

Denver Disability Resource Guide

CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER



**OFFICE OF
DISABILITY RIGHTS**
DENVER HUMAN RIGHTS &
COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

720-913-8450

www.denvergov.org/disabilityrights

Agency for Human Rights and Community Partnerships

The Agency for Human Rights and Community Partnerships (HRCP) creates opportunities for innovation to take root in local government and throughout the community to impact local challenges. HRCP is the model of inclusiveness, recognizing that diverse perspectives, skills, and resources strengthen the foundation for lasting solutions.

HRCP's mission is to proactively protect human rights, build capacities, and strengthen connections that result in stronger relationships in the community through collaboration, communication, and advocacy. We address issues concerning older adults, racial, ethnic and religious minorities, women and families, people with disabilities, gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender individuals, immigrants and refugees, neighborhood partnerships, and non-profit partnerships.

Denver Office of Disability Rights

As one of the most accessible cities, the Denver Office of Disability Rights is an integral division of the Agency for Human Rights & Community Partnerships. The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal civil rights law prohibiting discrimination in employment, public services, public accommodations, and telecommunications. The role of the Denver Office of Disability Rights is to ensure compliance with Title II of the ADA, which mandates the provision of equal access to city government services, programs, and activities for people with disabilities. The Office of Disability Rights also provides oversight of the city's ADA transition plan, investigates disability-related grievances, and performs architectural plan reviews specifically related to accessibility.

Denver Commission for People with Disabilities

The mission of the Denver Commission for People with Disabilities (DCPD) is to promote and enhance equality for people with disabilities through empowerment, advocacy, and education by working with community members, as well as City and County of Denver officials and employees who have the ability to affect change. Like the DCPD page on Facebook: www.facebook.com/DenverCommissionForPeopleWithDisabilities/

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A free and confidential referral service provided by Mile High United Way



For information or additional assistance with navigating city government services, call 311

POCKETGOV.COM

311 NAVIGATING CITY SERVICES



QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

Building Codes for Accessibility: Visit www.DenverGov.org/disabilities. All updated national and Denver-specific accessibility standards for buildings are listed under the “Denver Building Code – Accessibility” tab.

Bus or Light Rail Access: Regional Transit Authority (RTD) – 303-299-6000.

Curb ramp hotline: 720-460-9055.

Damaged sidewalks or snow accumulation on sidewalks: Contact Denver 311.

Disability/Accessible Parking: Public Works / Right of Way Enforcement (ROWE) – 720-913-8482.

Disability Signage for Parking at Commercial or Residential Locations:
Public Works / Right of Way Enforcement (ROWE) – 720-913-8482.

Housing Discrimination (private or public housing): Denver Metro Fair Housing (DMFHC) – 720-279-4291.

Service Animals: Visit www.Denvergov.org/disabilities. A detailed brochure with frequently asked questions is available under the “Service Animals” tab. If additional assistance is needed, you may email DisabilityAccess@denvergov.org and include contact information. Our office is not able to provide vendor recommendations for service animals trainers.

To request a **review of a business for accessibility** compliance that is not the property of the City and County of Denver Government: Contact Denver 311.

To file a **formal complaint for a business** that is not the property of the City and County of Denver Government: U.S. Department of Justice – 1-800-514-0301.

To make a **general inquiry related to access for a building/service/program** belonging to the City and County of Denver Government: Email DisabilityAccess@denvergov.org.

To file a **grievance/complaint about a building/service/program** belonging to the City and County of Denver Government: Visit www.DenverGov.org/disabilities. Complete and submit the electronic form listed under the “Filing an ADA Grievance/Complaint tab.”

ADA COORDINATORS IN CITIES SURROUNDING DENVER

Adams County ADA Coordinator

County Attorney's Office

4430 S. Adams County Parkway, Suite C5000B, Brighton, CO 80601-8206

720-523-6882 - TTY (Government Center): 720-523-6044

www.adcogov.org/americans-disabilities - ADA504@adcogov.org

Arapahoe County ADA Coordinator

Human Resources Department

5334 S. Prince St., Littleton, CO 80120-1136

303-795-4497 - www.co.arapahoe.co.us/index.aspx?NID=386

Boulder ADA Coordinator

Human Resources Manager

2025 14th Street, Boulder, CO 80302

303-441-3525 - www.bouldercounty.org/jobs/apply/pages/adacomplaint.aspx

Colorado Springs ADA Coordinator

30 South Nevada Avenue, Suite 603, Colorado Springs, CO 80903

719-385-5657

www.coloradosprings.gov/human-resources/page/grievance-procedure-under-americans-disabilities-act

Jefferson County ADA Coordinator

Deputy County Manager

100 Jefferson County Parkway, Golden, CO 80419

303-271-8567 - jeffco.us/human-resources

Lakewood ADA Coordinator

303-987-7746 - adacoordinator@lakewood.org - www.lakewood.org/ADAPolicy

Thornton ADA Coordinator

9500 Civic Center Drive, Thornton, CO 80229

303-538-7245

**www.cityofthornton.net/government/humanresources/Documents/ada_notice.pdf
adacoordinator@ciityofthornton.net**

ADA GUIDANCE AND COMPLIANCE

Assistive Technology Partners

Assistive Technology Partners' mission is to empower individuals with disabilities to achieve their highest potential through the use of assistive technology, by providing exemplary clinical services, consultation, education, research, and innovative technology development.

UCD Auraria Campus Hub, 1224 5th street, Denver, CO 80204

303-315-1280 - www.assistivetechologypartners.org

Civil Rights Education and Enforcement Center (CREEC)

CREEC promotes civil rights education and enforcement on a broad array of civil rights issues.

104 Broadway, Suite 400, Denver, CO 80203

303-757-7901 - info@eeoc.gov - www.creeclaw.org

The Colorado Civil Rights Division (CCRD)

CCRD enforces the State's anti-discrimination laws in the areas of employment, housing, and public accommodations. CCRD works to eliminate and prevent discrimination through investigation, education, mediation, and enforcement.

Department of Regulatory Agencies, 1560 Broadway, Suite 110, Denver, CO 80202

303-894-2997 - dora_CCRD@state.co.us

www.colorado.gov/pacific/dora/node/91536

Denver Anti-Discrimination Office (DADO)

DADO is responsible for enforcing Denver's ordinance that make it illegal to discriminate against individuals in employment, housing and commercial space, public accommodations, private educational institutions, and private health and welfare services. DADO works to protect individuals by eliminating discrimination by reason of race, color, national origin, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, gender variance, marital status, military status as well as physical and/or mental disabilities.

201 W. Colfax Ave., Dept. 1102, Denver, CO 80202

720-913-8458

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-andcommunity-partnerships/our-offices/anti-discrimination.html

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201 W. Colfax Ave., Dept. 1102, Denver, CO 80202

720-913-8485 - TTY: 720-913-8475 - DisabilityAccess@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-andcommunity-partnerships/our-offices/disability-rights.html

Disability Law Colorado

Disability Law Colorado addresses a wide variety of disability issues ranging from special education, housing, and employment, to long-term care and voting rights. They also offer legal representation and ADA compliance training.

