NORTH BREVARD, FLORIDA CONTACTS
SERVICING PEOPLE WITH DEVELOPMENTAL & INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES AND THEIR UNIQUE ABILITIES

SERVICES PROVIDERS: Please send any corrections to your listing; other categories under which you should be listed. NEW ENTRIES: a less than 200 word description of your services (be sure to include the keywords that people will be searching for) AND any facilities located in, or readily accessed from, North Brevard; a maximum dimension 2”h x2”w logo or photo (I can reduce it); the link to your Facebook page (if).

ANYONE: Please send information about a service for developmentally special needs people that is not here.

Suggestions are welcome; the webmaster reserves the right of editing and final selecting.

PUBLIC:
- (Designated for services and facilities that are open to the public.)

ADULTS & CHILDREN:
- (Designated for services and facilities that are primarily for adults or children.)

HUMAN SERVICES:
- (Designated for Human Services that provide support to individuals with developmental disabilities.)

BUSINESSES:
- (Designated for Community Services that are for sale.)

BLOG:
- (Designated for Blogs about community services.)

SERVICES PROVIDERS

Florida Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD)
Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD) is an agency separate from the Department of Children and Families, specifically tasked with serving the needs of Floridians with developmental disabilities.

Among those served are people with: Autism, Cerebral palsy, Spina bifida, Intellectual disabilities, Down syndrome, Prader-Willi syndrome, & Children age 3-5 who are at a high risk of a developmental disability.

Supports persons with developmental disabilities in living, learning and working, in all aspects of community life.

The APD works in partnership with local communities and private providers to assist people who have developmental disabilities and their families.

APD also provides assistance in identifying the needs of people with developmental disabilities for supports and services.

305 East Drive, Suite L • West Melbourne, Florida 32904 • (321) 409-6518
400 West Robinson Street, Suite S430, Orlando, FL 32801. (321) 604-4273 • (407) 317-7000.

- www.myffamilies.com
- Questions? = Contact Us
- https://apd.myflorida.com/area/7/
- APD.info@apdfla.com
- Circuit 18 (Brevard County) https://brevardfl.org/
- Email and Text Updates

The APD program can provide a Medicaid Waiver (Med Waiver) Support Coordinator (WSC) who can advise and coordinate the full range of services helpful to a person with special needs. The process by which someone gets access to a Waiver Support Coordinator (WSC) is as follows:

- Waiver Support Coordinators are not allowed to solicit a case load.
- A disabled person must first become a client of APD (Agency for Persons with Disabilities). They then have to request to be put on the iBudget Home and Community-Based Waivers.
- If accepted for the Waiver, they are then given a “Choice Letter” with WSC’s that have openings (they have a legal limit of 43 full cases with minors being considered “half cases”). The individual and their family interview available WSC’s then select the one they like.
- Florida Medicaid Waivers Florida has several Medicaid waiver programs.

Florida Identification Card designated with "D" for developmentally disabled.
To have this designation put on the Florida Identification Card you must Complete an Application for Identification Card with Developmental Disability Designation Fee: $1.00. This will help police and others identify special needs people.

WEBSITE

https://nbbd.com/disabilities/index.html
Exceptional Student Education - Florida Department of Education
The Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services administers programs for students with disabilities. Additionally, the bureau coordinates student services throughout the state and participates in multiple inter-agency efforts designed to strengthen the quality and variety of services available to students with special needs.

Florida Developmental Disabilities Waitlist Campaign
The Florida DD Waitlist Campaign is a program of the Florida Center for Inclusive Communities at USF. The Florida DD Waitlist Campaign aims to raise awareness of this issue to Florida legislators and the general public by using social media to advocate for increased funding to serve the individuals on the waiting list.

APD Cares
The Agency Supports Persons with Developmental Disabilities in Living, Learning, and Working in their Communities. The APD works in partnership with local communities and private providers to assist people who have developmental disabilities and their families. APD also provides assistance in identifying the needs of people with developmental disabilities for supports and services.

Parrish Children’s Center
5650 S Washington Ave., 5650 S Washington Ave, Titusville, FL 32780. 321-264-0855
Services Provided: Parrish Early Care and Education (PECCE), Early Learning Coalition, Early Steps, Family Counseling Center, Healthy Families, Nemos Children’s Speech Center, Speech Works Pediatric Therapy
https://parrishchildrenscenter.com
PARENT EDUCATION, HEALTH & RESOURCES

Brevard Achievement Center (BAC)
Provides persons with disabilities innovative services and opportunities to achieve personal success.
1845 Cogwell Street • Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 632-8610
Programs and Services Offered: Adult Day Training (ADT) • Supported Living • Employment Services • Job Coaching • Supported Employment • On-The-Job Training (OTJ) • Industry Readiness Training (IRT) • Y(Social Security)Work Incentives Planning and Assistance (WIPA) • Jobs via RESPECT of Florida, commercial and AbilityOne contracts • Very Special Arts Florida-Brevard (VSARB)
https://www.bacbrevard.com • info@bacbrevard.com

