
Part 2 – Selected Information Resources and Sources of Products for Patrons

Any mention of products and services is for information only and does not imply endorsement.

Resources:

For a complete list, please see our web link at
<https://myctbl.cde.state.co.us/>

American Foundation for the Blind

The American Foundation for the Blind, the organization to which **Helen Keller** devoted her life, is a national nonprofit whose mission is to ensure that the 10 million Americans who are blind or visually impaired enjoy the same rights and opportunities as other citizens.

<http://www.afb.org/>

Americans with Disabilities Act

The site contains information and technical assistance on the Americans with Disabilities Act.

<http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.htm>

Arthritis Foundation

They provide information and assistance for those living with arthritis.

<https://www.arthritis.org/>

Audio Information Network of Colorado

AINC broadcasts enable those persons who, for a variety of reasons, cannot effectively read newspapers and other printed documents.

Broadcasting 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, AINC utilizes remote and local area volunteers who read from over 75 newspapers that cover the four main regions across Colorado. AINC also reads various magazines, newsletters, public service announcements, calendars of events, grocery and retail ads and employment opportunity news, and original material not available from other resources.

303-786-7777 or 1-877-443-2001 Toll-Free <http://www.aincolorado.org/>

Benefits CheckUp

From National Council on Aging — Benefits CheckUp helps thousands every day to find programs for people ages 55 and over that may pay for some of their costs of prescription drugs, health care, utilities, and other essential items or services.

<https://www.benefitscheckup.org/>

Blind Institute of Technology

A 501 C3 connecting job seekers with disabilities and employers.

<https://blindinstituteoftechnology.org/>

Brain Injury Alliance Colorado

The Brain Injury Alliance of Colorado is the go-to resource for help and services for survivors of an injury to the brain, their families and providers.

<http://biacolorado.org/>

Center for Inclusive Design and Engineering

Our 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. They are located in Denver.

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

<http://www.ucdenver.edu/academics/colleges/medicalschoo/programs/atp/Pages/AssistiveTechnologyPartners.aspx>

Colorado Center for the Blind

The Colorado Center for the Blind embodies the National Federation of the Blind philosophy, teaching that with proper training, opportunity, and positive attitude, blind people compete on terms of equality with their sighted peers and fully participate in their community. The CCB serves all those affected by an individual's blindness through a world-class staff, resources, and facilities supported by a solid, diversified funding base. Center participants become successful people and participate actively in the blind and greater community.

2233 W. Shepperd Ave.
Littleton, CO 80120

303-778-1130

<http://www.cocenter.org/>

Davis Phinney Foundation

This non-profit helps people with Parkinson's to live well today.

<https://www.davisphinneyfoundation.org/>

Disability Resources

Disability Resources, Inc. is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization established to promote and improve awareness, availability and accessibility of information that can help people with disabilities live, learn, love, work and play independently. This includes disseminating information about books, pamphlets, magazines, newsletters, videos, databases, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, telephone hotlines, and on-line services that provide free, inexpensive or hard-to-find information.

<http://www.disabilityresource.org/>

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation offers specialized training programs to help people who are blind or visually impaired become independent at home, in the community and in employment. Training may be provided through the Center-based Personal Adjustment Training Program or the Field-based Rehabilitation Teaching/Orientation and Mobility Program. Instructional services are provided at the Center, at the individual's home, on the job site, and/or in other community settings.

303-866-4150

Voc.Rehab@state.co.us

<http://www.dvrcolorado.com/>

Enight Skills Center

The mission of the Enight Skills Center is to provide clients with low vision the opportunity to enhance their life skills, independence and self-confidence in a safe environment through adaptive technology and training. Enight Skills Center is dedicated to giving the individual the opportunity to remain independent and safe in one's own home. Located in Denver, Fort Collins and Greeley.

970-407-9999 or 866-407-9990 <http://www.ensightskills.org>

Foundation for Fighting Blindness

The mission of the Foundation is to drive research providing preventions, treatments and cures for people affected by blinding retinal diseases. There is a Denver Chapter.

<http://www.blindness.org/>

LD Online

The leading website on learning disabilities for parents, teachers, and other professionals.

<http://www.ldonline.org>

Learning Ally

A national nonprofit, volunteer organization, Learning Ally has been the leading library of accessible audiobooks for students with disabilities such as visual impairment or dyslexia that make reading standard print difficult or impossible.

800-221-4792

Custserv@LearningAlly.org

<http://www.learningally.org>

Learning Disabilities Association of America

Learning Disabilities Association is dedicated to identifying causes and promoting prevention of learning disabilities and to enhancing the quality of life for all individuals with learning disabilities and their families by encouraging effective identification and intervention, fostering research, and protecting their rights under the law.

<https://ldaamerica.org/>

National Parkinson Foundation

We make life better for people with Parkinson's through expert care and research. Everything we do helps people actively enjoy life with their friends, families, children and grandchildren until there is a tomorrow without Parkinson's.

<http://www.parkinson.org/>

National Stroke Association

The trusted source for free resources and education for the entire stroke community. We develop programs across the full continuum of stroke—prevention, acute treatment, and rehabilitation.

<http://www.stroke.org/>

Social Security Online

The official website for the U.S. Social Security Administration and is also available in Spanish.

<http://www.ssa.gov/>

Techy Joe's Computer Solutions

Since 1999, they have been providing assistive technology services and training.

<https://techyjoes.com/>