455 Sherman St., Suite 130, Denver, CO 80203

800-288-1376 or 303-722-0300 All lines voice/TTY - www.disabilitylawco.org

National Federation Of The Blind (NFB)

With more than 50,000 members, the NFB is the largest and most influential membership organization of individuals who are blind in the United States. The NFB improves the lives of individuals who are blind through advocacy, education, research, technology, and programs encouraging independence and self-confidence.

County Government Office

Tower 1660 Associates LLC, 1660 S. Albion St. # 918, Denver, CO 80222

303-504-5979 - www.nfbco.org

Office of the Independent Monitor (OIM)

OIM is a civilian oversight agency for the Police and Sheriff Departments for the City and County of Denver. Citizens can file complaints and commendations.

101 W. Colfax Ave., Suite 100, Denver, CO 80202

720-913-3306 - TTY Service: 720-913-8479 - oim@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/office-of-the-independent-monitor.html

Rocky Mountain ADA Center

The Rocky Mountain ADA Center provides information on the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) to individuals and organizations throughout Colorado, Utah, Montana, Wyoming, North Dakota, and South Dakota.

3630 Sinton Road, Suite 103, Colorado Springs, CO 80907

Voice/TTY: 1-800-949-4232 - Video Phone: 719-358-2460

www.rockymountainada.org

Statewide Assistive Technology, Augmentative and Alternative Communication (SWAAAC)

SWAAAC teams provide multidisciplinary assistive technology services to enable students with disabilities equal access to the curriculum and full participation in their education and classroom.

1201 5th St., Suite 240, Campus Box 180, Denver, CO 80204

303-315-1280 - GeneralInfo@AT-Partners.org - www.swaac.com

U.S. Department of Justice-Americans with Disabilities Act Information Line

The U.S. Department of Justice provides information and materials to the public about the requirements of the ADA. Get answers to technical questions, obtain general ADA information, order free ADA materials, or ask about filing a complaint.

800-514-0301 - TTY: 800-514-0383 Toll-free - www.ada.gov/infoline.htm

U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) – Denver Office

The EEOC is responsible for enforcing federal laws that make it illegal to discriminate against a job applicant or an employee because of the person's race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability.

1-800-669-4000 - Video Phone: 844-234-5122 - TTY: 1-800-669-6820

www.eeoc.gov/field/denver

ADVOCACY/LEGAL RESOURCES

ADAPT

ADAPT is a national grassroots community that organizes disability rights activists to engage in nonviolent direct action, including civil disobedience, to assure the civil and human rights of people with disabilities to live in freedom.

201 S. Cherokee Street, Denver, CO 80223

303-733-9324 - adapt@adapt.org - www.adapt.org

AdvocacyDenver

AdvocacyDenver is a nonprofit, civil rights advocacy organization serving children, teens with disabilities, and adults with developmental or intellectual disabilities – and their families.

1905 Sherman St., Suite 300, Denver, CO 80203

Phone: 303-831-7733 - Referral and Intake Hotline: 303-974-2530

www.advocacydenver.org

The Arc of Adams County

The Arc of Adams County provides advocacy supports for children and adults with developmental disabilities.

641 E. 112th Ave., Northglenn, CO 80233

303-428-0310 - info@arcadams.org - www.arcadams.org

The Arc of Aurora

With knowledge, passion, commitment, and integrity, the Arc of Aurora works with and on behalf of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) to improve the quality of their lives.

1342 S. Chambers Road, Aurora CO 80017-4045

720-213-1420 - arcaurora@sprintmail.com - www.thearcofaurora.org

The Arc of Colorado

The Arc of Colorado is a private not-for-profit 501(c)(3) statewide volunteer organization dedicated to support and advocacy for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. The Arc of Colorado connects clients to community resources, helps them to understand and access government services, and stands with them when they need an advocate.

1580 Logan Street, Suite 730, Denver, CO 80210

303-864-9334 - www.thearcofco.org

The Arc of Jefferson, Clear Creek, and Gilpin Counties

The Arc in Jefferson County serves children and adults with cognitive, intellectual, and developmental disabilities and their families from three counties (Jefferson, Clear Creek, and Gilpin). They also provide individual advocacy and training.

13949 West Colfax Ave., Denver West Building 1, Suite 150, Lakewood, CO 80401
303-232-1338 - info@arjc.org - www.arcjc.org

The Center for People with Disabilities (CPWD)

The Center for People With Disabilities provides resources, information, and advocacy to assist people with disabilities in overcoming barriers to independent living.

1675 Range Street, Boulder, Colorado 80301
303-442-8662 - Video Phone: 720-459-5341
northmetro@cpwd.org - www.cpwd-ilc.org

The Center's Legal Initiatives Project

The Center operates both legal advocacy and referrals for the GLBT community and those living with HIV/AIDS.

1050 Broadway , Denver, CO 80203
Legal Helpline: 303-871-1321 - Main Line 303-733-PRIDE (7743)
Main Website www.glbtcolorado.org
Legal Website www.glbtcolorado.org/legaladvocacy

Civil Rights Education and Enforcement Center (CREEC)

CREEC is a nonprofit membership organization whose goal is to ensure that everyone can fully and independently participate in the nation's civic life without discrimination based on race, gender, disability, religion, national origin, age, sexual orientation, or gender identity.

104 Broadway, Suite 400, Denver, CO 80203
303-757-7901 - www.creeclaw.org

Colorado Cross-Disability Coalition (CCDC)

CCDC is Colorado's only statewide cross-disability organization dedicated to promoting social justice and enforcing civil rights for people with all types of disabilities.

1385 S. Colorado Blvd., Suite 610-A, Denver, CO 80222
303-839-1775 - info@ccdconline.org - www.ccdconline.org

Colorado Developmental Disabilities Council (CDDC)

The mission of the CDDC is to advocate in collaboration with and on behalf of people with developmental disabilities for the establishment and implementation of public policy which will further their independence, productivity, and integration.

1120 Lincoln, Suite 706, Denver, CO 80203
720-941-0176 - cdhs_cddpc_email@state.co.us - www.coddc.org

Denver Bar Association - Ask a Lawyer

Volunteer attorneys are available to answer basic legal questions via phone free of charge. Calls are strictly confidential. Call to learn specific dates and times.

303-860-1115 - www.cobar.org/For-the-Public

Disability Law Colorado

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455 Sherman St., Suite 130, Denver, CO 80203

(800) 288-1376 or 303-722-0300 - www.disabilitylawco.org

Domestic Violence Initiative for Women with Disabilities

This is a statewide victim services organization, providing advocacy, case management, direct services, information and referrals, support, safety planning, and other safety related services to Colorado's people with disabilities and their children who are survivors of domestic violence. Call for intake procedures. By appointment only.

899 Logan St., Suite 310, Denver, CO 80203

303-839-5510 - 877-839-5510 - www.dviforwomen.org

DRCOG Aging and Disability Resource Center

The Aging and Disability Resource Center is a facet of the Denver Regional Council of Governments (DRCOG), which provides information and assistance, as well as counseling for both older adults and adults 18+ living with a disability.

