

Resources

- About Special Kids www.ask.org
- Advanced Bionics www.advancedbionics.com
- Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing www.agbell.org
- American Society for Deaf Children <http://www.deafchildren.org>
- American Sign Language Resource Site <http://www.lifeprint.com>
- American Speech-Language-Hearing Association www.asha.org
- Auditory Verbal www.auditoryverbaltraining.com
- Basic Audiology PowerPoint
<http://www.wou.edu/~davis/ALDCourse/Audiology%20and%20Hearing%20Aid%20BasicsCDsEdits.ppt>
- Beginnings for Parents of Children who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing <http://www.ncbegin.org>
- Boys Town www.boystown.org
- CeDIR: The Library at the Indiana Institute on Disability and Community – Indiana University
<http://www.iidc.indiana.edu/cedir/chsphlib.html>
- Center for Disease Control and Prevention – EHD www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/ehdi
- Children's Special Health Care Program at the Indiana State Department of Health www.in.gov/isdh/24680.htm
- Cochlear www.cochlearamericas.com
- Cochlear Implant Listening Demos <http://www.utdallas.edu/~loizou/cimplants/>
- Deaf Education: A Parents' Guide www.deafeducation4parents.com
- Deaf Linx www.deaflinx.com
- Deaf Teens <http://deafteens.org>
- Deaf Village www.deafvillage.com
- Family to Family www.inf2f.org
- Family Voices www.familyvoices.org
- Glossary of DHH Terms <http://www.theitinerantconnection.com/glossary.htm>
- Hal-Hen www.halhen.com
- Hands & Voices www.handsandvoices.org
- Harris Communications www.harriscomm.com
- Hear Indiana www.hearindiana.org
- Hearing Loss Association of America www.hearingloss.org
- Hearing Loss in the Mainstream Classroom <https://sites.google.com/site/mainstreamhearingloss>
- Hoosier Healthwise www.healthcareforhoosiers.com
- Indiana Academic Standards <http://indianastandardsresources.org>
- Indiana Deaf Golfers Association www.indianadeafgolf.org
- Indiana Deaf School and Outreach Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing www.deafhoosiers.com
- Indiana Department of Education <http://www.doe.in.gov>
- Indiana's Early Hearing Detection and Intervention Program (EHDI) www.in.gov/isdh/20217.htm
- Indiana Family Helpline www.in.gov/isdh/21047.htm
- Indiana First Steps www.infirststeps.com
- Indiana Hands & Voices and the Guide By Your Side Program www.inhandsandvoices.org
- John Tracy Clinic www.johntracyclinic.org
- Katie's Hear to Help Foundation, Inc. www.heartohelp.net
- Laurent Clerc National Deaf Education Center – Gallaudet Center www.clerccenter.gallaudet.edu
- Lion's Club www.lionsclub.org
- Listen Up www.listenup.org
- Med-El www.medel.com
- National Association of the Deaf www.nad.org
- National Center for Hearing Assessment and Management (NCHAM) www.infanthearing.org
- National Cued Speech Association www.cuedspeech.org
- National Institution on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders www.nidcd.nih.gov
- Oral Deaf Education www.oraldeafed.org
- Oticon www.oticon.com
- Parents Helping Parents www.php.com

- Phonak www.phonak.com
- Pop-up IEP http://www.handsandvoices.org/articles/education/popup/pop_index.html
- Raising Deaf Kids www.raisingdeafkids.org
- Riley Child Development Center www.child-dev.com
- Signed Exact English S.E.E. Center www.seecenter.org
- St. Joseph Institute for the Deaf www.sjid.org
- The Hearing Journey and Listening Room www.hearingjourney.com
- The Itinerant Connection <http://www.theitinerantconnection.com>
- Transition Assessments
 - iTransition <http://itransition.pepnet.org>
 - Drive of Your Life <https://www.driveofyourlife.org/launch.html>
 - College View (great tool to help students narrow down college choices)- www.collegeview.com
 - Career Research Website (could be used with younger aged students)- <http://www.thefunworks.org>
 - Interest Surveys, and Career Exploration Curriculum (excellent quick surveys)
<http://www.learnmoreindiana.org/careers/exploring/InterestInventories/Pages/Home.aspx>
- UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation www.unitedhealthcarechildrensfoundation.org
- Vocational Rehabilitation <http://www.in.gov/fssa/ddrs/2636.htm>
- Wright's Law www.wrightslaw.com

