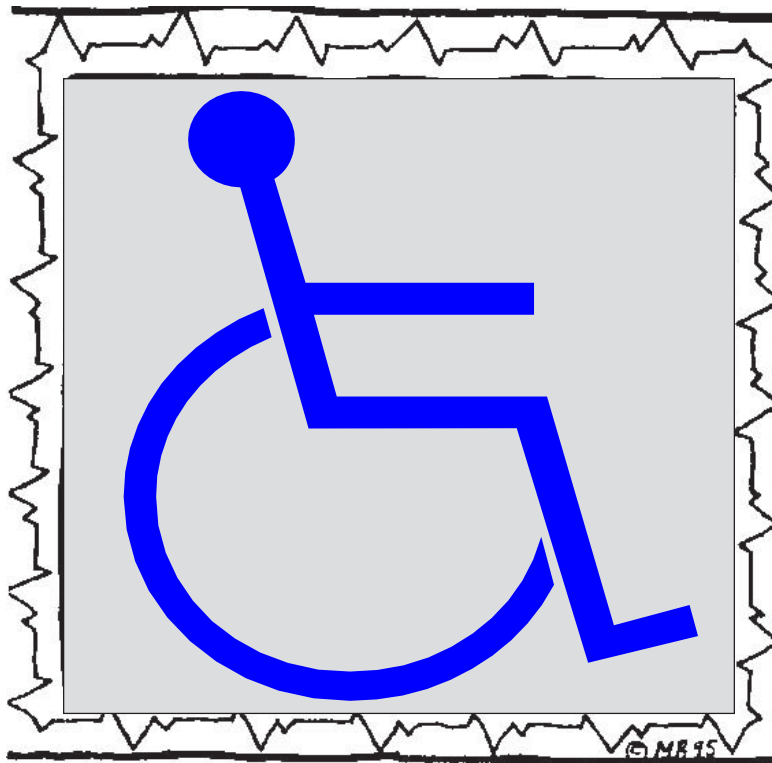


DISABILITY SERVICES



IN THIS SECTION YOU WILL FIND INFORMATION ON:

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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY/ DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:



The Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) provides or contracts with individuals or agencies to provide services to eligible individuals. Services include: habilitation, attendant care, respite, transportation, therapies and others. All services are based on assessed need. For people who are eligible for the Arizona Long Term Care System, health care is also provided.

ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION:



Any Arizona resident who has a chronic disability which is attributable to mental retardation, cerebral palsy, epilepsy, or autism and occurred before the age of 18 may be eligible. The disability must also result in substantial functional limitations in three or more of the following areas of major life activity: (1) self-care; (2) receptive and expressive language; (3) learning; (4) mobility; (5) self-direction; (6) capacity for independent living; and (7) economic self-sufficiency.

Children under the age of 6 may be eligible for services if there is a strongly demonstrated potential that the child has, or will have a developmental disability.

HOW TO APPLY:



Application for services may be completed at one of the DDD offices noted below. When you call the office, ask to make an appointment for an intake interview.

DOCUMENTS TO BRING:



Documents to bring include:

- proof of age
- proof of residency
- medical records
- evaluations such as developmental, physical, occupational, speech and/or psychological
- school records
- social security card
- court documents relating to guardianship (if appropriate)
- proof of insurance, if any.

WHERE TO APPLY:



Call the office nearest to you to apply.
DES/DDD Central Office
1789 W Jefferson St 4th Floor
Phoenix, AZ 85007
(602)542-0419
1-866-229-5553

District I - Central

1990 W Camelback Rd. Suite 308
Phoenix, AZ 85015
(602) 246-0880

District II

400 W Congress 5th Floor
Tucson, AZ 85732
(520) 628-6800
1-877-739-3943

District III

2705 N 4th St Suite A
Flagstaff, AZ 86001
(928) 773-4957
1-888-289-7177

District IV

350 W 16th Street Suite 232
Yuma, AZ 85364
(928) 782-4343
1-877-739-3922

District V

2066 W Apache Trail Suite 109
Apache Junction, AZ 85220
(480) 982-0018
1-877-739-3926

Arizona Training Program at Coolidge
2800 N Highway 87
PO Box 1467
Coolidge, AZ 85228
(520) 723-4151
1-877-739-3941