1290 Broadway, Suite 700, Denver CO 80203

303-480-6700 - drcog@drcog.org - www.drcog.org

ATTENDANT SERVICES

Accent on Independence

Accent on Independence strives to promote independence among people with disabilities and older adults by providing quality home care services in a safe and effective manner at their place of residence.

1550 Dover St., Lakewood, CO 80215

303-331-0818 - info@aioihomecare.com - www.aioihomecare.com

All For Kids Home Health

Their mission is to help families of children with disabilities and cancer. They have experience with children with cancer and multiple disabilities. They work to help families at the medical and financial level.

155 E. Jewell Avenue, Suite 900 Denver, CO 80222

720-456-8054 - andrea@allforkidshealth.com - www.allforkidshealth.com

InnovAge

Individuals can trust the trained experts at InnovAge to create a customized and coordinated care plan to assist older adults and individuals with disabilities with living as independently as possible.

Multiple Locations - 888-992-4464 - www.myinnovage.org

Learning Services

Learning Services has provided acquired brain injury rehabilitation and care for more than 30 years. Learning Services was founded on the belief that therapies should focus on the development of compensatory strategies that enable individuals to function as independently as possible in the least restrictive settings.

7201 W. Hampden Ave., Lakewood, CO 80227

303-989-6660 - www.learningservices.com

Personal Assistance Services of Colorado (PASCO)

Long involved with advocating and keeping persons with disabilities out of institutions, PASCO has been an industry leader in home care since 1992. PASCO has paid for hundreds of families to become CNAs (Certified Nursing Assistants) via their Family CNA Program, subsequently becoming a PASCO employee to provide care for loved ones. A comprehensive "on-call" and back-up service, ensures that clients have peace of mind, knowing that there is no such thing as a "snow day." A generous benefit package, competitive wages and a positive company-wide culture, ensure longevity and quality in care. PASCO also provides services for individuals experiencing intellectual and developmental disabilities, through various Medicaid waivers, pediatric personal care, and behavioral therapy.

9197 W 6th Ave #1000, Lakewood, CO 80215

303-233-3122 - www.pascoh.com

BLIND AND LOW VISION RESOURCES

A3 Colorado

A3 Colorado improves the lives of those significantly impacted by vision loss or blindness by providing personalized support to stimulate, encourage, and empower each person in becoming active, productive, and responsible members of the community.

910 16th Street, Suite 1240, Denver, CO 80202

303-831-0117 - hello@A3colorado.org - www.a3colorado.org

American Council of the Blind of Colorado (ACBCO)

ACBCO offers a variety of programs and services to individuals who are living with a visual impairment and provide adaptive aids at little to no cost.

1536 Wynkoop ,Suite 201, Denver, CO 80202

303-831-0117 - bboyer@acbco.org - www.acbco.org

Anchor Center for Blind Children

The mission of Anchor Center for Blind Children is to teach infants and young children with visual impairments and their families, providing hope and a nurturing environment where children reach their highest potential.

2550 Roslyn Street, Denver, Colorado 80238

303-377-9732 - info@anchorcenter.org - www.anchorcenter.org

Blind Institute of Technology (BIT)

BIT prepares individuals with visual impairments and the employers who hire them for success in the workplace.

303-995-6453 - www.blindinstituteoftechnology.org

The Center for People with Disabilities (CPWD) - Beyond Vision

The Beyond Vision program provides individual services and facilitates outreach and low-vision support groups for people who are blind or living with a visual impairment and reside in Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, and Jefferson Counties.

1675 Range Street, Boulder, Colorado 8030

888-929-5519 - info@cpwd.org - www.cpwd-ilc.org/what-we-do/beyond-vision

Colorado Center for the Blind

Grounded in the National Federation of the Blind's positive philosophy of blindness, the Colorado Center for the Blind provides innovative teaching techniques, daily challenges and self-confidence that are the building blocks of independence, opportunity, and success.

2233 West Shepperd Ave., Littleton, CO 80120

303-778-1130 - ccb@cocenter.org - www.cocenter.org

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303-504-5979 - www.nfbco.org

Team EEI

TEAM EEI provides quality professional services and support to their customers and clients, particularly employment opportunities for individuals who are blind and those with low vision. These services shall include all areas of training, technical support, employment assistance and the highest level of professionalism.

P.O. BOX 1321, Westminster, CO 80036

303-893-2065 - info@teameei.org - www.teameei.org

CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

Adaptive Recreation- Denver Parks and Recreation

Denver Parks and Recreation (DPR) offers therapeutic programs for people with disabilities at any age. Through numerous leisure activities, Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialists (CTRS) and other DPR team members create opportunities to improve quality of life, foster independence, and boost self-esteem.

1849 Emerson Street, Denver, CO 80218

720-865-0820 - adaptive.recreation@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/denver-parks-and-recreation/activities-programs/adaptive-recreation.html

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DisabilityAccess@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-commissions/people-with-disabilities.html

Denver Environmental Health Program (DEH)

The DEH is dedicated to advancing Denver's environmental and public health goals. DEH works collaboratively with city, state, and community partners to conduct education, community engagement, and enforcement to ensure healthy people, pets, and a sustainable environment.

720-865-5373

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/environmental-health.html

Denver HIV Resources Planning Committee

The Denver HIV Resources Planning Committee's mission is to assist in the coordination of high quality, culturally responsive delivery of HIV/AIDS services in the Denver Metro Area.

200 W. 14th Avenue, Suite 300, Denver, CO 80204

720-865-5503 - www.dhrpc.org/default

Denver International Airport (DEN)

DEN provides a variety of accessibility services. Please visit the website for more details.

8500 Peña Blvd, Denver, Colorado U.S.A. 80249

303-342-2000 - disability.coordinator@flydenver.com

www.flydenver.com/traveler_services/accessibility

Denver Neighborhood Inspection Services

Construction projects must be inspected for compliance with a variety of building codes. To request a review of a business for accessibility that is not the property of the City and County of Denver Government, contact Denver 311.

Development Services: 201 W. Colfax Ave., Dept. 203, Denver, CO 80202

Dial 311 if inside Denver, or 720-913-1311 if outside of Denver

Neighborhood.InspectionService@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/denver-development-services/contact-us/inspection-services.html

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201 West Colfax Avenue, Dept. 1102 - 2nd Floor, Denver, CO 80202

DisabilityAccess@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/disability-rights.html

Denver Office of Sign Language Services (OSLS)

The OSLS provides sign interpreters and open captioning via Communication Access Realtime Translation (CART) to Denver government services, programs, and events.

201 W. Colfax Ave., Dept. 1102 -2nd Floor, Denver, CO 80202

V: 720-913-8487 - VP: 720-458-8486 - TTY: 720-913-8484

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/sign-language-services.html

Denver Right-of-Way Construction Inspection

The public right-of-way is an area of land owned or controlled by the city for the purposes of constructing, operating and maintaining public facilities such as streets, alleys, sidewalks, bike paths, utilities, and other public infrastructure.