East Coast Contract Industries, Inc.
Services for adults with disabilities to support skill development consistent with abilities and needs.
1694 Cedar Street • Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 690-3464
Services Offered: Group homes in Rockledge and Titusville • Supported Living • Employment Services (e.g. job matching, OTJ, work assessments, Project Search, Discovery) • Community day habilitation programs • Retire House Veterans Transition Program • Wounded Warrior Program • Community day habilitation programs • Material Recycling Facility serving, PAFB, KSC, CC/AFB) • Bridges Electronic Recycling • Quick Printz Electronic Background Screening Service • Bridges Foundation.
https://www.mybridges.org • info@mybridges.org

Washington Square, Titusville, FL - Central Florida Communities, Inc.
An Intermedicate Care Facility for the Developmentally Disabled that takes pride in providing the very best comprehensive care and services in a homelike setting.
1401 North US Highway 1, Titusville, FL 32796. (321) 268-2252
https://www.cfccommunities.com/washington-square.php

Easter Seals Florida, Inc.
"Provides services to children and adults with skills enhancements consistent with abilities and needs."
Shady Oaks Plaza, 6050 Babcock Street S.E., Suite 18, Palm Bay, Florida 32909 • (321) 723-4474
520 N. Semoran Blvd, Suite 280, Orlando, FL 32807. (407)306-9766
https://www.easterseals.com/Florida

Goodwill Industries of Central Florida, Inc.
"Work Adjustment Training services available for people with disabilities." Contact Vocational Services Coordinator at (407) 235-1500.
In addition, Job Centers are located in: Rockledge: 4851 North U.S. Highway 1 • Rockledge, FL 32955 • (321) 890-1675
https://www.goodwillifc.org

Space Coast Center for Independent Living
"Provides services to enable individuals with various disabilities of all ages to live as independently as possible within their homes and communities." Transportation.
571 West Haverty Court • Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 633-6011
https://www.sccli.net

Other Event Calendars / Listings that you might find helpful.
North Brevard
Event Listing 2020
Event Reminders
Enchanted Forest Nature Sanctuary
Merritt Island National Wildlife Refuge
San Diegos House Historic Home Education Center
Canaveral National Seashore
Downtown Titusville
AboutTitusville.com
Declarations of more than 50 attractions in North Brevard. Printable destination sheets.
Playgrounds
Refuge & Seashore
Museums & History
Historical Markers
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SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES in the Titusville, North Brevard, Florida area

Adult Protective Services (Florida DCF)
https://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/adult-protective-services

Disabled American Veterans (DAV)
435 N Singleton Ave, Titusville, FL 32796, 321-269-0109
https://www.davmemorialpatriot.org/chapters/fl/109/default.aspx

Devereux Florida
Our programs and services include: Abuse & Neglect Prevention Services • Autism & Intellectual/ Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) Program • Case Management & Child Welfare • Child & Adolescent Psychiatric Specialty Hospital • Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children Program • Community Based Care • Devereux Kids/ Prevention & Diversion Program • Diabetes Management Program • Family Counseling Center • Family Support & Visitation Center • Foster Care & Adoption Programs • Independent Living Transitional Services • Intensive Residential Treatment Center • Mental Health Services & Supports • Outpatient Psychiatric Services • Residential Group Care • Specialized Therapeutic Group Homes • Statewide Inpatient Psychiatric Program • Substance Abuse Treatment • The Devereux School
1850 S. Deleon Ave., Titusville, FL 32780, 321-264-5000
https://www.devereux.org/site/PageNavigator/8_titusville_campus.html

Brevard County assistance programs
Listing of many helpful agencies in Brevard
info@needhelppayingbills.com
https://www.devereux.org/site/PageNavigator/8_titusville_campus.html

SUPPORT GROUPS

Center for Autism and Related Disabilities
"Serves all ages of individuals who have an Autism Spectrum disorder, and/or a sensory impairment (deaf-blind)." P.O. Box 162202 • Orlando, Florida 32816 • (407) 823-6011
https://apd.myflorida.com

Center for the Visually Impaired (CVI)
"Serving visually impaired individuals to foster independence and improve quality of life."
1187 Dunn Avenue • Daytona Beach, Florida 32114 • (386) 253-8879 • (800) 227-1284
https://www.cvcentrealloridafl.com

Division of Blind Services
"All ages, services to individuals with conditions that affect both eyes, including medical assistance, job placement, and counseling."
Florida Department of Education. 1970 Michigan Avenue, Building A-2 • Cocoa, FL 32922 • (321) 634-3680
https://dhs.myflorida.com

Brevard PALS
Providing to support individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders, their families and the professionals that assist them.
Our goal is to give the residents of Brevard County the most comprehensive list of services available for children with autism.
https://www.brevardautism.com/PALS/

Family Care Council Florida (FCCF)
Partnering with the APD, to bring quality services to individuals for dignity and choice.
https://www.fccforida.org

Families Exploring Down Syndrome of Brevard, Inc (FEDS)
FEDS of Brevard is a non-profit organization that empowers individuals, provides peer support for families, enhance communities and celebrate the extraordinary lives of people with Down syndrome. FEDS has monthly parents dinners, provides funding for activities & services for persons with DS. Our annual events are the 3/21 Picnic, Beach Bash & Buddy Walk. We also have an active online support group for families/guardians.
https://www.fedsforbrevard.org
president@fedsforbrevard.org

