

# Resources

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## GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities (NCBDDD)  
Phone: 1-800-232-4636 Web: [www.cdc.gov/ncbddd](http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd)
- National Dissemination Center for Children with Disabilities  
Web: [www.nichcy.org/states.htm](http://www.nichcy.org/states.htm)
- Department of Education Web: [www.ed.gov/index.html](http://www.ed.gov/index.html)
- National Institute of Mental Health  
Phone: 1-866-615-6464 Web: [www.nimh.nih.gov](http://www.nimh.nih.gov)
- State Health Insurance Program (SCHIP)  
Phone: 1-877-543-7669 Web: [www.insurekidsnow.gov](http://www.insurekidsnow.gov)

## SPECIAL RESOURCES

- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)  
Phone: 1-847-434-4000 Web: [www.aap.org](http://www.aap.org)
- Parent to Parent-USA Web: [www.p2pusa.org](http://www.p2pusa.org)

## AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS (ASD)

- Autism Society of America (ASA)  
Phone: 1-800-328-8476 Web: [www.autism-society.org](http://www.autism-society.org)
- Autism Speaks  
Phone: 1-888-288-4762 Web: [www.autismspeaks.org](http://www.autismspeaks.org)
- First Signs  
Phone: 1-978-346-4380 Web: [www.firstsigns.org](http://www.firstsigns.org)
- Organization for Autism Research (OAR)  
Phone: 1-703-243-9710 Web: [www.researchautism.org](http://www.researchautism.org)
- Asperger Syndrome Education Network (ASPEN)  
Phone: 1-732-321-0880 Web: [www.aspennj.org](http://www.aspennj.org)
- MAAP Services for Autism, Asperger Syndrome, and PDD  
Phone: 1-219-662-1311 Web: [www.maapservices.org](http://www.maapservices.org)
- CDC’s Resources on Vaccines and Autism  
Web: [www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/autism/vaccines.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/autism/vaccines.htm)

## ATTENTION-DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)

- Children and Adults with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (CHADD)  
Phone: 1-800-233-4050 Web: [www.chadd.org](http://www.chadd.org)
- Attention Deficit Disorder Association (ADDA)  
Phone: 1-800-939-1019 Web: [www.adda.org](http://www.adda.org)

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## CEREBRAL PALSY

- United Cerebral Palsy (UCP)  
Phone: 1-800-872-5827 Web: [www.ucp.org](http://www.ucp.org)
- National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)  
Phone: 1-800-352-9424 Web: [www.ninds.nih.gov](http://www.ninds.nih.gov)
- Reaching for the Stars  
Phone: 1-877-561-7387  
Web: [www.reachingforthestars.org](http://www.reachingforthestars.org)

## INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY (also known as Mental Retardation)

- American Association of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (formerly American Association on Mental Retardation)  
Phone: 1-800-424-3688 Web: [www.aaid.org](http://www.aaid.org)
- The Arc of the United States  
Phone: 1-800-433-5255 Web: [www.thearc.org](http://www.thearc.org)

## HEARING LOSS

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Early Hearing Detection and Intervention Program (EHDI)  
Phone: 1-800-232-4636  
Web: [www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/ehdi](http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/ehdi)
- American Academy of Audiology (AAA)  
Phone: 1-800-222-2336 Web: [www.audiology.org](http://www.audiology.org)
- American Academy of Pediatrics Bright Futures  
Phone: 1-847-434-4000  
Web: [brightfutures.aap.org/web](http://brightfutures.aap.org/web)
- American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)  
Phone: 1-800-638-8255 Web: [www.asha.org](http://www.asha.org)

## VISION LOSS

- National Federation of the Blind (NFB)  
Phone: 1-410-659-9314 Web: [www.nfb.org](http://www.nfb.org)
- American Council of the Blind (ACB)  
Phone: 1-800-424-8666 Web: [www.acb.org](http://www.acb.org)
- American Foundation for the Blind (AFB)  
Phone: 1-800-232-5463 Web: [www.afb.org](http://www.afb.org)

## FETAL ALCOHOL SYNDROME DISORDER (FASD)

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Program  
Phone: 1-800-232-4636 Web: [www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/fas](http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/fas)
- National Organization on Fetal Alcohol Syndrome (NOFAS)  
Phone: 1-800-666-6327 Web: [www.nofas.org](http://www.nofas.org)



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