen.

Beyond

A replicable model — proof that practical inclusion travels.

Every family deserves a community event they're allowed to stay at.



Donor Call to Action

Every gift helps put the mobile unit on the road.

Friend of INCLUDE

\$100

Funds sensory tools — headphones, fidgets, and calm-down kits — for a season of events.

Community Partner

\$1,000

Outfits a full corner of the unit — soft seating, lighting, or a parent check-in tent.

Founding Funder

\$10,000+

Underwrites a major build phase — chassis, conversion, or full launch season.

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Thank You

Let's give every family a way to stay.

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