2000 W. 3rd Avenue, 3rd Floor, Denver, CO 80223-1027

303-446-3469 - PWpermits@denvergov.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/right-of-way-services.html

DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING RESOURCES

Association of Late Deafened Adults (ALDA)

ALDA is a nonprofit organization with the general objectives of providing education, advocacy, role models, and support for people with acquired deafness.

1362 1/2 Alpine Avenue, Boulder, CO 80304

V/TTY: 815-332-1515 - Text only: 720-417-3212 - ALDABoulder@gmail.com

Colorado Association of the Deaf (CAD)

CAD is dedicated to protecting the rights of deaf individuals, and their families, to accessible services.

3131 Osceola St., Denver, CO 80212

Video Phone: 303-866-4824 - VP: 720-457-3679 - www.facebook.com/CADeaf

Colorado Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (CCDHH)

CCDHH provides grants for eligible organizations that will address priorities of the deaf, hard-of-hearing, and deaf-blind communities. They run a telecommunications equipment distribution program, provide support services to the deaf-blind community, provide legal auxiliary services, and advocate for systems change in the form of policy changes made to meet the needs of the deaf, hard of hearing, and deaf-blind communities.

1575 Sherman St., Garden Level, Denver, CO 80203

720-457-3679 - VP/303-866-4824 - email.ccdhh@state.co.us

www.ccdhh.com

Colorado Families for Hands and Voices

A nonprofit, parent-driven organization providing families with the resources, networks, and information they need to improve communication access and educational outcomes for their children.

P.O. Box 3093, Boulder, CO 80307

V: 303-492-6283 - cohv@cohandsandvoices.org - www.cohandsandvoices.org

Deaf Overcoming Violence through Empowerment (DOVE)

Medical support services for deaf domestic violence and sexual assault survivors: Includes medical and legal advocacy, support groups, education and outreach to service providers and the community.

DOVE, PO Box 150449, Denver, CO 80215

24 Hour Crisis Line: Video Phone/303-831-7874 - General Video Phone/303-831-7932

Crisis: hotline@deafdove.org - General: office@deafdove.org - www.deafdove.org

Denver Public Schools - Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program

Supervisor for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program

720-595-6126

Denver Elections Division - Voter Information

www.youtube.com/watch?v=DfZ8uNkGTgU&feature=youtu.be

www.youtube.com/watch?v=1_SzLmfYAc8&feature=youtu.be

Goodwill Industries of Denver - Deaf Services Program

Program participants are engaged in work activity programs through the Community Employment Program. As an approved service agency for the people with developmental disabilities with the State of Colorado, their programs include deaf services, work activity day programs, enclaves (group work programs), community integrated employment, and supported living services. They offer vocational support for people with disabilities in the form of skills training, behavioral support, paychecks, community access, and supported living services.

6850 Federal Blvd., Denver, CO 80231

303-650-7700 - contactus@goodwilldenver.org

www.goodwilldenver.org/about/contact.html

Hearing Loss Association of America (HLAA) - Colorado

HLAA is the nation's largest organization for people with hearing loss. The Mission of HLAA is to open the world of communication to people with hearing loss by providing information, education, support, and advocacy. HLAA works on the national level to affect legislation that impacts people with hearing loss, whether it's funding for hearing aids and cochlear implants, communication access in public places, or other important issues.

P. O. Box 472704, Aurora, CO 80047-2704

303-938-9659 - debbie@mountainocean.com - www.hearinglosscolorado.org

Listen Foundation

The Listen Foundation assists infants and children who are deaf or hard of hearing learn to listen and talk.

6950 E. Belleview Ave., Suite 203, Englewood, CO 80111

303-781-9440 - info@listenfoundation.org - www.listenfoundation.org

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www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/sign-language-services.html

Relay Colorado

Relay Colorado is a free service for people with hearing or speech loss to communicate with standard telephone users.

800-676-3777 - Sprint.TRSCustServ@sprint.com - www.relaycolorado.com

Rocky Mountain Deaf School (RMDS)

RMDS provides a publicly-funded bilingual education to children in preschool through 12th grade who are deaf or hard of hearing. This program promotes academic excellence and full proficiency in ASL and English literacy.

10300 W. Nassau Ave., Denver, CO 80235

303-984-5749 - Video Phone: 720-961-9200 - info@rmds.co - www.rmds.co

Silent Athletic Club (SAC)

The purposes of the SAC are: to provide opportunities for its members who are deaf to participate in athletic, social, and charitable activities; to uphold honor, friendship, and good citizenship; to encourage ambition and honesty; and to support charitable events benefiting the deaf community. Hot breakfast and lunch served every Tuesday (also, lunch on the 1st Saturday and dinner on the 3rd Saturday), social activities and events. Open to deaf adults age 55+.

1575 Elmira St., Aurora, CO 80010

Video Phone: 720-862-3961 - www.sacdenver.com

Visible Voices

Visible Voices provides CART services in a variety of settings for people who are deaf or hard of hearing. They also offer onsite CART, Projected CART, and Remote CART services.

Voice and Text 720-838-3737 - info@visiblevoices.org - www.visiblevoices.com

For additional resources for deaf and hard of hearing patrons please visit, www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/sign-language-services.html and select the "Deaf Services Resource Guide" tab.

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES RESOURCES

Developmental Disabilities Resource Center (DDRC)

DDRC creates opportunities for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families to participate fully in the community.

11177 West 8th Avenue, Lakewood, Colorado 80215

303-233-3363 - www.ddrcco.com

HOPE Center, Inc.

HOPE Center is a community-based agency dedicated to meeting the needs of individuals with developmental disabilities, developmental delays, and persons in need of specialized educational or vocational services. These services are provided in order to develop, maintain, and enhance the functioning of each enrollee.

3400 Elizabeth St., Denver, CO 80205

303-388-4801 - gghope@qwest.net - www.hopecenterinc.org

Invisible Disabilities Association (IDA)

IDA strives to explain that even though the symptoms from chronic illness, pain and injury may not always be physically obvious, these "invisible disabilities" are very real. IDA provides helpful links to sites and organizations of several diseases, disorders and conditions, as well as a support board.

P.O. Box 4067 P, Parker, CO 80134

1-800-949-4232 - www.invisibledisabilities.org

JFK Partners

The mission of JFK Partners is to promote the independence, inclusion, contribution, health, and well-being of people with developmental disabilities and special health care needs and their families through consumer, community, and university partnerships.

13121 E. 17th Ave., C234, Aurora, CO 80045

303-724-7630

www.ucdenver.edu/academics/colleges/medicalschoo/programs/JFKPartners/Pages/JFK%20Partners.aspx

Laradon

Laradon is a support network made up of people who care and are committed to helping people with developmental disabilities maximize their independence in a dynamic world.

5100 Lincoln St., Denver, CO 80216

303-296-2400 - www.laradon.org

Mosaic - Denver

Mosaic is a faith-based organization serving people with intellectual disabilities. They believe that every individual is a person of worth. Together, Mosaic staff members, volunteers, and the people they support, work as partners.