Parents Planning Programs (PPP) for the Developmentally Disabled of Florida
https://www.ppfflorida.org

Archaeologists for Autism
Saturday, November 16, 2019 — 9:30 am to 3 pm
Using archaeology and paleontology to help unlock the potential of children with autism spectrum disorders. Registration required.
SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES in the Titusville, North Brevard, Florida area

The Scott Center for Autism Treatment at Florida Institute of Technology
150 West University Boulevard, Melbourne, FL 32901. (321) 674-8106
The Scott Center for Autism Treatment specializes in working with children with autism and other related disorders by implementing procedures based on the science of Applied Behavior Analysis. We have experts in the areas of the assessment and treatment of challenging behaviors, early intervention, intensive toilet training, pediatric feeding, and parent and teacher training.
https://www.thescottcenter.org/

R-Words - Spread the Word to End the Word
Raising awareness about the hurtfulness of the R-word. Join Us to End the Word. R-word is supported by Special Olympics and Best Buddies and over 200 other organizations from around the world.
https://r-word.org

Catholic Charities of Central Florida
Programs offered include food pantry, counseling center, emergency financial assistance and adoption services
5145 N. US 1, Cocoa, FL 32927. 321-338-2986
https://ccff.org
catholic@ccff.org

Center for Autism and Related Disabilities at the University of Central Florida (CARD)
Educating and empowering individuals and families to optimize the potential of all individuals with autism and related disabilities.
12424 Research Parkway, Suite 365, Orlando, FL 32826. 407-823-6011
https://www.ucf-card.org
ufcard@ucf.edu

Brevard County TRIAD
TRIAD’s Project Lifesaver is a program designed to assist in the tracking and locating of persons with Alzheimer’s and related mental dysfunction disorders, such as Down’s Syndrome and Autism.
PO Box 410518, Melbourne, Florida 32941-0518. Telephone: Call Brevard 2-1-1 at (321) 632-6688.
https://brevardtriad.org
joseph.downs@bcsos.us

North Brevard Connections
A casual support group for parents and caregivers of children with special needs.
Join us on the 2nd & 4th Friday mornings: 9:30-11:30 (pre-register for free childcare: 321-264-0855) at The Children’s Center.
The Children’s Center, 5650 S. Washington Ave., Titusville, FL 32780; www.parrishchildrenscenter.com
For more information, please call us at 321-264-0855, or email us at ChildrensCenter@ParrishMed.com.

S.O.A.K.: Supporting Our ASD Kids
SOAK is a Non Profit organization that provides Support for parents, families and members of the community who are dealing with Autism and related disabilities.
SOAK has monthly meetings, family events, awareness events and more. Also, we have an online support group which is very active and has been helping families with answers and guidance.
321-634-4464 / 321-626-8742 • Email • Website. Serves Brevard from Palm Bay.

Ask Us Florida
Palm Bay, Florida — ASK US Florida, Inc. hosts INCLUSIVE, stress-free outings for families with Autistic loved ones, in addition to an ANNUAL Autism Conference. Our mission is to ease the strains on those with Autistic loved ones by creating tailored and inclusive social events for members of the Autism community, empowering and inspiring others, raising public awareness to foster advocacy, and providing support for those affected by the disorder.”
Phone: 321-802-1275, Email: info@askusflorida.com, Website: https://askusflorida.com, Facebook.

Disabled and Alone / Life Services for the Handicapped, Inc.
Life Services is a non-profit organization established to help families provide a secure future for their loved ones with a disability.
Richard Stimson, Branch Manager. 921 Rockledge Drive, Rockledge, FL 32955 -- (321) 576-6002
www.disabledandalone.org -- rstimson@specialgathering.com

U.S. Department of Education IDEA Website
Office of Special Education Programs, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202-7100
The U.S. Department of Education’s Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) website. Updated June 1, 2017, WEBSITE

Down Syndrome Foundation of Florida
The FOUNDATION provides people with Down syndrome and families opportunities to enhance their lives through strategic partnerships, unique programs that create ‘inclusion’ settings naturally, family support and meaningful community involvement.
PO Box 533462, Orlando, FL 32853-3462 -- info@dsfflorida.org -- website -- 407.538.3537.

Sibling Leadership Network
The mission of the Sibling Leadership Network is to provide siblings of individuals with disabilities the information, support and tools to advocate with their brothers and sisters and to promote the issues important to them and their entire families.
323 S. Michigan Ave, Ste 1032-5240, Chicago, IL 60604-4434
katie.arnold@siblingleadership.org -- website
SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES in the Titusville, North Brevard, Florida area

Disability Rights Florida
To advance the quality of life, dignity, equality, self-determination, and freedom of choice of persons with disabilities through collaboration, education, advocacy, as well as legal and legislative strategies.
2473 Care Dr, Ste 200, Tallahassee, Florida 32308
[website]

Family Liaison Project
Providing support, information and education for families of children with disabilities and the professionals who assist them.
2155 Croton Road, Melbourne, FL 32935 • (321) 242-6430
[website]

Space Coast Early Intervention Center
Providing our students with the most up-to-date curricula available for children with or without disabilities.
3790 Dairy Road, Melbourne, FL 32904 • (321) 729-6858
[website] info@sceic.com

