

Links for Transition Care Notebook

Alphabet Soup: This book lists a number of acronyms and terms that are used in the area of developmental disabilities. This booklet is meant to assist professionals, family members and self-advocates to communicate more clearly and understand one another better.

- <http://www.ouhsc.edu/thecenter/products/alphabetsoup.html>

Disability Resource Guide: The Oklahoma Disability Resource Guide provides a wealth of local, state, and national informational resources on disabilities.

- <http://okrehab.org/guide/indexmanual.html>

OASIS Community Guide: This guide lists a variety of community services available to people with disabilities and their families, and provides information about the purpose, eligibility, application process and other elements of these services. It also provides contact information for agencies and organizations throughout Oklahoma.

- <http://www.ouhsc.edu/thecenter/products/products.html>

Oklahoma Family Network (OFN): The OFN Family-to-Family Health Information Center informs and connects individuals with special health care needs and disabilities, their families and professionals to services and supports in their communities. OFN provides opportunities for individuals and families to strengthen their communities through leadership development and volunteering. The OFN Mentorship Program is the flagship program of the center.

- <http://oklahomafamilynetwork.org>

Oklahoma Work Incentives Planning and Assistance (OWIPA): The WIPA projects are funded to assist SSA disability beneficiaries with information about work incentives, benefits planning, and making good choices about work.

- <http://ncdet.ou.edu/en/work-incentives-planning/>

Parents Rights in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese: These documents explain the rights you have as parents of a child who is receiving or may be eligible for special education and related services (or children 18 and over have as adults).

- http://sde.state.ok.us/Curriculum/SpecEd/pdf/Docs_Forms/English/Parents_Rights.pdf
- http://sde.state.ok.us/Curriculum/SpecEd/pdf/Docs_Forms/Spanish/Parents_Rights.pdf
- http://sde.state.ok.us/Curriculum/SpecEd/pdf/Docs_Forms/Vietnamese/Parents_Rights.pdf

Register for Selective Service: Almost all male U.S. citizens, and male aliens living in the U.S., who are 18 through 25, are required to register for the military draft. However, men who currently register are not automatically inducted into military service.

- <http://www.militarydraftregistration.com/?gclid=COHX6sft-q0CFU6Mtgod7RoZsg>

Social Security Administration (SSA) Disability Starter Kit in English and Spanish: This kit answers common questions about applying for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits for children, and includes a worksheet that will help you gather the information you need.

- http://www.ssa.gov/disability/disability_starter_kits_child_eng.htm (English)
- http://www.socialsecurity.gov/disability/SP_dib_starter_kits_child.htm (Spanish)

Transition Handbook: The purpose of this handbook to help those educators, families, and other service providers begin the transition planning process for youth with disabilities.

- http://sde.state.ok.us/Curriculum/SpecEd/Secondary_Transition.html

Youth Leadership Forum (YLF): YLF is an annual leadership development program for Oklahoma high school juniors and seniors with disabilities. This week-long forum on a college campus focuses on leadership, assistive technology, independent living, higher education, career development options and the Oklahoma legislative process.

- http://okddc.ok.gov/youth_leadership_forum.html
- <http://okylyf.pbworks.com/w/page/5671137/FrontPage>

411 on Disability Disclosure: This workbook helps young people make informed decisions about whether or not to disclose their disability and understand how that decision may impact their education, employment, and social lives.

- <http://www.ncwd-youth.info/411-on-disability-disclosure>