3443 S Galena St., Denver, CO 80231

303-369-9711 - www.mosaicinfo.org/location/mosaic-denver

Rocky Mountain Human Services (RMHS)

RMHS is a nonprofit organization that serves children with developmental delays and disabilities, adults with cognitive and intellectual disabilities, adults who live with the effects of a traumatic brain injury (TBI), veterans in need of employment assistance or who are homeless or in jeopardy of losing their homes.

9900 East Iliff Avenue, Denver, CO 80231

303-636-5600 - www.rmhumanservices.org

DRIVING EVALUATIONS

Colorado Neurological Institute (CNI)

CNI offers a driving assessment tool known as DriveABLE. This tool is a stand-alone, push-button touch-screen system, with advanced software that is highly predictive of actual on-road driving performance.

701 East Hampden Ave., Suite 415, Englewood, CO 80113

303-788-4010 - info@thecni.org - www.thecni.org

Craig Hospital

Craig Hospital is exclusively dedicated to the specialty rehabilitation and research for patients with spinal cord injury and traumatic brain injury. They offer an outpatient driving program, as well as pre-drive evaluations for persons with visual and cognitive disabilities.

3425 S. Clarkson, Englewood, CO 80113

303-789-8000 - admissions@craighospital.org - www.craighospital.org

EDUCATION

Anchor Center for Blind Children

The mission of Anchor Center for Blind Children is to teach infants and young children with visual impairments and their families, providing hope and a nurturing environment where children reach their highest potential.

2550 Roslyn Street, Denver, Colorado 80238

303-377-9732 - info@anchorcenter.org - www.anchorcenter.org

Assistive Technology Partners

The mission is to empower individuals with disabilities to achieve their highest potential through the use of assistive technology, by providing exemplary clinical services, consultation, education, research, and innovative technology development.

UCD Auraria Campus, Hub

1224 5th Street, P.O. Box 173364, Campus Box 180-Hub, Denver, CO 80204

303-315-1280 - generalInfo@AT-Partners.org

www.assistivetechtechnologypartners.org

Atlantis Community

The mission of Atlantis Community, Inc. is to provide direct services, and to empower people with disabilities with integrating, with full and equal rights, into all parts of society, including: employment, affordable and accessible housing, transportation, recreation, communication, education, and public places—all while exercising and exerting choice and self-determination.

201 S. Cherokee, Denver, CO 80223

303-733-9324 - adapbabs@atlantiscommunityinc.com

www.atlantiscommunity.org

College Learning Experience (CLE) Denver

CLE provides post-secondary supports to students with autism, Asperger's Syndrome, ADHD, and other varying exceptionalities. CLE is dedicated to providing the highest quality of individualized services in the areas of academics, independent living, social skills, and career development.

1391 Speer Blvd., Suite 400, Denver, CO 80204

800-486-5058 - www.experiencecle.com

Colorado Office of Special Education

This site/office is a resource to teachers, administrators, and parents of students with exceptional educational needs due to disability, or learners who are culturally diverse.

1560 Broadway, Suite 1100, Denver, CO 80202

303-866-6694 - essu@cde.state.co.us - www.cde.state.co.us/cdesped

Colorado Talking Book Library (CTBL)

For people who can't read standard print, CTBL provides audio, Braille and large print books—keeping you connected to reading, stories, and adventure.

180 Sheridan Blvd., Denver, CO 80226

303-727-9277 - ctbl.info@cde.state.co.us - www2.cde.state.co.us

Denver Public Schools - Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program

Supervisor for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program

720-595-6126

Denver Public Schools - 504 Coordinator

Section 504 is a federal civil rights law that ensures students with disabilities are afforded equal opportunity to obtain the same result, to gain the same benefit, or to reach the same level of achievement as an average peer. To pursue eligibility, a student can be referred to the school's Section 504 coordinator. A Section 504 team would convene to determine eligibility. If the student is found to be eligible, the Section 504 team would determine the student's placement, services, and accommodations to help mitigate barriers caused by the impairment(s).

Emily Griffith Campus, 1860 Lincoln St., Denver, CO 80203

720-423-2643

studentequity.dpsk12.org/section504

Easter Seals Society

Easter Seals provides services to children and adults with disabilities, and support to their families.

5755 W. Alameda Ave., Lakewood, CO 80226

303-233-1666 - info@eastersealscolorado.org - www.easterseals.com/co

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3400 Elizabeth St., Denver, CO 80205

303-388-4801 - gghope@qwest.net - www.hopecenterinc.org

Rocky Mountain Deaf School (RMDS)

RMDS provides a publicly-funded bilingual education to children in preschool through 12th grade who are deaf or hard of hearing. This program promotes academic excellence and full proficiency in ASL and English literacy.

10300 W. Nassau Ave., Denver, CO 80235

303-984-5749 - Video Phone: 720-961-9200 - info@rmds.co - www.rmds.co

Rocky Mountain Human Services (RMHS)

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9900 East Iliff Avenue, Denver, CO 80231

303-636-5600 - www.rmhumanservices.org

EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES

The Arc of Adams County

The Arc of Adams county provides advocacy supports for children and adults with developmental disabilities.

641 E .112th Ave., Northglenn, CO 80233

303-428-0310 - info@arcadams.org - www.arcadams.org

The Arc of Aurora

With knowledge, passion, commitment, and integrity, The Arc of Aurora works with and on behalf of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) to improve the quality of their lives.

1342 S. Chambers Road, Aurora, CO 80017-4045

720-213-1420 - arcaurora@sprintmail.com - www.thearcofaurora.org

The Arc of Colorado

The Arc of Colorado is a private not-for-profit 501(c)(3) statewide volunteer organization dedicated to support and advocacy for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. The Arc of Colorado connects clients to community resources, helps them to understand and access government services, and stands with them when they need an advocate.

1580 Logan Street, Suite 730, Denver, CO 80210

303-864-9334 - www.thearcofco.org

The Arc of Jefferson, Clear Creek, and Gilpin Counties

The Arc in Jefferson County serves children and adults with cognitive, intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families from three counties (Jefferson, Clear Creek and Gilpin). They also provide individual advocacy and training.

13949 West Colfax Ave., Denver West Building 1, Suite 150

Lakewood, CO 80401

303-232-1338 - www.arcjc.org

Bayaud Enterprises

The mission of Bayaud Enterprises is to create hope, opportunity, and choice, as a means through which people with disabilities and those facing other barriers to employment can more fully participate.

333 W. Bayaud Ave., Denver, CO 80223
303-830-6885 - www.bayaudenterprises.org

Blind Institute of Technology (BIT)

BIT prepares those with visual impairments and the employers who hire them for success in the workplace.

303-995-6453 - mike@blindit.org - www.blindinstituteoftechnology.org

Colorado Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR)

The Colorado DVR assists persons with disabilities to succeed at work and to live independently. They can provide equipment to assist with finding or retaining employment, including but not limited to, hearing aids and other listening devices.

2211 W. Evans, Denver, Colorado 80223
303-866-2500 - 877-243-2823 - voc.rehab@state.co.us - www.dvrcolorado.com

Denver Office of Human Resources (OHR)

The OHR maintains a competitive merit system that provides equal employment opportunity to all applicants. Applicants with disabilities who require assistance in the hiring process should email AssessmentTeam@denvergov.org for more information.