CAREGIVERS - THERAPISTS - SUPPORT

Circles of Care, Inc. North Area
Abuse Support, Behavioral Health Services, Counseling, Mental Health Services
6700 South Washington Ave., Titusville, FL 32780. 321-269-4590
[https://www.circlesofcare.org/current1/locations/north-area-outpatient.html]

Able Home Care
1065 Cheney Highway, Titusville, FL 32780. 321-607-6907
*Achieving Independence through Quality Support*— Companion & Housekeeping Services • Medicaid Waiver (HCBS) Services • Caregiver Services
We strive to provide quality, individualized care to meet your goals and exceed your expectations. Able Home Care, Inc. works diligently with your family and your Waiver Support Coordinator to provide the care you need and deserve.
[https://www.ablehomecareinc.com/home.html]
ablecaregivers@yahoo.com

A-1 Community Choice
350 North Washington Avenue, Suite B, Titusville, FL 32796/ 321-269-8563
[a1communitychoice@hotmail.com]

Heavenly Home Health Aid, Inc.
3760 Curtis Boulevard, Suite 604, Port St. John, FL 32927. 321-433-1660
Home health agency specializing in providing exceptional and passionate care for developmentally disabled clients.
[heavenlyhomehealthaid@hotmail.com] - [www.HeavenlyHomeHealthAid.com]

Learning Disabilities Therapists in Brevard County - Titusville
[https://therapists.psychologytoday.com/rms/prof_results.php?city=Titusville&state=FL&spec=184]

Children's Home Society
"Case management and/or funding for children with special needs or mental health issues."
326 Croton Road • Melbourne, Florida 32935 • (321) 752-3170
[https://www.chsf.org]
info@chsf.org

Devereux Florida
Autism & Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities
1850 S. Deleon Ave., Titusville, Fl. 32780, 321-264-5000
[https://www.devereux.org/site/PageNavigator/fl_titusville_campus.html]

Behavior Services of Brevard
Working with individuals with some of the most challenging behaviors. Providing counseling services, staff training, and IEP consultations.
530 St. John Street, Cocoa, FL 32922. 321-639-9800.
[https://www.behavioralServicesofBrevard.com]
info@behavioralServicesofBrevard.com

Coastal Behavioral Therapy
Provides and manages mental health treatment for special needs youth and their families.
590 Solutions Way, Suite 120 Rockledge, Florida 32955. (321) 635-9535
[https://www.cbttherapyinc.com/Home_Page.html]
office@cbttherapyinc.com

The Special Gathering of North Brevard
Non-denominational Christian church services. The heart of our ministries is our chapel program. Advocacy • Fellowship • Ministry Teams • Training • Education • Publications
Camp Agape is a 3 day retreat or camp for our Special Gathering folks - 8/30-9/2, 2019.
PO Box 685, Cocoa, FL 32923. 321-252-9391
[https://www.nbbd.com/npr/specialgathering/index.html]
patinson@specialgathering.com

- [How to apply for Medicaid Waiver (med waiver, medwaiver) services - Connecting Point, April, 2016]
Angels Bridging Gaps Autism Support Group
Educati~ parents about localresources, building community partnerships and creating social/recreati~ opportunities.
E-mail: brevard@angelsbridginggaps.org • Phone: (631) 807-2974
https://www.angelsbridginggaps.org/home

Titusville Special Needs Care providers on care.com.
Care.com is the world's largest online destination for care. We connect families with caregivers and caring companies
to help you be there for the ones you love.
https://www.care.com/special-needs/titusville-fl

Riverside Counseling Services, LLC
1301 W. Eau Gallie Blvd., Suite 105, Melbourne, FL 32935 • (321) 421-6992
Providing adult, adolescent and family counseling. With an appropriate atmosphere, clients achieve the personal
growth they're striving for.
https://riversidecounselingservices.com

Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services
No cost occupational and physical therapy to families who qualify.
Please call with any questions you have. Statewide phone: 800-523-1673.
www.floridaelks.org

Kylers Helping Hands, Inc
Provides services to individuals with developmental disabilities and the elderly in the home
and/or community based settings. We ensure to respect and honor all of your wishes. We provide the
following services: Personal Supports, Companion, Respite, Supported Employment and Supported Living Coach.
Contact Us Today! 833-595-3715
info@kylershelpinghands.com • WEBSITE

Florida Self-Advocates Network'D
Florida Self-Advocates Network'D (FL SAND) is a statewide association of self-advocates led by self-advocates
that exists to support advocacy efforts at the local, grassroots level.
contactflsand@gmail.com • WEBSITE

Self Advocates Becoming Empowered
OUR MISSION: To ensure that people with disabilities are treated as equals and that they are given the same
decisions, choices, rights, responsibilities, and chances to speak up to empower themselves; opportunities to
make new friends, and to learn from their mistakes.
255 E. Osborn Rd, Suite 103, Phoenix, AZ 85012 • Mailing address: PO Box 872, Mason, OH 45040
Admin@bacbrevard.com • WEBSITE

JOBS

Bridges
"Provides services to children and adults with disabilities to lead independent lives."
1694 Cedar Street • Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 690-3464, ext. 21
https://www.mybridges.org
mwilliams@mybridges.org

