

VIRTUAL EVENT:

MCFI's Dennise
Banks is presenter

MCFI's
HR Vice
President,
Denise
Banks,



will be a presenter at
Leading Talent
Development in 2020:
Successes, Lessons
Learned, Moving
Forward.

The event is brought to
you by MMAC's Talent
Matters' series partner,
Southeastern Wisconsin
Chapter Association for
Talent Development. It
will be held from 8:30
a.m. to 10 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 22.

Besides Denise,
representatives from
FISERV and American
Family Insurance will
share successes and
lessons learned as they
navigated through one of
the most uncertain times
of this generation. They
will also share their
insights for strategies
moving forward as we
continue to provide talent
development expertise in
the new world of work.
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event [here](#):



REMOTE CONTROL

Virtual programs improve client's reality

Ronnie Fuller's life changed dramatically in 2018, when he experienced a brain injury and lost oxygen for 40 minutes.

"It's a miracle he's alive," said his wife, Michelle. But Ronnie, 48, and his family grapple with the aftermath. "He can't write. He has trouble feeding himself. He can't walk."

Michelle explained that Ronnie's brain injury was the result of a drug overdose: Medication he was taking gave him suicidal thoughts, and he acted on them.

With two children, ages 6 and 21, the injury has added undue stress on the family. Michelle is his sole caregiver since Ronnie was discharged from an inpatient brain rehab program last November. So she was thrilled to find out about MCFI's Brain Health program, where Ronnie could interact with others while relearning skills to be more self-sufficient.

When COVID-19 forced Brain Health to temporarily

suspend in-person programming, Ronnie started talking MCFI's [remote offerings](#) – he participates in activities like brain games, music and reading activities Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. “It’s fun, I learn something,” Ronnie said. “I get to talk to other people.” Michelle agreed: “The online program is great. Routine is good for him. There are a lot of different activities for him. He’s getting social interaction online. It makes me happy he’s involved.”

Thank you: We are humbled by your gifts!

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- [The MKE Responds Fund](#), \$25,000 to support unfunded food service needs to provide meals for students
- [The Harley-Davidson Foundation](#), \$10,000 to support refrigeration needed to safely store meal packs before they are distributed to children
- [The Jane Bradley Pettit Foundation](#), \$10,000 to support MCFI’s medical day care program.
- [United Heartland](#), who provided us with 50 cloth masks and 2 boxes of surgical masks



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