Wellington E. Webb Municipal Office Building
201 West Colfax Avenue, Dept. 412 (4th Floor), Denver, CO 80202
720-913-5751
www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/office-of-human-resources.html

Easter Seals Society

Easter Seals provides services to children and adults with disabilities and support to their families.

5755 W. Alameda Ave., Lakewood, CO 80226
303-233-1666 - info@eastersealscolorado.org - www.easterseals.com/co

Goodwill Industries of Denver

Program participants are engaged in work activity programs through the Community Employment Program. As an approved service agency for the people with developmental disabilities with the State of Colorado, their programs include deaf services, work activity day programs, enclaves (group work programs), community integrated employment, and supported living services. They offer vocational support for people with disabilities in the form of skills training, behavioral support, paychecks, community access, and supported living services.

6850 Federal Blvd., Denver, CO 80231
303-650-7700 - contactus@goodwilldenver.org
www.goodwilldenver.org/about/contact.html

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3400 Elizabeth St., Denver, CO 80205

303-388-4801 - gghope@qwest.net - www.hopecenterinc.org

St. Francis Center (SFC)

SFC is a refuge for men and women who are experiencing homelessness in the metro Denver area, providing services that enable people to meet their basic needs for daily survival and to transition out of homelessness.

2323 Curtis St., Denver, CO 80205

303-297-1577 - info@sfcdenver.org - www.sfcdenver.org

Team EEI

TEAM EEI provides quality professional services and support to their customers and clients, particularly employment opportunities for individuals who are blind and those with low vision. These services shall include all areas of training, technical support, employment assistance and the highest level of professionalism.

P.O. BOX 1321, Westminster, CO 80036

303-893-2065 - info@teameei.org - www.teameei.org

FINANCIAL SERVICES

Bank on Denver

Bank on Denver connects unbanked and underbanked metro Denver area residents to free financial education and local financial institutions to ensure that residents have access to products and services that allow them to maximize opportunities for building assets and improving financial stability.

3-1-1 - If calling from outside Denver: 720-913-1311

info@bankondenver.org - www.bankondenver.org

Colorado Fund for People with Disabilities (CFPD)

Established in 1994, CFPD is well-versed in Supplemental Needs Trusts. Their range of services meets the wide demands of helping families, including persons with disabilities and older adults, protects and conserves assets, and enhances the quality of life.

1355 S. Colorado Blvd., Suite 920, Denver, CO 80222

303-733-2867 - info@cfpdtrust.org - www.cfpdtrust.org

Disability Benefits - Social Security Administration (SSA)

The Social Security and Supplemental Security Income disability programs are the largest of several Federal programs that provide assistance to people with disabilities. While these two programs are different in many ways, both are administered by the Social Security Administration and only individuals who have a disability and meet medical criteria may qualify for benefits under either program.

U.S. Social Security Administration

1- 800-772-1213 - www.ssa.gov/disability

Financial Empowerment Centers

Free one-on-one financial coaching that helps residents reduce debt, develop savings, establish credit, increase credit scores, and receive basic banking services.

720-944-2498 - fec@mpoweredcolorado.org

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/office-of-financial-empowerment/financial-empowerment-centers.html

HIV/AIDS RESOURCES

The Center's Legal Initiatives Project

The Center provides both legal advocacy and referrals for the GLBT community and those living with HIV/AIDS.

1301 E. Colfax Ave., Denver, CO 80218

303-733-PRIDE (7743) - www.glbtcOLORADO.org

Denver Colorado AIDS Project (DCAP)

DCAP is a 31-year-old community based organization that helps those living with HIV/AIDS, and those at risk, to make healthy choices for a self-sufficient, enhanced quality of life. DCAP provides innovative, individualized services to those most in need, educates high risk populations, and advocates for social and health care equity.

Client Services: 6260 E. Colfax Avenue, Denver, CO 80220

303-837-0166 - www.ncaids.org/denver-colorado-aids-project

Denver HIV Resources Planning Council

The mission is to assist in the coordination of high quality, culturally responsive delivery of HIV/AIDS services in the Denver Metro Area. The Council sets priorities for the services most needed in the Denver Transitional Grant Area (TGA), decides how much Part A (Title I) money should be used for each of these services (resource allocation), and develops a plan to provide these services (comprehensive plan). The Denver TGA includes the Colorado counties of Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, and Jefferson.

200 W. 14th Avenue, Suite 300, Denver, CO 80204

720-865-5503 - jeanf@dhrpc.org - www.dhrpc.org

HOUSING

Adult Care Management, Inc. (ACMI)

ACMI is a Colorado-based nonprofit organization providing care management services for adults and children who seek information about, and access to, long-term care services in Colorado.

1455 Dixon Ave., Suite 105, Lafayette, CO 80026

1-855-784-0062 - www.acmico.org/Pages/default.aspx

Atlantis Community

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201 S. Cherokee, Denver, CO 80223

303-733-9324 - adapbabs@atlantiscommunityinc.com

www.atlantiscommunity.org

Brothers Redevelopment Inc.

Brothers Redevelopment, Inc. is a Denver-based nonprofit organization that provides housing and a variety of housing-related services for the region's residents who are older adults, living with disabilities, or who are financially stressed.

2250 Eaton St. Garden Level, Suite B, Denver, CO 80214

303-202-6340 - info@brothersredevelopment.org

www.brothersredevelopment.org

The Center for People with Disabilities (CPWD)

The mission of CPWD is to provide resources, information, and advocacy to assist people with disabilities in overcoming barriers to independent living.

1675 Range Street, Boulder, Colorado 80301

1-888-929-5519 - northmetro@cpwd.org - www.cpwd-ilc.org

Denver Housing Authority (DHA)

DHA's mission is to serve the residents of Denver by developing, owning, and operating safe, decent, and affordable housing in a manner that promotes thriving communities.

777 Grant St., Denver, CO 80203

720-932-3000 - www.denverhousing.org

Denver Metro Fair Housing Center (DMFHC)

DMFHC is the voice of fair housing in Metro Denver. DMFHC works to eliminate housing discrimination and to promote housing choice for all people through education, advocacy, and enforcement of fair housing law.

3280 Downing St., Suite B, Denver, CO 80205

720-279-4291 - dmfhc@dmfhc.org - www.dmfhc.org

The Salvation Army Rehabilitation Center

For over 100 years The Salvation Army's Adult Rehabilitation Centers and Harbor Light programs have provided spiritual, social, and emotional assistance for men and women. Services include residential housing, work, and group and individual therapy.

4751 Broadway, Denver, CO 80216

303-294-0827 - www.intermountain.salvationarmy.org

St. Francis Center (SFC)

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2323 Curtis St., Denver, CO 80205

303-297-1577 - info@sfcdenver.org - www.sfcdenver.org

Volunteers of America - Brandon Safe Haven

Brandon Safe Haven is a longer term housing program for women with disabilities experiencing homelessness. The program provides assistance to those seeking refuge from domestic violence or homelessness and prioritizes women who are highly vulnerable.