Brevard Achievement Center
"Employment related services for youth and adults with disabilities and supported services."
1845 Copeland Street • Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 632-8610
https://www.bacbrevard.com
info@bacbrevard.com

Disability jobs in Titusville, FL
Indeed, one search. all jobs. Listing of area employers who support hiring
https://www.indeed.com/j-Disability-l-Titusville,-FL-jobs.html

East Coast Contract Industries, Inc.
"Provides services to adults with disabilities to support skill development consistent with abilities and needs."
3550 South Washington Avenue, Suite 6 • Titusville, Florida 32780 • (321) 268-4388 or (321) 268-0821
https://www.communitysupports.org/ecci.php

Florida Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
"Working age with a disability that affects the ability to work."
2323 S Washington Ave, Suite 100 (US 1), Suite 102, Titusville, Florida 32780 • (321) 383-2775
1970 Michigan Avenue, Bldg. A-1, Cocoa, Florida 32922 • (321) 690-3280
https://www.rehabworks.org

Florida Developmental Disabilities Council, Inc.,
Advocating and promoting meaningful, family-centered, supports for participation in all
aspects of life for Floridians with developmental disabilities.
Strengthening Transition & Employment • Supporting Community Inclusion • Building Self-
SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES in the Titusville, North Brevard, Florida area

SERVICES PROVIDERS • SUPPORT GROUPS • CAREGIVERS - THERAPISTS - SUPPORT • HOUSING • TRANSPORTATION - SHELTER • HEALTH • LEGAL • TOP

SOCIAL SECURITY

Social Security Administration

"To advance the economic security of the nation's people through compassionate and vigilant leadership in shaping and managing America's Social Security programs."

Ground Floor 171SW. NASA Blvd., Melbourne, FL 32901

310 Canveral Groves • Cocoa, Florida 32926 • (800) 772-1213

https://socialsecurity.gov

Social Security Disability Programs (SSI / SSDI)

Providing financial assistance to people with disabilities who meet the criteria.

Supplemental Security Income -- What is the U.S. Social Security Administration's Supplemental Security Income program?

Social Security Disability Application Help -- Florida Residents Start Here for Benefits!

Social Security Office for Titusville, FL

Melbourne Social Security Office Address :1715 W NASA BLVD., MELBOURNE, FL 32901. Phone (Local) : 1-866-716-7667

310 Canveral Groves, Cocoa, FL 32926

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FLORIDA STATE

State of Florida - Agency for Persons with Disabilities - (APD)

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APD Central Region Office: 400 West Robinson Street, Suite S430, Orlando, FL 32801 -- (407) 245-0440

http://apd.myflorida.com/about/

Florida Department of Children & Families (DCF)

ACCESS Florida Food, Medical & Cash Assistance and Florida Abuse Hotline.
The Department of Children & Families has several programs that can help Florida families. These include ACCESS Florida, Adult Services, Child Care, Abuse Hotline, Adoption, Adult Protective Services, Background Screening, Child Care, Child Welfare, Children's Legal Services, Community-Based Care, Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing, Domestic Violence, Foster Care, Homelessness, Human Trafficking, Independent Living Services, Interstate Compact for the Placement of Children, Mental Health, Public Benefits Integrity, Refugee Services and Substance Abuse.

Central Region, Circuit 18, 375 Commerce Parkway #101, Rockledge/FFloridaY32955 -- (321) 604-4273

Central Region, 400 W. Robinson St., Suite 1129, Orlando/FFloridaY32801. (407) 317-7000.

https://www.myflfamilies.com

Florida Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

Counseling, Employment, Mental Health Services, Therapy/Rehabilitation

815 S. Washington Avenue #102 Titusville, Florida 32780. (321) 383-2775

https://www.rehabworks.org

Florida's Early Steps System

Mary Cancel, Family Resource Specialist, Space Coast Early Steps, 1678 W. Hibiscus Blvd., Suite 102, Melbourne, FL 32901 — (321) 409-2136 Ext 209 — Mary.cancel@ffhealth.gov

Children’s Medical Services - Special services for children with special needs (birth to thirty-six months).

A collection of programs for eligible children with special needs.

Every 2nd Friday at The Children's Center in Titusville we host a coffee and donuts gathering for families (with or without children).

Florida Early Steps website

eMail Mary Cancel to be put on Brevard newsletter list.

Florida Developmental Disabilities Council, Inc.,

Advocating and promoting meaningful, family-centered, supports for participation in all aspects of life for Floridians with developmental disabilities.

Strengthening Transition & Employment • Supporting Community Inclusion • Building Self-Determination & Advocacy • Improving Services and Supports • Train the Trainer

Planning Ahead -- a guide for parents, family members and legal representatives of individuals with developmental disabilities. 124 Marriot Drive, Suite 203, Tallahassee, Florida 32301 — Phone: 850-488-4180 | Toll Free: 800-580-7801

https://www.fddc.org

RECREATION

https://nbbd.com/disabilities/index.html
Brevard County Parks & Recreation Disabilities Program

"Recreation and leisure opportunities for persons with disabilities throughout Brevard County."

