



SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

A support and resource organization providing services for families of children with disabilities

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ADD/ADHD INFORMATION PACKET

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Section 1: Fact Sheets *General information on each specific disability.*

- "Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (AD/HD)" by NICHCY
- "Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (Briefing Paper)" by NICHCY
- "Fact Sheet on Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD/ADD)" by Peter Jaksa, PhD at www.add.org
- "Basic Information About Attention Deficit Disorders," by Rebecca Chapman Booth at www.add.org
- "ADHD: Attention Deficit-Hyperactivity Disorder and Learning Disabilities" by Larry B. Silver, MD

Section 2: Strategies for Home and School *Guides from various sources about the different approaches in managing each specific disability.*

- "Attention Deficits: What Teachers Should Know" by Pediatric Development & Behavior
- "Management Strategies-AD/HD" by Schwab Learning

Section 3: How to Work with Professionals *Lists and articles about the particular service providers associated with each specific disability.*

- "Question to Ask Professionals who Assess or Treat ADD/ADHD" by Schwab Learning
- "What You Need to Know About ADD/ADHD Under The IDEA" by CHADD
- "An Update On Medications Used in the Treatment of Attention Deficit Disorder" by John Ratey, MD at www.add.org

Section 4: Resources *Where to go for further information.*

- Resources in our Joan Cassel Memorial Library
- Websites
- Evaluation

Additional information packets are available.

They include:

- Autism/PDD
- Behavior
- Cerebral Palsy
- Down Syndrome
- IEP
- Learning Disabilities
- Transition

To request an additional packet or for more info please contact us at:

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For further information, please contact us at 415.920.5040

Our office hours are Mon/Wed/Fri, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and Tues/Thurs, 12:30-8:30 p.m.

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