1550 Yates St., Denver, CO 80204

303-620-9190 - brandon2@voacolorado.org - www.voacolorado.org

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Alzheimer's Association

The Alzheimer's Association is the leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer care, support, and research.

455 Sherman St., #500, Denver, CO 80203-3532

303-813-1669 - www.alz.org

Arapahoe House

Arapahoe House has 11 locations in Colorado to provide a continuum of accessible, affordable, and effective services for individuals and families with alcohol, drug, and other behavioral or mental health disorders.

8801 Lipan Street, Thornton, Colorado (CO) 80260

303-657-3700 - info@ahinc.org - www.arapahoehouse.org

Colorado Crisis Services

Colorado's first statewide resource for mental health, substance use or emotional crisis help, information, and referrals. Their purpose is to provide greater access to mental health services, ensuring Coloradans get the right services in the right locations, at the right time.

Denver Walk-In Location: 4353 E. Colfax Avenue, Denver, CO 80220

Littleton Walk-In Location: 6509 S. Santa Fe Drive, Littleton, CO 80120

Lakewood Walk-In Location: 12055 W. 2nd Place, Lakewood, CO 80228

Crisis Line: 1-844-493-TALK (8255) - www.coloradocrisisservices.org

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P.O. Box 4067 P, Parker, CO 80134

1-800-949-4232 - www.invisibledisabilities.org

Learning Services

Learning Services has provided acquired brain injury rehabilitation and care for more than 30 years. They were founded on the belief that therapies should focus on the development of compensatory strategies that enable individuals to function as independently as possible in the least restrictive settings.

7201 W. Hampden Ave., Lakewood, CO 80227

303-989-6660 - www.learningservices.com/locations/colorado

Mental Health Center of Denver (MHCD)

MHCD is a place for recovery, resilience, and well-being, known locally and nationally as a model for innovative and effective community behavioral healthcare.

4141 E. Dickenson Pl., Denver, CO 80222 (Multiple Locations)

303-504-6500 - info@mhcd.org - www.mhcd.org

Mental Health Colorado

Mental Health Colorado advocates for the more than one million Coloradans who experience a mental health or substance use disorder each year. They engage policymakers, providers, the public, and the press to promote early intervention, expand access to affordable services, and eradicate stigma and discrimination.

1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 1606, Denver, Colorado 80203

720-208-2220 - www.mentalhealthcolorado.org

National Suicide Prevention Hotline

The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline provides free and confidential emotional support to people in suicidal crisis or emotional distress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Since its inception, the Lifeline has engaged in a variety of initiatives to improve crisis services and advance suicide prevention.

1-800-273-TALK (8255) - www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org

OLDER ADULT SERVICES

All About Seniors, Inc

All About Seniors Inc. is a free referral service dedicated to assisting aging adults and their families with senior living options. They help eliminate the stress and time-consuming process of locating housing needs for seniors.

PO Box 33793, Denver, CO 80233

720-837-6306 - www.allaboutseniorsinc.net

InnovAge

Individuals can trust the trained experts at InnovAge to create a customized and coordinated care plan to assist older adults and individuals with disabilities with living as independently as possible.

Multiple Locations - 888-992-4464 - www.myinnovage.org

Volunteers of America - Brandon Safe Haven

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1550 Yates St., Denver, CO 80204

303-620-9190 - brandon2@voacolorado.org - www.voacolorado.org

For additional resources serving older adult patrons, please visit, www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/human-rights-and-community-partnerships/our-offices/aging.html and select the "Older Adult Resource Directory" tab.

PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS, REFUNDS, AND CREDITS

Partial Refund Payment

The “Elderly and Disabled Refund Payment” provides a partial refund of property taxes, (or the equivalent in rent), is available for older adults (age 65 or older), who are financially stressed or are living with disabilities. To qualify as an older adult with disabilities, the applicant must either have received SSI, SSDI, or Veterans Benefits for the entire year for which taxes are filed. The applicants must qualify based on residence and the maximum amount an applicant can receive is based on income.

Denver Human Services, 1200 Federal Blvd., Rm 1026, Denver, CO 80204

720-944-3666

www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/denver-human-services/programs/adults-and-seniors/elderly-and-disabled-refund-payment.html

Property Tax Exemptions

A partial property tax exemption is available for veterans with disabilities who meet application criteria. Veterans applying for tax exemptions should go through the Department of Veteran’s Affairs.

Colorado Dept. of Military and Veterans Affairs - Division of Veterans Affairs

1355 S. Colorado Blvd., Bldg. C, Suite 113, Denver, Colorado 80222

303-284-6077 - www.colorado.gov/vets

State Property Tax/Rent/Heat Credit Rebate

This credit rebate program assists people with disabilities with property tax, rent, or heat expenses.

303-238-SERV (7378) - TTY: 1-800-659-2656

www.colorado.gov/pacific/tax/property-tax-rent-heat-credit-ptc-rebate-file

REHABILITATION SERVICES

Arapahoe House

Arapahoe House has 11 locations in Colorado to provide a continuum of accessible, affordable, and effective services for individuals and families with alcohol, drug, and other behavioral or mental disorders.

8801 Lipan Street, Thornton, Colorado (CO) 80260

303-657-3700 - info@ahinc.org - www.arapahoehouse.org

Assistance League Denver

The Hospital Equipment Lending Project (HELP) provides hospital equipment for in-home rehabilitation at no charge. Patients are asked to return equipment at the end of their rehabilitation. Patients are referred by doctors, hospitals, physical therapists and occupational therapists. Hours are Wednesday and Thursday from 9am to 1pm.

6265 East Evans, Suite 7, Denver, CO 80222

303-322-1688 - AssistanceLeagueDenver@yahoo.com

www.denver.assistanceleague.org

Center for Recovery

Center for Recovery offers treatment related to drug and alcohol use.

2121 S Oneida St., Denver, CO 80224

303-694-7492 - www.centerforrecovery.net

Chanda Plan Foundation

The mission is to improve the quality of life for persons with physical disabilities through direct services and systemic change to access integrative therapies.

1630 Carr Street, Lakewood, CO 80214

800-766-4255 - www.thechandaplanfoundation.org

Craig Hospital

Craig Hospital is exclusively dedicated to the specialty rehabilitation and research for patients with spinal cord injury and traumatic brain injury. They offer an outpatient driving program, as well as pre-drive evaluations for persons with visual and cognitive disabilities.

3425 S. Clarkson, Englewood, CO 80113

303-789-8000 - Admissions@craighospital.org - www.craig-hospital.org

Eating Recovery Center

Eating Recovery Center is one of the very few treatment centers to offer the full spectrum of recovery services for female and male adults, adolescents and children at its four Denver facilities and across its national network of partners.

7351 E. Lowry Blvd., Suite 200, Denver, Colorado 80230

1-877-711-1878 - info@eatingrecoverycenter.com - www.eatingrecoverycenter.com

The Raleigh House of Hope

Raleigh House of Hope provides a 90-day substance dependency and addiction treatment program where clients heal, learn, and grow at their own pace of recovery.