North Area: 475 North Williams Avenue • Titusville, Florida 32796
For Brevard County Areas information contact...
North Area: Andrea Chestnut (321) 264-5058 or (321) 264-5105.
Central Area: Nancy Watkins at (321) 633-1874.
South Area: Barbara Mitchell at (321) 302-1731.

Brevard County Persons with Disabilities Services
This Directory's N.B. Parks & Rec. webpage
Calendar of Events for Persons with Disabilities
Andrea.Chestnut@brevardcounty.us

Special Olympics Florida - Brevard County
P.O. Box 360364, Melbourne, FL 32936. 407-312-4882
https://www nb bd.com/spod/Specia lOlympics/index.html
https://specialolympicsflorida.org/brevard/
https://www.facebook.com/specialolympicsbrevard

Special Olympics "Get Into It" — K-12
Education and engagement tools for teachers & students.
https://getintor t especia lolympics.org

Harmony Farms Therapeutic Riding
2205 Pluckebaum Road, Cocoa, FL 32926. 321.631.9433
Providing equine assisted therapy and activities to disabled individuals of all ages, to improve their physical, mental and emotional well being.
https://www.harmonyfarmsinc.com
info@harmonyfarmsinc.com

Walk on Water Horse Equine Assistant Therapy
Giving individuals the opportunity to experience and bond with horses in a safe and loving environment. Accepting students of all abilities and backgrounds.
3380 North Tropical Trail, Merritt Island, FL 32953. 321-298-3130
https://walkonwaterhorses.com
praisedancer.bryan426@gmail.com