District VI

209 Bisbee Road
Bisbee, AZ 85603
(520) 432-5703
1-877-739-3938, ext 3121

DISABILITY SERVICES AND ADVOCACY ASSISTANCE RESOURCE LIST

The following resource list contains organizations which provide:

S = Direct Services

I&R = Information & Referral

A = Advocacy

GENERAL RESOURCES

Nationwide Resources

National Down Syndrome Society
1-800-221-4602
I&R

National Organization for Rare Disorders
1-800-999-6673
(203)746-6518
I&R

Muhammad Ali Parkinsons Research Center
500 W Thomas Rd Suite 720
Phoenix, AZ 85013-4421
(602)406-4931
I&R

National Rehabilitation Information Center
1-800-346-2742
I&R

Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance
1-800-225-6872
I&R

Sturge-Weber Foundation
1-800-627-5482
I&R

Apache, Coconino, Navajo & Yavapai Counties (District III)

ASSIST! to Independence
P.O. Box 4133
Tuba City, AZ 86045
1-888-848-1449
A/S

Four County Conference on Developmental Disabilities
PO Box 3262
Prescott, AZ 86302
(928)778-3391
A/I&R

New Horizons Independent Living
8085 E Manley
Prescott, AZ 86314
1-800-406-2377
A/S

Sun Sounds of AZ
1300 S Milton Ste 202
Flagstaff, AZ 86001
(928)779-1775
S

Cochise, Graham, Greenlee and Santa Cruz Counties (Dist VI)
Council on Developmental Disabilities
120 N 6th St, #A
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635
(520)452-0040
A/I&R

Gila & Pinal Counties (Dist V)
Central Arizona Council on Developmental Disabilities
PO Box 3670
Apache Junction, AZ 85220
(480)982-5015
A/I&R

Maricopa County
Advocates for the Disabled
4520 N Central Ste 575
Phoenix, AZ 85012
(602)212-2600
A

The Arc
5610 S Central Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85040
(602)243-1787
1-800-252-9054
A/I&R/S

Arizona Alliance for Mental Illness
2210 N 7th St
Phoenix, AZ 85008
(602)244-8166
A/I&R

AZ Bridge to Independent Living
1229 E. Washington
Phoenix, AZ 85034
1-800-280-2245
A/S

Arizona Center for Disability Law
3839 N 3rd St Ste 209
Phoenix, AZ 85012
(602)274-6287
A/I&R

Arizona Office for Americans with Disabilities
1700 W Washington St, Ste 164
Phoenix, AZ 85007
(602)542-6276
1-800-358-3617
A/I&R

Arizona Commission for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing
1400 W Washington St, Rm 126
Phoenix, AZ 85007-2931
(602)542-3323
A/I&R

Arizona Technology Access Program (AZTAP)
4105 N 20th St #260
Phoenix, AZ 85016
1-800-477-9921
I&R/S

Autism Society of America - Greater Phoenix Chapter
PO Box 10543
Phoenix, AZ 85064-0543
(480)940-1093
www.phxautism.org
A/I&R

DISABILITY SERVICES AND ADVOCACY ASSISTANCE RESOURCE LIST CONT.

City of Mesa
Diversity Committee
20 E Main St 7th Fl
Mesa, AZ 85201-7425
(480)644-3002
A/I&R

Council for Jews with
Special Needs
12701 N Scottsdale Rd
Scottsdale, AZ 85254
(480)629-5343
A/S/I&R

Easter Seal Arizona
903 N 2nd St
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1998
(602)252-6061
S

Banner Health Arizona
(602)230-2273
I&R

Epilepsy Foundation of Arizona
PO Box 25084
Phoenix, AZ 85002-5084
(602)406-3581
I&R/S