6870 W 52nd Ave, Suite 103, Arvada, CO 80002

720-891-4657 - www.theraleighhouse.com

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9900 East Iliff Avenue, Denver, CO 80231

303-636-5600 - www.rmhumanservices.org

The Rose House

The Rose House provides a supportive, therapeutic environment for women who have the desire to recover from addiction and maintain long-term sobriety.

P.O. Box 270416, Louisville, CO 80027

888-398-4111 - info@rosehousecolorado.com - www.rosehousecolorado.com

The Salvation Army Rehabilitation Center

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4751 Broadway, Denver, CO 80216

303-294-0827 - www.intermountain.salvationarmy.org

Sloan's Lake Rehabilitation Center

They employ a variety of high-tech and hands-on therapeutic approaches to design a custom therapy program that is tailored specifically to the needs of each individual.

1601 Lowell Boulevard, Denver, CO 80204-1545

303-534-2211 - sloanslake@ensingroup.net - www.sloanslakerehab.com

Sobriety House

Sobriety House offers an affordable treatment option with a full continuum of care. Upon arrival, each client is assessed individually for the level of care appropriate for them.

121 Acoma Street, Denver, CO 80223-1429

720-381-4337 - www.sobrietyhouse.org

Spalding Rehabilitation Hospital

Spalding Rehabilitation Hospital offers comprehensive inpatient and outpatient rehabilitation programs as well as a number of specialty clinical programs delivered by a multidisciplinary team of clinicians.

900 Potomac St., Aurora, CO 80011-6716

303-367-1166 - www.spaldingrehab.com

SERVICE ANIMALS

Canine Partners of the Rockies, Inc.

Canine Partners of the Rockies currently trains service dogs for people with mobility limiting disabilities and therapy dogs that provide therapeutic intervention under the guidance of a trained caregiver, healthcare worker, therapist, or other professional.

P.O. Box 460214, Denver, CO 80246

303-364-9040 - info@caninepartnersoftherockies.org

www.caninepartnersoftherockies.org

Freedom Service Dogs of America

Freedom Service Dogs is a nonprofit organization that enhances the lives of people with disabilities by rescuing dogs and custom training them for individual client needs.

2000 W. Union Ave., Englewood, CO 80110

303-922-6231 - www.freedomservicedogs.org

International Hearing Dog, Inc. (IHDI)

IHDI has trained more than 1,100 professionally certified hearing dogs since 1979. All of the dogs selected for this special training come from local animal shelters.

5901 E. 89th Ave., Henderson, CO 80640

303-287-3277 - info@hearingdog.org - www.hearingdog.org

A detailed brochure with frequently asked questions about service animals is available at **www.Denvergov.org/disabilities**, under the "Service Animals" tab.

SERVICES IN SPANISH

El Grupo Vida

El Grupo VIDA es un grupo de padres Latinos formado para dar apoyo mutuo a las personas con discapacidades sus padres, familia, y tutelas.

7323 S. Alton Way, Unit A, Centennial, CO 80112

303-335-9875 - info@elgrupovida.org - www.elgrupovida.org/Index.htm

TRANSPORTATION

RTD ADA Manager

The ADA Manager's Office oversees RTD's compliance with Titles I and II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ADA Office ensures and monitors ADA compliance for all services and programs provided by RTD.

1600 Blake Street, Denver, Colorado 80202

303-299-2370 - www.rtd-denver.com/Accessibility.shtml

RTD Disability Discount

The RTD Disability Discount provides 50% fare reduction for people with disabilities on all regular bus and light rail services.

1600 Blake Street, Denver: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m.—noon and 1:00p.m. - 4:00p.m.

1400 Walnut Street, Boulder: Monday Only, 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m.

910 Longs Peak Avenue (Longmont Senior Center), Longmont: Second Wednesday each month, 3:00p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

303-299-2667

Denver, Boulder and Longmont RTD Locations

303-299-6000 - TTY: 303-299-6089

RTD Paratransit (Access-A-Ride)

RTD Paratransit addresses the unique needs and challenges of all individuals by facilitating accessibility, mobility, and community involvement through their programs and services. Their stations, stops, Park-n-Rides, and vehicles have accessible features to make reaching a destination easy. They offer customized travel training and provide special services and accommodations for those who are not able to use their fixed route buses and trains.

303-299- 2370 (Request a Reasonable Modification)

303-299-6000 (Submit an ADA Complaint)

www.rtd-denver.com/Accessibility.shtml

VETERANS' BENEFITS

Disabled American Veterans (DAV)

DAV is dedicated to empowering veterans to lead high-quality lives with respect and dignity. They accomplish this by ensuring that veterans and their families can access the full range of benefits available to them, including, but not limited to, fighting for the interests of America's injured heroes on Capitol Hill and educating the public about the great sacrifices and needs of veterans transitioning back to civilian life.

155 Van Gordon St., Lakewood, CO 80228

303-914-5570 - www.dav.org

Easter Seals Society

Easter Seals provides services to children and adults with disabilities and support to their families.

5755 W. Alameda Ave., Lakewood, CO 80226

303-233-1666 - info@eastersealscolorado.org - www.easterseals.com/co

Paralyzed Veterans of America (PVA) - Mountain States Chapter

PVA works to maximize the quality of life for its members and all people with a spinal cord injury or disorder as a leading advocate for health care, a spinal cord injury or disorder research and education, veterans' benefits and rights, accessibility and the removal of architectural barriers, sports programs, and disability rights.

12200 E. Iliff Ave., #107, Aurora, CO 80014

303-597-0038 - 1-800-232-1782 (Healthcare Hotline) - info@mscpva.org

www.pva.org

Rocky Mountain Human Services (RMHS)

RMHS is a nonprofit organization that serves children with developmental delays and disabilities, adults with cognitive and intellectual disabilities, adults who live with the effects of a traumatic brain injury (TBI), and veterans in need of employment assistance or who are homeless or in jeopardy of losing their homes

9900 East Iliff Avenue, Denver, CO 80231

303-636-5600 - www.rmhumanservices.org

Veteran Crisis Line

Special suicide prevention service for U.S. military veterans, active military, and their families.

1-800-273-TALK (8255) Then press "1" - www.veteranscrisisline.net

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En el espíritu de los Días de Denver, cuando los vecinos llegan a conocer a sus vecinos, ¿por qué no nos fijamos si algún vecino necesita ayuda durante el invierno?

#NeighborCheck

Si usted o un vecino...

- un adulto anciano
- una persona incapacitada
- una enfermedad temporal
- una persona sin la capacidad física

Cuelgue este cartelito en la puerta de entrada.

Si usted puede ayudar...

Vea si sus vecinos necesitan ayuda y mire si este cartelito está en la puerta de su vecino.



**POR
FAVOR,
¡AYUDEN
ME A
REMOVER
LA NIEVE!**

In the spirit of Denver Days, where neighbors get to know neighbors, let's do a **#NeighborCheck** during this winter season.

If you or a neighbor is...

- an older adult
- living with a disability
- temporarily ill
- physically unable

hang this on the front door.

If you can give help...

check on your neighbors and look for this display on doors.



**PLEASE
HELP ME
SHOVEL!**