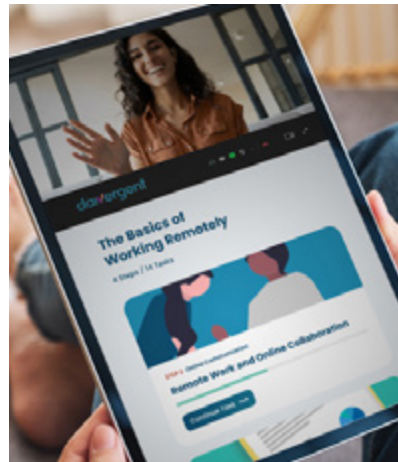




**SHOWCASE**

## Daivergent

### Building Bridges to Employment for Neurodiverse Communities



Founder Byran Dai created Daivergent to build the safety net his brother never had as his family struggled to navigate a fragmented system for adults with intellectual disabilities.

**Today, Daivergent is transforming the future of work with a platform designed for the 70 million Americans who are neurodivergent or living with disabilities.**

As the first reimbursable job coaching platform, Daivergent delivers virtual, individualized workforce training and coaching to help students and adults build skills, explore careers and achieve meaningful employment and independence. Families can access services via Medicaid, vocational rehabilitation or private pay.

With support from the Social Impact Funds, Daivergent has scaled from two states to six, expanded into school systems and launched a national private-pay program, making career readiness more accessible from age 14 through adulthood.

#### THE CHALLENGE

**70M** Americans are neurodivergent or living with disabilities

#### DAIVERGENT IMPACT

**83%** success rate in job placement, education & vocational training

This is **3x** the industry average

**200%** increase in states served

In the past year alone, Daivergent supported 455 students and adults, achieving an 83% success rate in job placement, education and vocational training — three times the industry average. The Social Impact Funds' backing also helped Daivergent strengthen its data infrastructure, enabling the company to demonstrate measurable outcomes and secure state approvals to deliver workforce development and training services through state-funded vocational rehabilitation programs.

Through partnerships with schools, Daivergent now delivers pre-employment transition services to students as young as 14, providing laptops, headsets and customized curricula for self-advocacy, workplace skills and career exploration. Adults benefit from one-on-one coaching, skill-building classes and job placement support — all delivered virtually by top-tier educators and employment specialists.

By reimagining how neurodiverse individuals build skills, find meaningful work and thrive in community, Daivergent is operationalizing hope and opportunity. As this groundbreaking platform strengthens economic vitality, a critical social driver of health, it is improving the health and lives of neurodiverse and disabled communities nationwide.

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## Explore the Breakthroughs Transforming Health and Opportunity for All.

Learn more about how the Social Impact Funds are catalyzing solutions that improve lives and communities.

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Daivergent operationalizes hope by offering a meaningful path to employment & independence for neurodiverse communities.



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