Foundation for Blind Children
1235 E Harmont Dr
Phoenix, AZ 85020
(602)331-1470
I&R/S

Governor's Advisory Council
on Aging
1789 W Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85007-3295
(602)542-4710
A/I&R

Governor's Council on Blindness and
Visual Impairment
1789 W Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85007-3202
(602)542-6288
1-800-563-1221
A/I&R

Governor's Council on Developmental
Disabilities
1789 W Jefferson
Phoenix, AZ 85007
(602)542-4049
1-800-889-5893
A/I&R

Governor's Council on Spinal and
Head Injuries
10640 N 28th Dr Ste B102
Phoenix, AZ 85029-4505
(602)863-0484
A/I&R

Governor's State Rehabilitation
Advisory Council
1789 W Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85005-3202
(602)542-6291/ 1-800-563-1221
A/I&R

MIKID (Mentally Ill Kids in Distress)
755 E Willetta St Ste 128
Phoenix, AZ 85006
(602)253-1240
1-800-356-4543
A/I&R

Neuro Fibro Matosis Association
4219 N 62nd St
Scottsdale, AZ 85251
(480)945-9650
I&R

National Multiple Sclerosis Society
Desert Southwest Chapter
627 S 48th St Ste 110
Tempe, AZ 85281-2326
(480)968-2488
I&R

Phoenix Day School for the Deaf
1935 Hayward Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85021
(602)336-6800
I&R/S

Social Security Administration
1122 N 7th St, Suite 100
Phoenix, AZ 85006
1-800-772-1213
www.ssa.gov
S

Sun Sounds of AZ
2323 W 14th St
Tempe, AZ 85281
(480)774-8300
www.sunsounds.org
S

Mohave County(Dist IV)
ACORD (Arizona Council on Rural
Disabilities)
400 W Hwy 66
Kingman, AZ 86401
(928)718-1313 / 1-888-797-9013
A/I&R

Pima County
Arizona State Schools for the Deaf
and Blind
1200 W Speedway Blvd
Tucson, AZ 85754-2396
(520)770-3700
S

DIRECT Center for Independence
1023 N. Tyndall Ave
Tucson, AZ 85719
1-800-342-1853
A/S

Pima Council on Developmental
Disabilities
2410 W Ruthrauff Ste 110
Tucson, AZ 85705
(520)888-3304
A/I&R

Sun Sounds of AZ
7290 E Broadway Ste K
Tucson, AZ 85710
(520)298-6676
S

DISABILITY SERVICES AND ADVOCACY ASSISTANCE RESOURCE LIST CONT.

Technology Access Center of Tucson
4710 E 29th St
Tucson, AZ 85732
(520)519-1776
A/I&R/S

Yuma County
SMILE
1929 S. Arizona Ave
Yuma, AZ 85364
1-866-239-7645
A/S

HOUSING RESOURCES
New Horizon
8085 E Manley
Prescott, Valley, AZ 86314
(928)772-1266
1-800-406-2377
I&R

Saguaro Independent Living Center
1495 S 4th Ave
Yuma, AZ 85364
(928)783-6069
S

Governor's Statewide Independent Living Council
1789 W Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85007-3202
(602)262-2900
A

Assistance for Independent Living
325 E Southern Ave Ste 107
Tempe, AZ 85282-5208
(480)966-9704
I&R/S (elderly only)

EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING RESOURCES

City of Scottsdale Mayor's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities
7575 E Main St
Scottsdale, AZ 85251
(480)312-2477
A/I&R

CHILDREN'S RESOURCES (FOR PARENTS & CHILDREN)

Department of Education
Exceptional Student Services
1535 W Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85007
(602)542-4013
S/I&R

Raising Special Kids
2400 N Central Ave Ste 200
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602)242-4366
1-800-237-3007
I&R

Pilot Parents of Southern Arizona
2600 N Wyatt Dr
Tucson, AZ 85712
(520)324-3150
1-877-365-7220
I&R

Many Cities have a Mayor's Committee or Commission on Disability Issues or Employment of People with Disabilities.

Call the Mayor's office in your area for more information.