Kiwanis AKtion Club
Sponsored by Titusville Kiwanis. Adults with special needs meet 1st Thursdays at St. Gabriel's Church
WEBSITE

~~~~~~~ CALENDARS ~~~~~~~

While these are not specific to folks with special needs, many community activities are wonderful experiences for our people with their family or caregivers.

This Directory's Calendar of Events
An extensive listing with links to their sponsors and event details.
Many local libraries, organizations & recreation sources publish calendars on their NBBD websites - do a search.

AboutTitusville.com

About Titusville Facebook
Last minute reminders of significant events in our area.

North Area Parks & Recreation Community Center's Calendars
Seven Community Center calendars AND a Calendar of activities for folks with disabilities, special abilities and special needs. - printable

The Greater Titusville Renaissance weekly events E-Newsletter
Request that the newsletter be sent to the address on your eMail when you click above.

Macaroni Kid - North Brevard
Macaroni Kid North Brevard is a FREE weekly e-newsletter and website where you can read about activities and events going on in your local community and the area.

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SCHOOLS - TUTORING

Brevard Public Schools
"Our mission is to serve every student with excellence as the standard."
Office of North Area® - (7200), 800 Lane Avenue, Titusville, FLY 32780 • Area Superintendent: Dr. Laura Rhinehart • 321-269-3826
2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way • Viera, Florida 32940-6601 • (321) 633-1000, ext. 520
Exceptional Student Education Services (ESE) • Jokela.Pat@BrevardSchools.org • Transition Guide - brochure

Interagency Council of Brevard
Through interagency collaboration, enhance the quality of life for all individuals with disabilities in Brevard County. The Interagency Council of Brevard is coordinated by the Brevard Public Schools. They have compiled a directory of services for Individuals with disabilities and coordinate informative meetings.
For information please contact Terry Matson • (321-633-1000 ext. 549). • Flyer of services

Hidden Potentials
Due to reduced funding by the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, we will close our doors on May 31st after 19 years of serving the needs of families in Brevard. It has been our privilege to help many of you improve your academic skills through tutoring and provide care for our special friends with varying abilities. We cherish your friendship and appreciate your support.
Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System (FDLRS/East)
"Educational support services for parents and teachers of students with special needs."
2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Viera, Florida 32940. (321) 633-1000, ext. 540
https://www.fdlrs.org
theobald.heather@brevardschools.org

Vocational Preparatory Instruction (VPI) at Eastern Florida State College
If you have a documented disability, please contact the Office for Students with Disabilities. This will ensure a fair test for you.
Title: Missy Jalovecky, TAFE Remediation Specialist 321-433-5074
N. Earl Jones Building (Bldg. 1), Rm. 115 (learning lab): 321-433-5017.
Peer Mentoring Program: Building 5, Room 105 • (321) 433-5014

Special Needs Tutors in Titusville
https://www.wyzant.com/Titusville_FL_special_needs_tutors.aspx

Atlantic Inclusive Academy
825 Forrest Avenue, Suite 105, Cocoa, Florida 32922. 321-638-0040
Private, non profit academic school. All of Central Brevard: Mims to Rockledge
https://atlanticinclusiveacademy.com
aa-langlois@cfl.rr.com

B.L.A.S.T. (Brevard Learners Achieving Successful Transition)
A program in local high schools “Supporting students who have earned a special diploma as they transition to adult life with high expectations resulting in excellence for all.”
Brevard Public Schools BLAST website. • Brevard District Resources
David O'Brien, coordinator, BSE Program Support, 321-633-1000 ext 575, obrien.david@brevardschools.org
Exceptional Education/504 Equity, Dr. Patricia Fontan, Dir. Exceptional Student Education, 2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Melbourne, FL 32940, (321) 631-1511 Ext. 505, Fontan.Patricia@brevardschools.org

College Internship Program (CIP) - Brevard Center
Help for young adults with Asperger’s Syndrome, High-Functioning Autism, ADHD and others.
3962 North Wickham Road, Melbourne, FL 32935. 321-259-1900. https://cipworldwide.org/cip-brevard/brevard-overview/

Titusville Public Library
2121 S. Hopkins Ave., Titusville, FL 32780 -- 321-264-5026
- We have an ADA workstation with a larger LCD monitor, ZoomText software providing various assistive functions, and an assistive mouse adapter.
- We have a Sorenson Video Relay Service “videophone” for the hearing disabled with monitor and webcam facilitating online video sessions using sign language.
- We have a Merlin “Enhanced Vision” LCD Desktop Electronic Magnifier and also a Kurzweil Reading Edge machine, both for the visually disabled.
- We carry some current popular titles in digital audiobook cartridge format for use with digital audio players. For more information about this service contact Brevard County’s Talking Books Library at 321-633-1810 or visit the website: https://www.brevardcounty.us/PublicLibraries/Lea
- We also provide a variety of magnifiers and other handheld assistive devices that can be checked out.
- Titusville Public Library’s NBBD website with monthly programs lists.

Port St. John Public Library
6500 Carole Avenue, Port St. John, FL 32927 -- (321) 633-1867
- Port St. John has an ADA workstation with ZoomText and an Optiplex 20/20 magnifier.
- We have a small collection of magnifiers and handheld assistive devices.
- We have a small collection of Talking Books digital and tape cartridges. For more information about this service contact Brevard County’s Talking Books Library at 321-633-1810 or visit the website: https://www.brevardcounty.us/PublicLibraries/Lea
- Port St. John Public Library’s NBBD website with monthly programs lists.

U.S. Department of Education IDEA Website
Office of Special Education Programs, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202-7100
The U.S. Department of Education’s Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) website. Updated June 1, 2017. WEBSITE

American Sign Language University
Here you will find information and resources to help you learn ASL and improve your signing.
You’ve picked a great topic to be studying. Signing is useful skill that can open up for you a new world of relationships and understanding. WEBSITE

Housing
Washington Square, Titusville, FL - Central Florida Communities, Inc.
Intermediate Care Facility
1401 North US Highway 1, Titusville, FL 32796. (321) 268-2252
https://www.cfcommunities.com/washington-square.php
Promise in Brevard
https://nbcd.com/disabilities/index.html
Our goal is to provide a much needed housing choice for family members with special needs.
PO Box 120028, West Melbourne, FL 32912. 321-536-1525
https://promisenbrevard.com
nicoled@promisenbrevard.com

Fair Housing Continuum, Inc.
"Mission: To insure equal housing opportunity and eliminate discrimination in Florida."
4769 North U.S. Highway 1, Suite 203 • Melbourne, Florida 32935 • (321) 757-3532
https://www.fairhousingcontinuum.com/en/

Titusville, FL - Low Income Housing
Find low income apartments in Titusville, Florida along with non profit organizations that help with low income housing needs.
https://www.lowincomehousing.us/FL/titusville.html