Acronyms

504: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act
ABA: Applied Behavior Analysis
ABC: Antecedent-Behavior-Consequence (a method of tracking targeted behaviors)
ABI: Adaptive Behavior Inventory
ABR: Auditory Brainstem Response
AC: Air Conduction
AD: Right
ADA: Americans with Disabilities Act
ADD: Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD: Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
AIT: Auditory Integration Therapy
APD: Auditory Processing Disorder, also referred to as CAPD or Central Auditory Processing Disorder
APE: Adaptive Physical Education
AS: Asperger's Syndrome (a high-functioning form of Autism)
AS: Left
ASD: Autistic Spectrum Disorder
ASL: American Sign Language
AU: Both sides (ears)
BAHA: Bone Anchored Hearing Appliance
BC: Bone Conduction
BD: Behavioral Disorder
BD/ED: Behavior Disordered / Emotional Disability
BIP: Behavior Intervention Plan
BOE: Board of Education
CAPD: Central Auditory Processing Disorder, also referred to as APD, see above
CD: Conduct Disorder
CDI: Certified Deaf Interpreter
CI: Certified Interpreter
CI: Cochlear Implant
CNS: Central Nervous System
CNT: Could Not Test
CODA: Child of Deaf Adult
CP: Cerebral Palsy
DD: Developmental Disabilities
DNT: Did Not Test
DOE: Department of Education
ECSE: Early Childhood Special Education
ED: Emotional Disability
EI: Early Intervention
ESL: English as a Second Language
ESY: Extended School Year
FAPE: Free Appropriate Public Education
FBA: Functional Behavioral Assessment
FERPA: Federal Educational Rights and Privacy Act
HA: Hearing Aid
HAE: Hearing Aid Evaluation
HFA: High Functioning Autism (such as Asperger's Syndrome)
HINT: Hearing In Noise Test
HL: Hearing Level
HoH: Hard of Hearing

IDEA: Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
IEE: Independent Educational Evaluation
IEP: Individualized Education Plan
LD: Learning Disability
LEA: Local Education Agency (the school district)
LFA: Low-Functioning Autism
LLD: Language-based Learning Disability
LRE: Least Restrictive Environment
MCL: Most Comfortable Level
MDT: Multi-Disciplinary Team
MH: Multiple Handicapped
MR: Mental Retardation, IQ < 70
NCLB: No Child Left Behind
NLD or NVLD: Non-Verbal Learning Disability
NOS: Not Otherwise Specified
NR: No Response
OCD: Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder
ODD: Oppositional-Defiant Disorder
OHI: Other Health Impaired
OT: Occupational Therapist or Occupational Therapy
PECS: Picture Exchange Communication System
PIQ: Performance IQ
PLEP or PLP or PLOP: Present Levels of Educational Performance
POHI: Physically or Otherwise Health Impaired
PSE: Pidgin Sign English
PT: Physical Therapist or Therapy
PTA: Pure Tone Average/Audiogram
PTSD: Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
PWN: Prior Written Notice
SD: School District
SED: Severe Emotional Disorder
SEE: Signed Exact English
SID: Sensory Integration Dysfunction, also referred to as SI, or DSI
SIB: Self-Injurious Behavior
SimCom: Simultaneous Communication
SLP: Speech-Language Pathologist
SLT: Speech Language Threshold
SNHL: Sensorineural Hearing Loss
Sped: Special Education
SRT: Speech Reception Threshold
TC: Total Communication
TDD: Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TSS: Therapeutic Support Staff
TTY: Teletypewriter (now more commonly referred to as TDD)
UCL: Upper Comfort Level
VIQ: Verbal IQ
VR: Vocational Rehabilitation
WAIS: Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale (an IQ test)
WISC: Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children (an IQ test)
W-J-R: Woodcock-Johnson Revised (a psycho-educational test)
WNL: Within Normal Limits
WT: Warble Tone