

Disability Bill of Rights



Appropriate supports and modifications to increase learning potential, engage in lifelong learning, and integrate learning experiences into all aspects of daily life.

Example: Utilizing visual supports and appropriate level teaching materials.

Obtaining, sustaining, and prompting paid employment and employment-related activities.

Example: Assisting with tasks connected to gaining employment.

Equity of health.

Example: Supporting attendance to medical appointments, coaching for medication compliance.

Access housing and necessary support and services within chosen communities.

Example: Using individualized schedules.

Live free from abuse, neglect, financial and sexual exploitation, and violations of human rights.

Example: Reporting concerns by following organizations policies and procedures and mandated reporting.

Unconditional community inclusion.

Example: Supporting individuals in joining/participating in a sports league or other club of interest.

Access their own money.

Example: Supporting choice on spending as desired.

Individualized support, self-determination, and independence in the least restrictive environment.

Example: Honoring choice and providing supported decision making as required.

Personal property.

Example: Assist in personalizing living spaces and supporting care of individual's property.

Practice religion.

Example: Supporting attendance to chosen religious and spiritual services.

Communication.

Example: Using assistive technology such as PECs or Augmentative Devices as needed.

Appropriate supports.

Example: Support professionals utilize evidence-based trainings and practice.

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**This is not an all-inclusive list*

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