The City of Titusville, Florida - Fair Housing
https://www.titusville.com/Page.asp?NavID=1150

City of Titusville - EEO/Veterans Preference Policy
https://www.titusville.com/Page.asp?NavID=80

Brevard County Fair Housing Program
https://www.brevardcounty.us/HumanServices/HousingPrograms/FairHousing

TRANSPORTATION - SHELTER

Florida Identification Card designated with "D" for developmentally disabled.
To have this designation put on the Florida Identification Card you must Complete an Application for Identification Card with Developmental Disability Designation Fee: $1.00. This will help police and others identify special needs.

1st Choice Care Transportation
Transportation for the Disabled
5235 Sharlene Drive, Titusville, FL 32780 - (321) 751-5554
cho1cecare@aol.com

Florida Handicap Parking

Space Coast Center for Independent Living
"Need A Ride" Transportation: We provide safe, door-to-door service in our wheelchair accessible vans for the Disabled of Brevard County. Trips for Medical, Legal, Grocery and Social Events are available Monday through Friday 8:00am - 4:30pm. Call for details: (321) 633-6011.
https://www.sccil.net

Brevard County Special Needs Shelter Registration
Brevard County Emergency Management, 1746 Cear St., Rockledge, FL 32955; 321-637-6670.
Providing emergency sheltering and transportation with the resources available in Brevard County. If you meet the Special Needs Shelter criteria and have no alternative for safe, staffed, emergency shelter, you must preregister.
Information & Registration
SpecialNeeds@BrevardCounty.us.

Brevard County Emergency Management Preparedness
Hurricane Shelters
Q. Is Parrish Medical Center a special needs center?
A. We work closely with the County, who coordinates placement into a special needs center. We will only receive patients who are already on the County’s list. Individuals not currently registered with County, but requiring special needs during a time of emergency should contact the Brevard County Office of Emergency Management at 321-637-6670 for more information.
Or dial 9-1-1.

HEALTH

Medicare.gov - I have a disability
Find out how Medicare works for people who have a disability.
https://www.medicare.gov/people-like-me/disability/disability.html

Medicaid - Florida Department of Children & Families
Medicaid eligibility in Florida is determined either by the Department of Children and Families (DCF) or the Social Security Administration (for SSI recipients).
Brevard County ACCESS Application Center: 801 Dixon Blvd, Ste 1103, Cocoa, FL 32922 • (866) 762-2237 • https://www.myflorida.com/accessflorida
General Information: https://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/access-florida-food-medical-assistance-cash/medicaid

Florida KidCare
Florida Healthy Kids Corporation, P.O. Box 980, Tallahassee, FL 32302 — 1-888-540-5437
Through Florida KidCare, the state of Florida offers health insurance for children from birth through age 18, even if one or both parents are working.
https://floridakidcare.org

Parrish Medical Center Assistance for Uninsured or Underinsured

https://nbbd.com/disabilities/index.html
Patients
951 N. Washington Avenue Titusville, FL 32796. 321-268-6158

Brevard Health Alliance
Family Practice & Pediatrics
500 N. Washington Ave., Titusville, FL 32796. (321) 268-0267
220 Barton Boulevard, Rockledge, Florida 32955 • (321) 639-5177
WEB SITE
info@bhahc.org

Children's Medical Services (CMS)
Children's Medical Services Managed Care Plan - Managed Medical Assistance (MMA).
"Primary and specialty medical care, early intervention and case management from birth to 21."
Child Protection & Safety, Child & Family Information, Early Intervention / Child Development, Newborn Screening and more.
Special needs adults may be eligible for family planning and maternity as would all adults.
State of Florida's website.

Viera Area Office: 2565 Judge Fran Jamieson Way • Viera, Florida 32940-6601 • (321) 639-5888
Viera Area Office website

Titusville Clinic - Florida Department of Health
611 North Singleton Avenue, Titusville, FL 32796 • 321-383-2795.
Clinical and Nutrition Services: Dental, Family Planning, Immunizations, Maternity, School Health, WIC
Infectious Disease Services: STDs
Titusville Florida Clinic webpage.

Brevard County ACCESS Application Center (DCF)
801 Dixon Blvd, Suite 1103, Cocoa, FL 32922. 1-866-762-2237
Help accessing service like food stamps, medicaid.
WEB SITE

Publix Delivery Now Available - Titusville (2) & Pt. St. John
Order: Just place your grocery order online
Delivery: Instacart-o our grocery delivery experts - delivers right to your door
Fast Service: Your groceries are delivered the same day, in as little as an hour.
Service by instacart which is not affiliated with Publix.
Click for groceries delivered in 1 hour.

Target: Sensory Friendly & More Kids' Home Collection
Create comfortable and playful spaces for your kiddo to have fun, be creative and get away from it all
Target delivers groceries, essentials & more
Delivery in as soon as one hour from your local store, saving you time & energy.
Shoppers hand-select items from your local Target, so you get the freshest picks & the exact products you ordered.
Shipt is a same-day delivery service that shops for you.
Phone your local store to find out when this service becomes available.

Winn Dixie delivers groceries, essentials & more
Delivery in as soon as one hour from your local store, saving you time & energy.
Shoppers hand-select items from your local Target, so you get the freshest picks & the exact products you ordered.
Shipt is a same-day delivery service that shops for you.
Phone your local store to find out when this service becomes available.

LEGAL

Guardian Ad Litem
Become a voice for children who need someone to speak for them in court.
Moore Justice Center, 2825 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Viera, FL 32940. (321) 690-6823
https://www.brevardcounty.us/GuardianAdLitem
carol.jewell@brevardcounty.us

Titusville Social Security
Disability Lawyers, Attorneys and Law Firms - Florida

Titusville, Florida Social Security Disability/SSI Lawyers

Social Security Disability Lawyers Near Titusville, FL
https://www.lawyers.com/social-security-disability/titusville/florida/lawyers/

Titusville, FL Social Security Attorneys
Social Security SSI SSDI Law Firms
https://www.socialsecurityattorney.co/state-resources/Titusville-Social-Security-Attorney-739.html

https://nbbd.com/disabilities/index.html
End Law Syndrome
Law Syndrome affects 100% of people with Down syndrome. It’s a series of antiquated laws that impede the pursuit of a career or living independently without risking Medicaid benefits.
Help us fix the law and end #LawSyndrome.
https://www.lawsyndrome.org

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Community Legal Services of Mid Florida
128 Orange Avenue, Suite 300 • Daytona Beach, Florida 32114 • (386) 258-5600 • (800) 363-2357 or (866) 469-7444
https://clsmf.org

Interagency Council of Brevard — Brochure
Brevard 211
Community Services: 2-1-1 Helpline, Online Databases, Suicide prevention, Sunshine Service Phone Calls, Crisis Hotline of Central Florida, Homeless Management Information System, Veteran Resources
WEBSITE

N.B. Parks & Recreation Programs for people with disabilities.
Calendar of North Area Parks & Rec. activities for people with disabilities.
To a North Brevard Special Olympics website.
Maps to some places you’ll enjoy visiting
CALENDAR OF COMMUNITY EVENTS

www.nbbd.com/disabilities

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